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Don't you wish you could just pass a bill to cover your overdraft or hot checks the way Congress did last week? Seems the Social Security System didn't have enough money to cover the checks now in the mail, because the budget hasn't yet been approved, so the Congress just approved a piece of legislation that said the checks were good. Good idea, huh?

And then Uncle Sam wonders why American citizens are not fiscally responsible.

John W. Lonsdale of Santa Monica, Calif. came by the News Office Saturday morning for a short visit. Lonsdale is the grandson of pioneer resident Dr. Montgomery. His mother Vida Montgomery Lonsdale died recently, and he was in McLean to visit with some of her old friends.

What do you think of the new sun tan parlors? Several of my friends have plunked down the money for the 20 visits required to get a tan, and seem to enjoy the experience. Apparently the system uses lighted booths where the user can strip to nothing and get an "all-over" tan. According to those who have used the process, the booths are closet-size, and you stand in there with goggles on and slowly turn around.

I have asked several people if the booths have peep-holes, but no one seems worried about that!

Some people seem concerned that the tanning booths may be harmful, and others object to them on the grounds that the tans produced are not "natural", but it looks like fun to me. However, I was convinced a long time ago that sun worshippers eventually paid for their beautiful tans with prematurely aged skins, and at my age, I don't want any help in aging from either the sun or some kind of magic booths.

So you may notice one pale-faced person in town this summer...it'll sure be me!

Some exciting plans are in the works for the McLean 66 Rodeo planned for June 20 and 21. We will have more details later, but I think the horse race will be run again, and several other exciting events are planned. I'm sorry the rodeo is set for that date because both Lisa and I will be in Houston at the state TPA convention that weekend, and we won't be able to get pictures of the events. Any volunteer photographers out there?

TRAFFIC NOTE: Safety experts estimate that more than half of the 10,000 pedestrians struck and killed each year by automobiles had been drinking.

Since this is baseball season for many youngsters in McLean, I thought you might enjoy this "Little Leaguer's Prayer". See DISTAFF, Page 2



Date	High	Low
5-27-80	82	58
5-28-80	82	60
5-29-80	81	65
5-30-80	83	55
5-31-80	82	66
6-1-80	86	70
6-2-80	85	65

Precipitation	
5/27	.25
5/28	.62
5/29 - .05	

Billingsley, McDonald Face Off In Constable Election Saturday

The voters of Precinct 5 will choose a new constable at the run-off election Saturday. Voters in McLean will vote at the McLean Grade School from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m. The run-off election features a hotly contested race between Joe Billingsley and Jim McDonald for the position of constable.

The two men were the top two candidates out of a field of three in the May Democratic primary. McDonald had a slight edge in the vote count at that race.

The precinct includes McLean, Alanreed, and a section of Pampa. Approximately 4,000 voters are registered in the

precinct. Billingsley, 43, has lived in McLean for 14 years. He attended schools in McLean and graduated from Texola, Okla. High School in 1954.

He has been in agriculture and business since living in McLean. He most recently was the owner of Joe's Shamrock. He is now employed by Texaco Wholesale.

He and his wife Myrtle have two daughters, Cherrie Tolleson of Pampa and Susie, a junior at McLean High School.

McDonald, 37, is the chief of the McLean Volunteer Fire Department and the head of McLean's rescue squad and

ambulance service. He has completed nine hours of law enforcement courses through Amarillo College and recently completed 1800 hours of training to become a certified paramedic, the only one in McLean.

He is a graduate of McLean High School, and has been a resident of the town for 34 years.

He and his wife, Cherry, have two children, Paige and Trevor, who are students in the McLean schools.

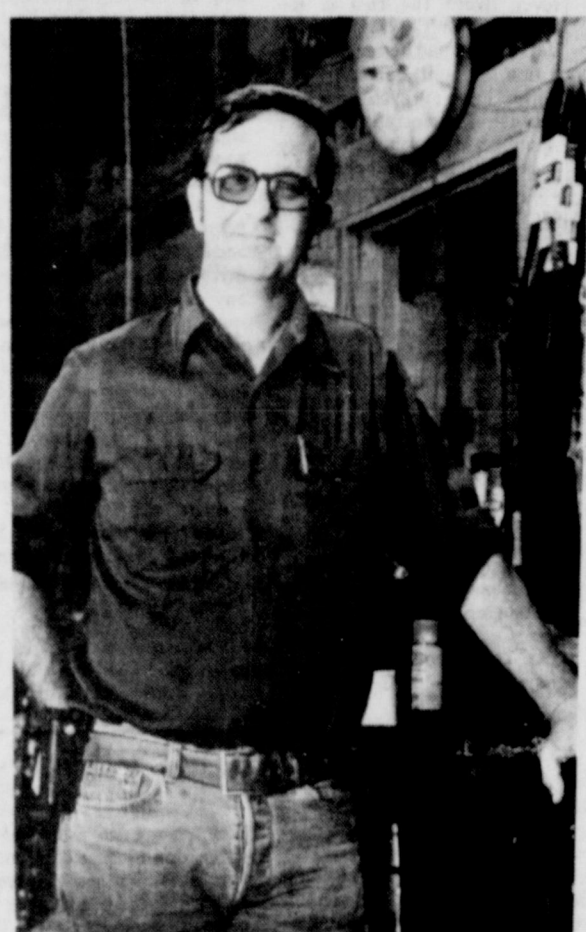
McDonald is the owner of McDonald's Garage in McLean. Voters will also choose the winners in three state offices.

In the run-off for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Place 1, are John C. Phillips and James P. (Jim) Wallace; for judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 2, are Mike McCormick and W.T. Phillips; and for judge of Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 3 are Edith Roberts and Tom Davis.

Party officials are expecting a light turnout throughout the county because of the small number of local races.



JOE BILLINGSLEY



JIM McDONALD



MHS'S GREG GABLE will compete in the Tri-State Rodeo Finals in Amarillo beginning tonight. [Photo Courtesy of Carolyn Gable]

Church Planning Youth Rally

The McLean Church of Christ is planning a youth rally for all the young people of McLean on June 7 at the church.

The rally will begin at 12:30 p.m. with registration, orientation, and singing. Arnold Holmes, Mike Chance, Randall Morris, Wyatt Fenno, Ronnie Clayton, David Hall, and Jack Uthier will lead the sessions for the young people which will conclude with a session beginning at 6:30 p.m.

McLean 66 Rodeo Set For June 20-21, Parade, Horse Show Planned

Plans for the McLean 66 Roundup and Rodeo are being finalized, according to F. Jake Hess II, president of the Roping Club. The annual rodeo has been set for 7:30 p.m. June 20 and June 21 at the Felton Webb All-Steel Arena north of McLean.

Hess said that Freddy Cordell will be the stock contractor.

The rodeo books will open June 16 and close June 18. Contestants may call rodeo secretary Gwen Henley at 779-2679 on those days to enter the rodeo.

Included in the plans for the rodeo are a ranch horse cutting contest for Friday afternoon at 1 p.m. in the arena, Johnny Rex McClellan is the chairman of that event. Also a special

feature of the Friday night performance of the rodeo will be the kids stick horse race.

On Saturday, the rodeo parade, with George Terry as chairman, will begin at 2 p.m. in downtown McLean. At 4 p.m., a ranch horse race will be held north of town, across the highway from the rodeo grounds. Saturday night's rodeo performance will feature

Gabel To Compete In Finals

Greg Gabel, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Gabel, is McLean's sole entry in the Tri-State High School Rodeo Association Finals which begin today (Thursday) in Amarillo at the Fair Park Coliseum at 7:30 p.m. Gabel scored 54 points in high school rodeos this year in steer wrestling to win a berth in the finals. As the rodeo begins,

Gabel is sitting third place in steer wrestling.

Performances of the rodeo are scheduled for tonight, Friday, and Saturday at 7:30 p.m. and an afternoon performance Saturday at 2 p.m.

The only other McLean youngster to receive points in competition this year was Dusty Sanders who had 3 1/2 points in bareback riding.

School Board Will Present TABS Results Monday

public during the June meeting of the board.

According to school superintendent Carl Dwyer, the test is an attempt to show the communities involved what the schools are doing in the basic skills area.

Dwyer said that the tests are "criterion referenced tests designed to check minimum competency in several areas. The

tests do not compare students to other students, but simply check the students performance against the minimum amount that he should know at his level," Dwyer said.

Dwyer explained that the tests are designed to show the strengths and weaknesses of the individual student and of the school in specific areas. "By knowing these strengths

and weaknesses, it will be possible to emphasize certain areas to help correct the deficiencies," Dwyer said.

Individual results were given to the student or his parents in May, Dwyer said. The report by the board will give only the school results, he emphasized. Anyone interested in learning how the McLean schools did is invited to the meeting, according to Dwyer.

"I believe McLean will be able to identify the learning needs of students, and to meet those needs through improved school programs and improved students performances," Dwyer said.

Singing School is June 9

Everyone is invited to attend a singing school at the McLean Church of Christ beginning June 9, according to Aven Hook, minister of the church.

The school will be directed by Mike Chance, and will continue through June 13. Classes are scheduled for 2 p.m. each day in the mechanics of music for practice and teaching for young boys, high school boys, and song leaders; at 4 p.m. for "Singing of Music", for learning new songs, singing parts and practicing group singing; and 7:30 p.m. for congregational singing.

McLean 4-H Members Win Prizes At Wheeler Rodeo May 23

Nine McLean youngsters swept the awards at the Wheeler 4-H Rodeo May 23 and 24 with Lee Ann Smith and Sally Worsham being named as All-around cowgirls.

Each McLean youngster placed in some event.

Russell Littlefield placed third in bareback ponies, and first in calf dogging.

Roxie Littlefield was third in flag race and sixth in poles.

Teresa Woods was second in pole bending and Clinton Smith was third in steer riding and sixth in calf dogging.

Lee Ann Smith was first in

the flag race, second in pole bending, fourth in barrels, and fourth in calf dogging.

Deana Billingsley was sixth in the flag race. Billy Billingsley was fourth in calf dogging. Sally Worsham was second in

pole bending, second in barrels, third in the flag race, and sixth in the walk and lead.

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4-H'ers Win At County Show

Thirty-three Gray County youth participated in the Gray County 4-H Horse Show Sunday and earned points to qualify for the District 14-H Horse Show in Amarillo June 25 and 26.

McLean youngsters who placed in the show were as follows:

Greg Gable won 2nd in senior sportsmanship, 5th in registered geldings, 2nd in senior western pleasure, 1st in senior western horsemanship.

Lee Ann Smith was 8th in intermediate showmanship, 6th in grade mares, 5th in intermediate pole bending and 1st in intermediate barrel racing.

Deana Billingsley was 6th in registered geldings, 9th in junior pole bending.

Lance Gabel was 9th in registered geldings, 5th in intermediate western horsemanship and 1st in intermediate reining.

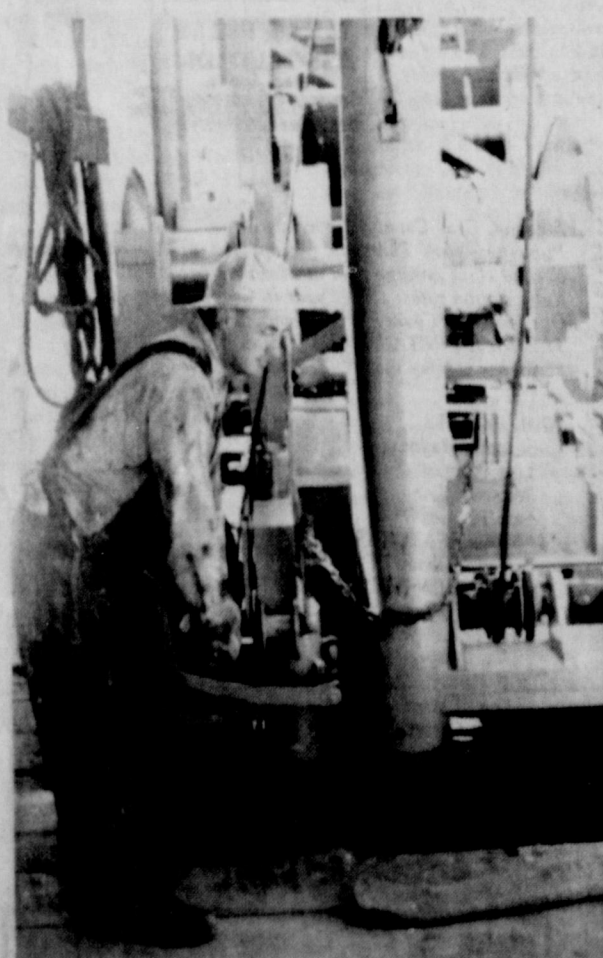
Teresa Woods was 3rd in grade geldings 1st in senior reining, 2nd in senior pole bending, and 2nd in senior barrel racing.

Sally Worsham was 2nd in ponies, mares and geldings, 4th in junior western pleasure, 3rd in junior pole bending, and 4th in junior barrel racing.

Roxie Littlefield was 1st in intermediate pole bending and 5th in intermediate barrel racing.



THESE NINE YOUNGSTERS brought home trophies and buckles from the Wheeler 4-H Rodeo recently. Pictured are Billie Billingsley, Deana Billingsley, Roxie Littlefield, Rhonda Woods on the back row; front row, Clint Smith, Lee Ann Smith, and Sally Worsham. [Photo by Linda Haynes]



ROY BARKER, who has been associated with the oil business since the 1920's is the subject of this week's Community Profile on page 4. [Photo by Linda Haynes.]

OPINIONS

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

We Must Do Something About I-401

The slaughter on Interstate 401 must stop. At least 20 lives have now been lost on the treacherous two-way construction section of I-401 between Alanreed and the Clarendon turnoff.

For the last several weeks, a major traffic accident has occurred each Friday or Saturday, taking a total of seven lives. The cost is too high, and the Texas Highway Department had better come up with a solution...quick.

The loss of even one life because of bureaucratic bungling would be too much, but twenty lives wasted is unbelievable. The highway department has two alternatives to try to solve this horrible situation.

The department and the construction crew can put every available machine and every available man on the job of finishing the road in a hurry. Men should be pulled off other non-essential projects and funneled to this site. Don't tell me it can't be done...if the need is there, even state government departments can get in a hurry.

And the only other thing the highway department can do is to put up more signs to warn the unsuspecting motorists of the danger he is facing when he drives on the construction section. There should be a sign at the entrance and the exit of the

construction that says "EXTREMELY DANGEROUS SECTION OF ROAD...DRIVE WITH EXTREME CAUTION...NO PASSING NEXT 10 MILES...20 PEOPLE HAVE DIED ON THIS ROAD". The signs should be constructed in such a way as to change the number of dead.

The residents of McLean can help by warning every traveler who comes into their business or that they meet in town about the dangers of the highway. Perhaps the McLean Chamber of Commerce should put up a sign outside McLean warning west-bound cars about the danger of the road ahead.

I think there are several people in town who feel as I do, and I can tell you that I will not drive that road, nor will I allow any of my family to drive that road until the four-lane is completed. We have been detouring through Pampa, which is only about six miles out of the way.

But all of us must do our part to try to stop the carnage. If you are angry about the slaughter of tourists, clip this editorial and send it to the Texas State Highway Department, Attn. A. L. McKee, Box 2708, Amarillo, Texas 79105.

Cross-Country Walker Promotes Good Health And Physical Fitness



CROSS-COUNTRY WALKER Scott Salmons paused for a few minutes in The McLean News office Tuesday. Salmons is walking from California to Washington, D.C. [Photo by Linda Haynes]

"This is one of the cleanest towns I've walked into," Scott Salmons said Tuesday, as he entered McLean, and Scott ought to know. He's been walking into towns all along Interstate 40 from Santa Monica, California, over 1200 miles, since April 1.

Scott came through McLean Tuesday morning and stopped to write some letters at the post office. Maybelle Nash quickly pointed him out to "the News lady," and we became acquainted.

Scott is a 29-year-old Louisiana native, who has a degree in radio and television from McNeese State University in Lake Charles, La., but who has developed an abiding interest in good health and physical fitness.

He began his walk, which will end in Washington, D.C. sometime in August, with the idea of promoting good health and fitness by being a living example. Scott said that he had spent some time in the last few years teaching positive attitude and good health practices in a series of motivational seminars, and decided on this trip to get back "in touch with nature and my body."

"I don't believe in sickness," he said "You have to be down and depressed and just begging some little germ to come along and get you sick." Scott said a month before he was scheduled to begin his walk which is being monitored by a television station in California that he was having trouble with his back and was unable to walk at all.

He was totally discouraged and had thought about canceling his trip until a friend told him to "practice what you preach (about positive attitude)" and then he began getting better.

He walks each day from sunrise to sunset, camping along the road in a small tent at night. About once a week he stays in a motel to rest and clean up. He financed his trip by selling his prized Harley Davidson motorcycle, and had originally planned to spend about \$3 per day. "It's costing almost twice that much," he said. "And I'll probably run out of money before I get there." He tries to eat at least one hot meal per day to maintain his strength for the grueling 30-mile-a-day pace which he has set for himself.

"I probably consume about 6,000 calories a day now that I'm walking, and I eat a lot of carbohydrates, which I have never been able to eat before," he said.

Scott said that his interest in good health began when he was in his early twenties. "I was a typical fat kid...the fattest kid in the fourth grade in fact...I was sickly and unhealthy, but I finally decided I was tired of not feeling good." He said that he began by working out in a gym and then got interested in tennis. "I left Denver and went to California to play tennis, and thought about becoming a 'tennis bum' but somehow I never did." He worked as a disc jockey for quite some time, and then decided to combine his interest in health with his radio ability.

"I believe everyone should consider himself an example for someone else, as far as physical fitness goes. Americans just eat too much and don't exercise enough. It's as simple as that," he said. He believes in daily exercise and eating correctly. "There's no special food that I avoid...it's more the amount than the kind of food that is important."

He said that he trained incorrectly before beginning his trip by gaining 10 pounds. He thought he needed the extra

weight to enable him to carry his back pack, but realized on the road that the weight was a burden.

He has lost ten pounds since he began, and has lightened his 60-pound pack to 45 pounds. He carries a change of clothing, some food, about six pints of water, a small burner, his tent, sleeping bag, rain gear, cooking utensils, a journal in which he writes every day, and a Nik on camera.

He said that the most grueling part of his journey has been crossing the mojavie desert. "There were a couple of times when I thought I wouldn't make it in the desert. The heat is indescribable. You just can't carry enough water to get from one place to another," he said. His feet became severely blistered in the desert and he stopped at a small town in the desert and rested for two days to help heal his feet.

He said that he had not encountered any one who tried to harm him and he felt perfectly safe sleeping in open country every night. "I met a woman in the desert who was 42 years old and was riding a bicycle from California to Florida and she said that no one had bothered her on her trip."

"The people have been the most fascinating part of the trip," he said. "If I didn't stop talk and visit, I would be missing the best part of the trip."

He also said that he had found several unusual items along the road, including a watch that was half-buried in the ground. He picked it up and found it was a Timex! "Kept right on ticking, but it wasn't a Timex!" he said with a twinkle in his eye.

He wears a white plastic top hat which is emblazoned with emblems from each state he has walked through. He found the hat on the side of the road, and decided it looked like it would be just what he needed. He also carries a cane which he picked up in a souvenir shop. "I broke the cane I started with when I killed a coral snake in Arizona," he said. He also started his trip wearing a hiking boot that changed to a lighter boot "about a 1,000 miles ago."

Scott said he gave up a \$30,000 a year job to go on the trip. "I traveled about 300,000 air miles last year traveling around the country promoting the motivational seminars, and I got in terrible shape. I decided that I just didn't feel good when I wasn't getting the right amount of exercise."

He said that his parents have been very supportive of the trip. "My dad thinks I'm crazy," he laughed "but we're a very close family. I call about once a week to let them know that I'm all right."

Scott said that when he finished the trip he hopes to use what he's learned on the trip to help other people, perhaps in seminars. "I have learned a lot about self-discipline and self-control on this trip." He says that most of us search for "comfort zones" and take the easy way out, when what we need to make us happy is to "strive for a goal. I've learned that's what makes people happy. I get scared when I get too comfortable or something gets too easy. You always have to be striving for some sort of goal."

Scott's immediate goal is to walk at least 750 miles a month for the next two months and be able to stand in the Lincoln Memorial in Washington, D.C. When he finishes this trip, he will probably begin to set new goals, and with the lessons that he has learned on his long trek across the country, I'm sure that he will succeed at whatever he decides to do.

LINES
by
LEM
O'RICKK

I wish Ted and Jim would debate,
So we could the candidates rate;
I think Jimmy would win,
With his infectious grin;
And Teddy boy's ego deflate!

HOMEMAKER NEWS

LIVING WITH INFLATION SPENDING PLAN:

Make and use a spending plan to help live with inflation. Living with inflation is expensive since prices increase as buying power of the dollar decreases. This means that you must change your level of living or add additional income and/or other resources to maintain or improve your level of living.

Living with inflation, though not easy, is possible. Start by cutting corners and changing spending patterns. Rethink the budget. It's helpful to know that about 30% of the income goes for housing, 25% goes for food, and so on.

However, don't include the total expected earnings in the spending plan. Base the plan on 95% or even 90%, if possible. This will leave some leeway for the unknown which the months ahead may hold. Food costs may take a jump. Utility bills go up, gasoline prices increase or taxes may rise.

Make a flexible spending plan, but do use it. To assist in developing a spending plan, a publication entitled "Your Spending Plan" (L-1352) is available from your County Extension Office or call for additional help.

You really can stretch dollars, if you use shopping sense. This starts with a major step: gather enough information before you shop, so you can make a wise choice. Before you shop, do three things: 1) decide what items you need and want; 2) keep up-to-date - know what's available and where you can buy the product; 3) make a shopping list - you're less likely to buy items you don't need.

Once you start shopping, look in several stores. Compare prices, quality and services offered by the different stores. By shopping around and comparing prices and features of a product, you'll also avoid some of the high-pressure sales methods. Learn to ask questions. Find out all you need to know before you buy. Be sure to find out what the warranty covers, where you can call for service, and what the store's exchange and refund policy is.

As a buyer, be aware of advertising appeal. Ads are intended to draw your attention to a product or service and make you want to buy it.

Be careful about "bargains", too. A "bargain" is only a real bargain when it meets four criteria: 1) when you really need or can use the item; 2) when the price is lower than at other nearby stores; 3) when the price is lower than usual for the item in that store; and 4) when the item is right for your needs in size, color, quality, price and storage space.

USE "SEAM ROLL" TO PRESS SEAMS:

Use a "seam roll" to press seams. Because of its curved surface, it prevents imprints of seams from pressing through to

the surface - when you use it in place of the ironing board's flat surface. It is also excellent for pressing seams in hard-to-reach areas, such as sleeves.

Seam rolls are available commercially, or you can make one at home. To make a seam roll at home, follow these instructions:

*Roll one large magazine or several smaller ones together tightly so that there is a roll about 2-inches in diameter.

*Tie the roll together in several places with heavy thread or several strands of lighter thread. Make sure that the roll is very solid with little air space in the center and does not flatten when mashed with fingers.

*Next, wrap several thicknesses of muslin or two thicknesses of wool felt tightly around the roll and hand stitch in place. If using muslin, turn raw edge under to give a finished edge.

*Turn in fabric on ends of roll and hand stitch. Or, use a rolling pin. Cover as above or use without a cover. One side may be flattened to prevent rolling while using.

KEEPING FROZEN FOOD SAFE:

Consumers should be aware of the safety of frozen food from the time they first look into the display case in the store. Be careful to buy frozen foods stored in commercial freezer cabinets only if they are stored under the line marked for safety level. Buy frozen or refrigerated foods last, then take them directly home to the freezer. Home freezer temperature should be kept at 9 F. Labels on many frozen foods tell whether the product can be refrozen. It's not a good idea to refreeze unless the label says that this won't harm the food.

When using frozen foods, plan ahead so they can be defrosted in the refrigerator. Thawing foods at room temperature for long periods can permit bacteria to grow, producing illness. Thaw foods in the refrigerator.

CHECK HOME-CANNED FOODS FOR SAFETY:

The art of home canning enjoyed a revival last year as homemakers tried to beat rising food prices. This renewed interest in home canning makes it especially important to be sure the foods are safe to eat. Check your foods to make sure there are no bulges (lids should be concave), no off colors and no off odors. A can with any of these characteristics should be discarded.

All home-canned foods should be cooked at boiling temperatures in an open saucepan for 15 minutes. This insures that if harmful bacteria are present, they will be destroyed and the food will be safe to eat.

DISTAFF

which Joyce Eck brought in to The News office.

"Lord, give me the strength to hit the ball, and if I should, don't let me fall. Help me pick the one that's right, then let me knock it 'way out of sight,

then let me run with deer-like grace, don't let me slip, but tag first base. Then on to second stay with me Lord; 'Cause this one out, we can't afford. Then let me zoom like a flying bird. Right down the line, and on to third. Then let me slide with foot out thrust, across home plate through swirling dust. But first of all Dear Lord, I pray, Just tell the coach to let me play! Amen

AREA THEATRE LISTINGS

Shamrock TEXAS THEATRE - June 5 - SILENT SCREAM; June 6-12 - FOXES with Scott Bain and Sally Kellerman (COAL MINERS DAUGHTER BEGINS JUNE 13)
Wheeler ROGUE THEATRE - June 5, LITTLE MISS MARKER with Walter Matthau and Julie Andrews; June 6-12, MARY POPPINS with Julie Andrews; (COAL MINERS DAUGHTER BEGINS JUNE 13)

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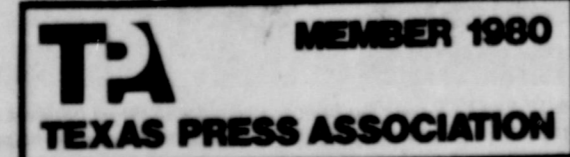
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Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor,

Mr. Ben Ezzell's editorial in last week's edition on John Anderson's viability is misleading. Mr. Ezzell implies that John Anderson is the most viable choice of the Presidential candidates. In truth Congressman Anderson is as viable as Darth Vader.

A truly concerned American, as Mr. Ezzell implies he is, would examine John Anderson's record, which would reveal that he supports federal funding of abortions, and that he supports the Equal Rights Amendment, which will require that women be drafted for military combat. He also supports every major piece of civil rights legislation, including that which requires forced busing.

John Anderson supported the give away of the Panama Canal. He strongly endorsed the Salt II Treaty. He is a vociferous advocate of more federal gun control laws. He opposes virtually every effort to strengthen our national defense including the MX missile, the B1 bomber, and the nuclear aircraft carrier.

Congressman Anderson supports President Carter's \$20 billion guaranteed annual income program, and he voted to set up the Dept. of Education which will cost the taxpayer \$14 billion in its first year of operation.

John Anderson, who bills himself as "moderate" was asked by a Los Angeles Times reporter if he would "feel more comfortable with Ted Kennedy as President than Ronald Reagan?" "moderate" Republican Anderson replied, "I have to be very careful now. You're talking to a man who pledged to support the nominee of the Republican convention and (long pause) I would be more comfortable with Teddy Kennedy!" That of course, was before he announced as an independent candidate.

In short, Anderson wants to redistribute your wealth and take away your freedom by increasing the size of government while destroying the ability of our nation to defend itself.

Syndicated columnist Ben Stein said it all when he wrote: "I think Anderson is the most cynical manipulator in American politics today. Anderson is the man who will sell America down the river for good to get the votes of those who would rather see America die than lift a finger to help the country survive."

Sincerely,
Tommy Gipson

The Consumer Alert

by Mark White
Attorney General



AUSTIN—Summer is here again and with it comes the opportunity to engage in many of our favorite outdoor activities. Playing under the sun, however, can prove costly when it comes to the damage done to your skin. In recent years, scientists have established that chronic exposure to sunlight is the chief cause of non-melanoma skin cancer in the United States.

The sun continuously bombards the earth with a wide range of radiation. While the ozone layer of the earth's atmosphere protects us from the hazardous radiation, it does not block out all ultraviolet rays. The portion of the ultraviolet spectrum that burns the skin is UV-B. Although UV-B rays constitute less than 0.2 percent of the radiant energy reaching the earth, they cause nearly all the sun's harmful effects.

To avoid the sun's harmful effects, consumers are provided with many types and brands of sun-screen products in the marketplace. The effectiveness of each product

varies depending on its "sun-protection factor," or SPF. An SPF is merely a multiple of the time required by the sun to produce any given effect on an individual's skin. Perhaps the factor is most conveniently understood when linked with another sun-exposure unit, the minimal erythema dose. The minimal erythema dose refers to the time it takes for a person's skin to turn slightly red when exposed to the sun. If your minimal erythema dose is 30 minutes and you apply a sunscreen with an SPF of 3, you can figure that the time it

takes for your skin to redden slightly will be three times as long, or about 1 1/2 hours. A sun protection factor of 3 is not very high. Most sunscreens have SPF's of 8 or greater.

How can you tell the SPF of a particular product? Although not yet required to print the SPF number on the label, most manufacturers have anticipated proposed regulations by doing so



BIRTHDAYS

- June 5
Lawrence Watson
Mrs. A. N. Hardman
Scott Stringfellow
- June 6
Reo Heasley
F. L. Jones
Emory Smith
- June 7
Ruby Cook
Murrell H. Reams
Mrs. Ted Shaller
- June 8
None
- June 9
Bob Howard
Joe Fred Burr
Mrs. Ramah Lou Lankford
- June 10
Mrs. Homer Abbott
Butch Lands
Frank Hambright
Howard Leon Waldrop
Milton Watson
- June 11
Cliff Callahan
Leota Adams
Mrs. Harlon Pool
Faye Glass
Mitzi Ranae Cole



LIONS PRESIDENT-ELECT David Haynes shows the \$300 self-propelled lawnmower which the local Lions Club will give away at the rodeo June 20 and 21. [Photo by Linda Haynes]

Maridale Glass Will Head Group

Maridale Glass, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Glass, was recently initiated into Scribes, the senior women's honor society at West Texas State University. A student must maintain a 3.5 grade average to qualify for the society. Students are also selected in relation to other school activities.

After being elected to the group, she was chosen as president for the 1980-81 school year.

VFW Group Elects Officers

By Lucille Cullison
Ladies Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #8564 met for a called meeting for the election of new officers for the coming year. The group met Monday June 2 in the Post home.

Members present for the meeting were Ora Billingsley, Mary Groves, Laverne Brooks, Effie Lou Everett, Lucille Cullison, Pat Guill, Wanda Bailey, and Adell Walker.

The auxiliary will meet for the installation of officers on Tuesday, June 17 at 8 p.m. All members are urged to attend.

Roderic Fabian Receives Medical Degree At Galveston

More than 200 degrees were formally conferred during the annual School of Medicine-Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences commencement at The University of Texas Medical Branch recently.

The degree candidates included 193 from the School of Medicine and 28 from the Graduate School. The Graduate School graduating class consisted of seven master's degree recipients and 21 doctoral recipients including graduates from August and December 1979.

Roderic H. Fabian, son of Dr. and Mrs. H.F. Fabian of McLean, received his doctorate from the School of Medicine, Fabian, a 1972 graduate of McLean High School, holds a bachelor of arts degree in chemistry from McMurry Col-

lege in Abilene. He also attended Abilene Christian University.

At Galveston he was a member of the AOA Honor Medical Society, the AMSA, the SAMA, and was president of Nu Sigma Nu Medical fraternity. He was listed on the Dean's list.

Fabian plans to take his internship and residency in internal medicine at Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tenn.

At the commencement, the guest speaker for the occasion was Mrs. Lyndon B. "Lady Bird" Johnson, widow of the former president and a former member of The University of Texas System Board of Regents.

UTMB President William C. Levin, M.D. presided over the ceremonies, and the degrees were conferred by Sterling Fly,

M.D., a member of the Board of Regents.

The graduation was the 90th for the School of Medicine, which is the oldest and largest medical school in Texas. Each of the graduating physicians will now enter internship and residency programs at medical centers throughout the nation, including UTMB.

The UTMB School of Medicine is the 10th largest medical school in the United States. UTMB also includes the School of Nursing, School of Allied Health Sciences, Marine Biomedical Institute and the Institute for the Medical Humanities. The Medical Branch is Texas' only multi-categorical health referral center and is a major health resource center for much of the Southwest and the remainder of the nation.



DR. RODERIC FABIAN

McLEAN BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Petie Everett of Jackson, Tenn., visited here recently with their parents, Mrs. Vergie Everett and Mrs. Lucille Cullison and Mrs. Everett's niece and children, Marsha Hickman, Lisa, Frances, Frank, and Kerry. They also visited with Mr. Everett's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Everett and daughter, Jenny and children.

Mrs. Evelyn Thompson and son of Garland and Mrs. Marguerite Burgin of Groom visited Mrs. Jim Wheeler and Dick Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Hupp visited with L.L. Quarles in Pampa Saturday as he celebrated his 90th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. H.M. Billingsley of Amarillo visited friends in McLean Sunday afternoon and placed memorials at Mrs. Billingsley's relatives graves in Hillcrest Cemetery for Memorial Day.

The Lane Cousins reunion will be in McLean Senior Citizens building June 14 and 15. The Brooks, McKinzie and Holders will attend this year.

Recent visitors in the Bryan McPherson home were their son Mr. and Mrs. Thelmer McPherson of Ft. Worth; grandchildren Steve and Mary; great grandchildren Shanna, Stephanie, Johnny and Jim of Quinlan; and granddaughter Mrs. Becky Payne and her children Clint, Chris and Chastity of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Griffith were in Amarillo Saturday.

Mrs. Nell Teddar Arnett and Daughter Lisa of Lexington, Tennessee and Mrs. Cleta Howard of Groom visited in the Odell Mantooth Monday.

Mrs. James Throckmorton and her father Bill Sneed returned Tuesday from a few days visit in Okla. City.

Chris Moore of Woodward, Okla., spent several days with his aunt, Mrs. K.W. Hambricht and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Schmiedel of Amarillo spent several days with her parents-Mr. and Mrs. Bryan McPherson.

The Pastor and Deacons of the First Baptist Church and their wives were entertained Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mangum with a Bar-B-Que supper. The delicious meal of Bar-B-Que, potatoe salad, beans, fruit coffee, hot rolls, tea and coffee was served to: Rev. Buell

Weekend guests of Edity Bybee were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams and Scott of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Parrot, Shawnie and Jackie of Pine Rock, Kans.

Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Rush Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. A.M. (Digger) Dean, Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hunt, Mrs. Claude Lester, Burret Kinard, and Mr. and Mrs. Mangum.

Carl Dwyer was in Crosbyton for the graduation of his niece, Jana Dwyer, daughter of Joe and Janice Dwyer, former McLean residents.

Dawn, Robin and Chris Homer of Amarillo are visiting in the home of their aunt, Mrs. Charles Milam.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Oldfield of Granite, Okla., spent the weekend in the home of their daughter Mrs. Bill Stooksberry.

Wade Shaw, a former McLean resident, and the brother of W.F. (Red) and Jinks Shaw, died Tuesday, May 27 in La Junta, Colo.

Mrs. Miro Pakan has been in San Angelo visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harris Brinson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Rice visited her brother Ben Howard in Sunray recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boyd were in Amarillo Saturday.

Mrs. Boyd Smith of Lefors visited her mother, Mrs. B.F. Williams, Wednesday.

Mrs. Jim Rice and children, Elson, Jem Ann and Shandee and Jamie Trew were in Amarillo Monday where they met Jim Rice who flew in from Sasabe, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Haney and children Mike and Desiree, and Matt and Amy Beghtel, all of Amarillo visited recently with their father and grandfather, Carl Dwyer.

Jill Trew spent the weekend in Amarillo with Carolyn Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Glass visited his sister, Miss Margaret Glass in Shamrock nursing home on Friday.

Little Miss Tiffany (Tuffy) Stump of Texhoma, Okla. is here for a months visit with her aunt and cousin Pam and Justin Phillips.

Ruth Magee, Mary Dwyer, Mary Powell and Leona Dorsey of Lefors were in Hereford Sunday for the annual John Sublett reunion.

Mrs. Dianne Whitten of Eric, Okla., was here Saturday and visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Pennington. Her daughter Kim Miller returned home with her following a 2 weeks visit.

Misty Magee and Kara Tate spent last week in Dimmitt with Misty's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dent Bradley.

Mrs. Marie Wilkins of Mera, Arkansas has been visiting Mrs. Dot McEachern.

The Dewey Penningtons were surprised Sunday when daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Vermillion of Shamrock arrived with cake and home made ice cream to celebrate both the Penningtons birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Don Bailey and daughters, Angie, Leslie, and Jennifer of Pampa visited his parents Jack and Lorena Bailey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Miller were in Pampa Monday on business.

Mrs. Jan Johnson left for Canyon where she will be attending W.T.S.U. this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wink Gideon were in Wellington Friday.

Mrs. Louise Johnson and grandson Darren were in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Trew visited the Carl Laughlins in Wheeler Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Crockett and children of Pampa visited their parents Mrs. Mary Crockett and Mr. and Mrs. Vestal Bailey during the weekend.

The Sparlin family enjoyed a family reunion at the health Methodist Church Saturday.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Doyl Sparlin, Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Davis, both of McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Doyl Sparlin and son Jackie; Terry Clint Gray, both of Wheeler; Mr. and Mrs. D.E. Sparlin and granddaughter Whitney, of Lawton, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. T.G. Clement and 10dd of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Olen Thomas of Los Alamos, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Corey Cates and son Dale of Los Alamos; and Jana and Rhonda Davis, of Amarillo.

4-H News

GRAY COUNTY 4-H COUNCIL

The Gray County 4-H Council met May 21 to elect new officers and discuss the Gray County 4-H program. Clubs represented at the meeting were: Four Clover, Mann, Top O' Texas, Lefors, Grandview, and Baker.

Officers of 1980-81 include: Chairman - Teresa Woods; First Vice-Chairman - Deb Crockett; Second Vice-Chairman - Amy Brainerd; and Secretary/Treasurer - Penny Miller.

Teresa and Deb will represent Gray County as members of the District 1 4-H County Council.

JUNE IS 4-H "ROUNDUP" TIME

June is "Roundup" time in Texas - 4-H Roundup, that is. The 34 Annual Texas 4-H Roundup will be held at Texas A&M University June 3-4. More than 2,000 4-H members, volunteer leaders and coaches will invade the College Station campus for 40 action-packed hours of competition and fun.

Six Gray County youth will participate in Roundup this year. Clint Miller, Doug Youree and Steve Thurman will participate in the Rifle Contest. Rhonda and Teresa Woods will compete in a Horse Demonstration and Sally Youngblood will compete in a Pork Demonstration.

Roundup is the culmination of competitive events which began at the local community level months earlier. Winners at county and district levels will be vying for top honors in the statewide competition.

4-H members 14-19 years of age will present method demonstrations and illustrated talks in 25 contest areas ranging

from electricity to sheep. They will also use their skills in eight judging and evaluation events from meats identification to soils judging. And 4-H'ers will demonstrate their skills in marksmanship in the rifle contest, in speaking before groups in the public speaking contest, and in entertainment techniques in the share-the-fun contest.

Other events which are a part of Roundup include the State 4-H Food Show and the State 4-H Project Show. The food show allows members to exhibit food dishes which they have prepared and to answer questions about nutrition as posed by the judges. The project show involves hundreds of 4-H members in displays and exhibits depicting their particular project interest, from aerospace to crafts of all sorts.

One of the highlights of Roundup will be the awarding of Texas 4-H Foundation Scholarships. This year, 71 4-H members will receive college scholarships worth \$340,000 or an average of \$4,789 per recipient. These scholarships are made possible by friends of 4-H from business, industry and organizational representatives of the private sector.

Roundup will also spotlight the achievements of adults who serve as volunteers in the 4-H program. The Roundup Leaders' Luncheon on June 4th will honor 28 of the state's most outstanding 4-H volunteers. These are representatives of the more than 20,000 persons who serve as 4-H volunteers in Texas each year.

June is a busy month for 4-H'ers as Roundup leads the way. It is fun, exciting and rewarding because at 4-H Roundup, everyone is a winner.

Hobby Club Meets May 21

The Swap-A-Hobby Club met May 21 with Clara Hupp as hostess. The meeting was opened with the club prayer. "The Bridge" by Longfellow was read as a devotional. Bea Lester conducted the business meeting. A letter from Girls Town was read, stating items needed. The club voted to send some of these items every three months.

Bea Lester received the hostess gift. Maggie Ruth Johnston and other members showed some handmade articles and those wishing to learn to use a new decorative paint are asked to bring articles to the next meeting.

Refreshments were served to Bea Lester, Loretta Barker, Ramah Lou Lankford, Jerry Corbin, Virginia Tate, Emily Rippey, Sophia Hutchison, and Maggie Ruth Johnston.



America's Yesterdays
Oliver Jensen

A collection of fantastic photographs, taken from the archives of the Library of Congress, will hold your undivided interest from the front cover to the back. Many of these history recording pictures are taken by famous early photographers

but many are also contributed by totally unknown authors, and were found in uncatalogued, previously unused collections from the archives. Interesting sections such as: "Where the Buffalo Roamed," "A Call of the High Country," "Rank and Station," "Kind Hearts," "The Marchers," "Imperial America," "The Power and the Glory" and many other, accurately depict the progress of our country from the days of the earliest photographs.

Pictures showing ladies of the night, cowboys, soldiers, politicians, laborers, minorities, and presidents grace the pages of this volume sure to be enjoyed by all with any interest at all in the history of our great country. From the replica of Indian Chiefs in all their finery to Teddy Roosevelt on his horse, this book will be as entertaining as any you can find, and most especially if you are a student of photography, as many scenes can not be seen anywhere except in this presentation. I heartily recommend "America's Yesterdays," and it is now available for your enjoyment at Lovett Memorial Library.

Samuel Haynes

In 1900, American player Dwight Davis donated the Davis Cup for international men's team tennis. Hazel Hotchkiss Wightman donated the Wightman Cup in 1923 for competition between U.S. and British women's teams.

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Jim has served 14 years on the McLean Volunteer Fire Department, the last seven years as chief. He is also actively involved with the ambulance service, having devoted numerous hours of training to become a certified paramedic.

We his friends have seen his dedication and dependability through his volunteer services and realize how valuable he is to the Fire Department, as well as to the community. We feel Jim would be fair and just in all his decisions and that he is most qualified to serve as constable for the area as well as continue his volunteer services for the Fire Department and Ambulance Service.

We ask that the people of McLean support Jim in this election as he has supported our community and will continue to do so. Could McLean afford to lose such a man?

- Jim Parker
- Mike Johnson
- Roy McMullen
- Thacker Haynes
- Wendell Ridgway
- Danny Rice

VOTE SATURDAY

(Paid political ad, paid for by Jim Barker, Mike Johnson, Roy McMullen, Thacker Haynes, Wendell Ridgway, and Danny Rice.)

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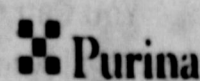
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COMMUNITY PROFILE

By Carol Allison

If it looks like oil, smells like oil and taste like oil...then by cracker-it must be OIL. The geologist laugh at this mild-mannered, usually good-natured job at their scientific investigations.

Some call it "black gold" and others "Texas tea"-you can get hit with the "fever"-and make it rich or be flat-out broke.

And according to Roy Barker of McLean, involved in the oil business for over 50 years, "it put us where we are today."

Barker, a ruddy, husky man of 76, remembers with clarity the Borger oil boom and ad-

mits, "I drilled over the town site of Borger before there was a Borger built."

Barker comes from a long line of oil drilling men. His grandfather, E.P. Hatch, was an early day pioneer on cable tool drilling in Pennsylvania and eventually followed the oil field boom west to Augusta, Kan. in 1916.

His father Bert was in the "drilling business all his life." Roy and his son Rodney have followed the family trade and tradition for this exciting, back-breaking, sometimes profitable and sometimes unprofitable business.

Barker admits proudly, "I know a lot about the oil drilling business."

He worked on farms in Kansas-stacking hay, baling hay and working on steam thrashing machines "till I got big enough to work in the oil fields," he adds.

"I was just a 'flunky' for years-dressing tools," said Barker. A tool dresser sharpens the bits for drilling and helps the driller.

"Back in those days (1920's) you had to be pretty husky and pretty good to get oil field work."

"You used to have to be an apprentice on a couple of wells, and work for nothing before you could draw your pay. If you didn't make a hand, they just eliminated you-it was unknown back in those days to start drilling before you had dressed tools for at least five years."

Barker got started as a young man because "there weren't better jobs than those in the oil field."

"If you could get someone to give you a job," he adds. The competition was great-"everybody came from everywhere to work in the oil field."

"Cowboys got 20 or 30 dollars a month-bacon and beans. I could make \$300 a month when school teachers couldn't make over \$90."

"Of course," he smiles, "I couldn't do any school teaching either."

Barker started to work with steam rigs and cable tools when he was 20 years old. The wells were drilled by heavy stand drilling bits-a "spudder" that actually hammered the hole into the earth; percussion drilling, more commonly known as cable tool, as opposed to modern day rotary drilling. The rig was powered by a steam boiler and engine.

According to Barker, "I like them better than anything we've had since." This type of standard cable tool rig put "American on wheels," said Barker.

"There were 12,000 wells drilled in Wheeler, Gray, Hutchinson and Carson counties by cable tools and steam engine."

Barker worked on the first oil well on the Morse Ranch in 1926 for Angus and McFann Contractors, now known as Nabob Oil and Gas.

And in 1929, he drilled his first oil well on the Gething Ranch, north of McLean, and the first well on the Webb Ranch in 1930.

He drilled a 5,000 barrel-a-day oil well on the Chapman Ranch in the '20s and smiles "a person would fall over dead now to get a well that big."

In 1953, his son Rodney went into business with him. By this time Barker had six drilling rigs. His brothers, Shannon and James of McLean worked as drillers and tool pushers. They had over 100 employees at one time.

"1968 is about the last drilling I've done...I had to shut-down because of all the government controls on gas and oil," said Barker.

Barker is adamant about the government regulations that plague the oil business. And quickly adds, "don't get me started on the government, cause I'd never quit talking."

When asked how he felt about the windfall profits tax, "It's highway thievery...unconstitutional from the very start...and the government should get out of the oil business and quit trying to tell everybody how to run a business they don't know anything about."

"The land owners and royalty owners are beginning to find out what the oil people have been up against."

"I don't know what they're going to do with the billions of dollars they have taken...but they can find a place to spend it in Washington."

Regarding the new upsurge of oil speculation in the area now-Barker considers it "a promoters holiday and dream."

Barker has seen many changes in the oil business through the years. Many new terms have replaced the old-from calling a man a "tool dresser or drillers helper" to "roughneck." He remembers when oil was five cents a barrel in the 30s and a time when a man's word was his contract.

"I never signed a contract the 25 years I drilled...my word was good."

He recalls a time before all the "new, expensive, electronic equipment was on a well sit."

"It used to be that you had to put a cost on doing something-if it was too high, people just didn't do it. Now there's no limit. They just do it with money...not brains."

"Well, I believe a monkey could drill a well if he had enough money," laughs Barker, "providing he could fool around long enough."

"I like the old times," says Barker, and proudly states, "I never got anybody killed and never anybody hurt bad on my rigs."

Barker grins, "and I never owned any company insurance either."

Barker married Charlene Carroll in 1975. He has one son, Rodney who lives with his wife Martha and children Amy and Pam in Shamrock.

His daughter, Rebecca and husband Bob Stubbs, grandchildren Theron, Scott, and Lee Erin live in McLean.

He has one stepson, Chris Carroll and his wife Ardine, son Scott and daughter Paula of Grovetown, Ga.

Lefors Briefs

The Lefors Community Improvement group will meet June 7 at 7:30 p.m. for a salad supper. Each person attending is requested to bring a salad. Plans for the July 4th celebration will be made.

Meledy Story is home from the hospital and recovering slowly.

Ray Gossett is home from the hospital and doing fine.

The James Todd family went to Amarillo and spent the night with Mrs. Edna Armstrong, Sue's grandmother.

The Lefors High School building is getting a new roof.

Claude and Helen Lamb are spending a week's vacation at McLellan Lake.

Alanreed Briefs

The Alanreed Homecoming in it's 44th year will meet June 8th in the Alanreed gym. Registration will begin at eleven o'clock. A program will follow at 12 o'clock. After the program and announcements, dinner will be spread and much renewing of old ties will take place. Come!

The Alanreed Cemetery Association met June 2nd in the school cafeteria with President W.O. Hommel presiding. Minutes were read by Nita McKee and approved. Treasurer's report was given, and a report on the progress of cleaning up and the sale of lots was also made. The hiring of a maintenance man was also discussed.

Onie Gibson was on the sick list on Sunday.

Nell Fulbright was on the sick list this week and also suffered a broken toe.

The Alanreed Homemaker's Club met May 28 in the home of Nell Keese with six members and two visitors present. Ruth McLain presided and the scripture Isaiah 37-3 was read by Nell Keese. Roll call was "A woman I admire," and was answered by Anita Bruce, Lena Carter, Nell Keese, Kaye Halum, Polly Harrison and Ruth McLain. The program on "Trends in Fabrics" was given by Lena Carter. Refreshments of cake, coffee and tea were served by the hostess. It was decided to have only one meeting in the months of June, July and August and mostly to be socials.

Visiting the Robert Bruce's this week are Shawn, Kaye and Paul Bruce, their grandchildren, as their mother underwent surgery on Tuesday.

The W.H. Davis' remained in Amarillo several days last week attending graduation exercises for their granddaughter and unsuspected funeral rites for son John's wife's mother. Mrs. Ross had been ill for sometime but died rather suddenly.

Polly Harrison went to Amarillo Friday to daughter Jeanie's to help out with the children. Jeanie is working on her Master's degree this summer.

Visiting the W.H. Davis' here last week were Frances and Bob Corbin, Hattie TerBush and Ellen Stapp of Groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Lavern Goldston were in Amarillo last week for a medical check on Mr. Goldston's broken leg. Reports o.k.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruce were called to Pampa Sunday due to the illness of their daughter-in-law.

Lefors Lions Plan Jubilee

The Lefors Lions met recently for their regular meeting and decided to have Lions Jubilee July 26. The Lions are also selling tickets on half-a-beef. Attending the meeting were

Plan Jubilee

Wendell Akjns, Jerrell Julian, Ralph Hix, Ben White, Walter Elliott, Walter Jackson, Dick Sierman, David Livingston, Dale Garrett, and one guest - Rev. Gene Lancaster.



A joke making the rounds in 1964 went like this-Lyndon Johnson declared a war on poverty today-so they went out and arrested a bunch of beggars. About that same time, there was a poverty study, which in effect said: People are poor, because they don't have any money.

There are many statistics, regarding who gets educated, who doesn't and why. There is more educational opportunity now, than there was in the past. ANYBODY CAN GO TO COLLEGE! No excuse then, for black, white or anybody to pass up such a chance. If they don't take advantage of all this-I SAY THEY ARE LAZY. That's what is wrong with them anyway-NO INCENTIVE! They don't want to be any better.

What we have had, and have today, in most large cities-are little boys and girls-6,8,10 years old-living in tenements. Funny, when you are 6 and

getting ready for school-in an empty, ratty tenement there is sort of a "the whole world must be this empty," feeling. Mama has gone to work-or-someplace. NO INCENTIVE. But then you are 6 and don't know words like incentive and opportunity. When you come home, there is a nice hot meal on the table, a happy family praising you, helping you learn-everybody has that-anyone who reads Good Housekeeping knows that-cheer up little boy-you can grow up to be like your daddy-wonder who he was?

Cuban refugees-don't worry. You are in the land of the free, home of the brave where "Bring us your poor, your huddled masses,"-Christian principles prevail. Pretty people dress up, drive nice cars to a fancy building every week, just to talk about how much they love God and ALL mankind. They will welcome you.

What's wrong? You are afraid, lonely? The camp is crowded, hot? They didn't welcome you-they-they PROCESSED YOU-a lonely word in any language. I have not been processed. I will soon be processed. Tomorrow they will welcome us. Their God is love. They will love us.

CREATIVE AMERICAN CINEMA

THEY GOT THE STORY

When an emergency leaves a cameraman out in the cold, a reliable two-way radio can save the day.

It happened at Lake Placid, N.Y., during the official filming of the 1980 Winter Olympic games. A cameraman was poised on the slope at the men's downhill ski event.

Suddenly, as the event was about to begin, he discovered the camera magazine had frozen. Unless it was replaced within minutes, his filming of this important event would be lost.

"I grabbed my Handie-Talkie portable radio and ordered a replacement magazine," he recalled.

At the finish line, an assistant heard the call. He quickly got a replacement magazine, boarded a ski lift, rode to the top, skied the new magazine downhill and delivered it to the camera crew in time to catch the first skier.

With the wind-chill factor dropping temperatures to the equivalent of 55° below, camera lubricants can freeze, batteries can fail. But, says Rodney Jacobs, president, Freewheelin' Films, Ltd.: "Our work would have been impossible without the absolute reliability of those Motorola units. They didn't freeze. With all the snow, cold, slush, banging around and virtually constant use from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m., the Motorola Handie-Talkies kept us together as a team. For this particular production, instant communications were as valuable to us as our cameras."

Jacobs was organizer of Lake Placid Film Productions and the film historian of the Winter Olympics.

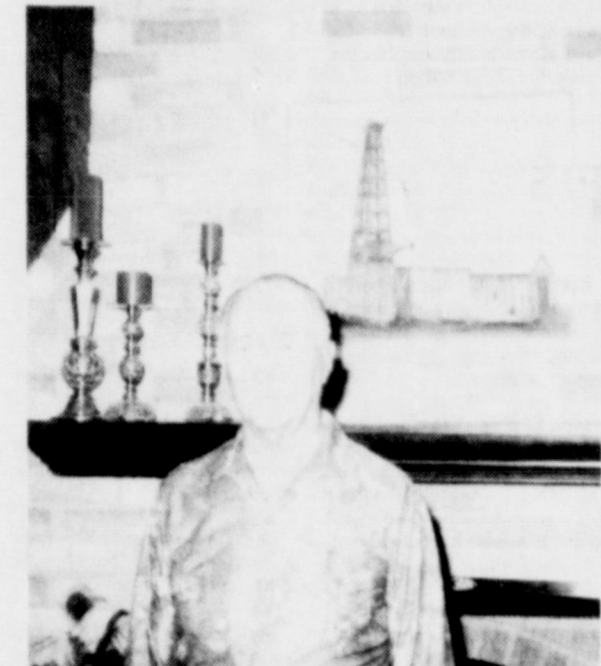
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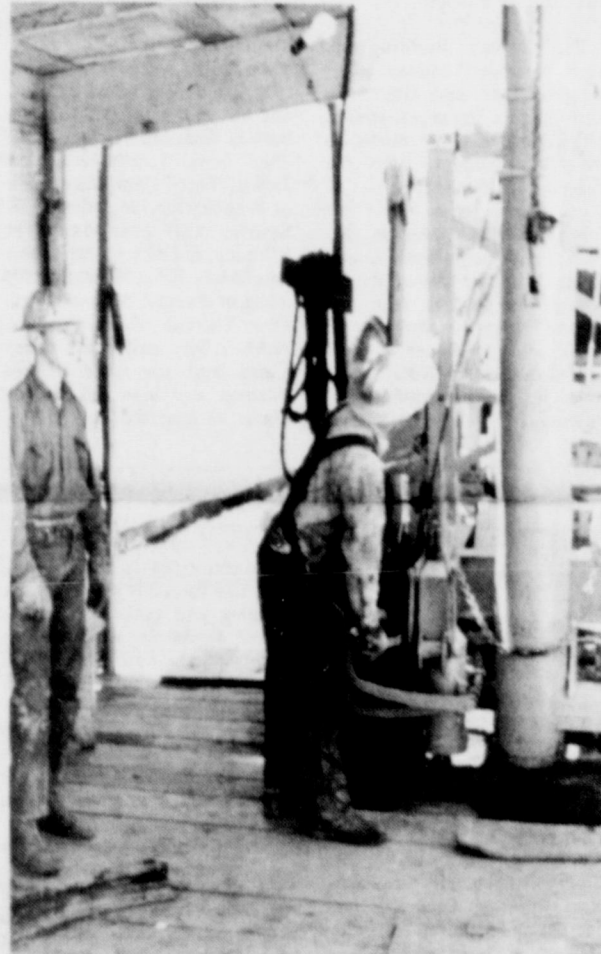


FDIC

American National Bank in McLean



OIL MAN ROY BARKER is the subject of this week's Community profile. He is shown standing in front of a painting of the first oil rig on the Webb ranch north of McLean. (Photo by Lisa Patman)



BARKER MAKES AN adjustment on a rig as his son Rodney looks on. This photo was made in 1953.

TENNIS TRIVIA



Tennis was introduced in the U.S. in 1874 by sportsman Mary Ewing Outerbridge. The first U.S. tennis court was established on Staten Island, New York.



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- FLORIDA INDIAN RIVER RUBY RED **Grapefruit** LB. **29¢**

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New Hours 8 - 6





A CROSS-COUNTRY SKATER who is raising money for the Muscular Dystrophy fund paused in McLean Saturday. (Photo Courtesy of Rush Turner)

Skater Crosses Country For Charity

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The information for the following story was provided by Rush Turner who visited with Ron Mossler, and brought the information to the McLean News.)

Even the most avid roller-skater might not be interested in skating 7000 miles, but Ron Mossler of Los Angeles, Calif. is doing just that in an effort to raise \$100,000 for muscular dystrophy.

Mossler left Los Angeles May 8 and hopes to arrive in Philadelphia July 4 and then skate back to Las Vegas in time for the Jerry Lewis Labor Day Telethon Sept. 1.

Mossler, a 20-year-old economics/management major at the University of the City of Los

Angeles, said that his biggest set back has been that his van broke down for four days. Also he said the wind in Texas had been very bad.

He said the biggest plus to his method of travel had been the people he had met.

Mossler averages 60-70 miles per day. He said the old world's record was 4800 miles set by a Canadian on the Trans-Canada highway several years ago.

Mossler is also planning a cross country relay with thousands of people skating one-mile legs for 1981.

Anyone wishing more information about the relay or who would like to make donations to the muscular dystrophy fund can write Roller-Ron For Muscular Dystrophy, 10525 Wilkins Ave., Los Angeles, Calif. 90024.

In The Kitchen

by Linda Haynes



The old fashioned recipes are usually the best! The following recipes have all been handed down in my husband's family. I had heard my father-in-law talking about a "vinegar roll" which his mother prepared back in Missouri, and he swore it was delicious somehow the name made me think that it couldn't be too good, but last week at my sister-in-law's house, I ate this fabulous dessert and decided that it is one of my favorites too! Joyce tried to make up the recipe from John's description, and he says that she has it down to perfection. Try these desserts!

VINEGAR ROLL
By Joyce Haynes, from a dish by Mrs. A.W. Haynes.

Pie Crust: 2 cups flour
1 cup shortening
1 tsp. salt
1 tsp. sugar
1/2 c. cold water.
Prepare pie crust, roll out and spread with:
1 1/2 stick melted oleo
1 1/2 cup sugar
1 tsp. cinnamon
Roll up. Cut rolls in long pieces. Place in long pyrex dish. Mix 1 cup water and 1/2 cup vinegar. Pour over crust. Bake at 350 degrees for 40 minutes.

The next recipe is also a rather unusual dessert which was a favorite of my husband when he was a little boy. There is not a typographical error in the recipe. You put the meringue on before baking in an unbaked crust. The meringue is somewhat flat and thin.

PINEAPPLE PIE
By Minnie Morse Haynes
5 egg yolks
2 T. flour
2 Cups sugar
1/2 Cup butter
1 tall can crushed pineapple
1 Cup milk
Combine ingredients. Place in unbaked pie crust. Top with

whipped egg whites. Bake at 450 degrees for five minutes, and 350 degrees until thickened.

And one last Haynes family recipe, this one also has an unusual ingredient, but it is delicious.

SOUR CREAM PIE
By Minnie Morse Haynes
1 cup sour cream
1/2 Cup sugar
3 egg yolks
1 tsp. cornstarch
1/2 Cup raisins
1 tsp. cinnamon
Beat egg yolks; add cornstarch and cream and sugar. Cook until thick. Add raisins. Cool. Put in baked pie shell with meringue topping. Place back in oven until meringue is brown.

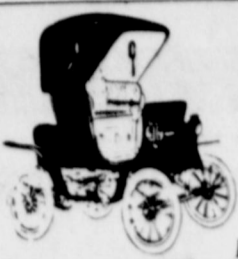
Summer Classes Set At MHS

Summer homemaking classes will be conducted through the month of June at the Home-making department of McLean High School.

Sewing classes are being offered and other classes are being considered. Both adults and high school students are welcome to participate. Students can receive a half credit if they have had homemaking one year. Eighth grade students are welcome to come and see what homemaking classes might be like and look at the department, according to Mrs. Mary Lou Glass, homemaking instructor.

The department will be open from 9 a.m. to 12 and from 1 p.m. until 3 p.m. Monday through Friday for these classes during the week of June 9-13 and June 16-20.

The other time will be spent with FHA Encounter and home visits. Anyone interested should contact Mrs. Glass at the high school (779-2491).



DOWN MEMORY LANE

From the files of The McLean News

by Sam Haynes

10 YEARS AGO
E.M. BAILEY, ED.
Visiting in the Josh Chilton home Memorial Day were Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Chilton and Renee, Mr. and Mrs. Duwayne Blackshear, Debbie, Sandy and Royce.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith met their son and granddaughter, the Raymond Smiths of Farmington, N.M., and their daughter, the Leroy Blacklocks at Andrews, on Saturday. They all went to Carlsbad, N.M., and toured the caverns there.

20 YEARS AGO
CHARLES CULLIN, ED.

Five bruised, battered, dirty, but happy boys emerged Saturday night from the calf scramble with some real cattle filling their halters in the final night of the 66 rodeo performances. From a field of 18 boys, five took home a calf of their own, with the only price being the scramble it took to catch one and haul it to the judge. Boys winning calves were Ernie McCracken, Joe B. Taylor, Donnie Woods, Gary Clawson and Bill Goldston.

Truitt Johnson won the post of Commissioner of Precinct 4 Saturday by a margin of 141 votes in the second Democratic primary election.

Mrs. Frank Rodgers presented her piano pupils in recital at the Methodist church in May, 31. Those appearing on the program were Diana and Vicky Bunch, Jamie Brown, Rachel Suderman, Tommy and Sandra Greenwood, Jimmy and Janice Barker, Clint and Troy Don Corbin, Toni and Teresa Mer-tel, Donna and Janelle Hall, Marilyn Magee, Dorothy and Joyce Beasley, Terry Taylor, Regina Leonard, Linda Evans, Norma Page and Vickie Kunkel.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harlan and Mrs. Billy Frank Harlan and children, Shawn and Monte Lee, of Bueyeros, N.M., are visiting in the J.J. Railsback home and with other relatives.

30 YEARS AGO
LESTER CAMPBELL, ED.
Eric Glenn Fulbright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fulbright of McLean, will receive his bachelor of music degree from Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill., Monday night at commencement exercises at Evanston.

W.C. Meharg, who is being transferred to Hereford by the Southwestern Public Service Co., was presented a wrist watch at the Tuesday meeting of the McLean Lions Club for his support of club activities during the time he has lived here.

James "Bucky" Cooke, son of Mrs. Vita Cooke of McLean, has been employed for the summer by the Southwestern Public Service Co., and will work with the company's engineering department out of Amarillo. Cooke, who is studying electrical engineering at Texas Tech and who has been an outstanding scholar in his studies thus far, has been working with the power company here each summer.

40 YEARS AGO
T.A. LANDERS, ED.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cousins, Mrs. J.W. Story and Miss Jewell Cousins attended graduating exercises at the University of Oklahoma Sunday. Miss Rosalie Cousins was a member of the graduating

class. News from Pagan...The Pagan 4-H Club girls enjoyed a Weiner roast at the roadside park last Wednesday night. After the recreation and picnic, the girls attended a show in Shamrock. Those attending were: Louise Risian, sponsor, Anna Mertel, Chloe Hanes, Ernest Ruth Deering, Adella Cadra, Dorothy Mertel, Ellen Herciar and Eleanor Hanes.

News from Ramsdell...Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Knutson and children, Mr. and Mrs. D.L. Knutson and children spent Sunday evening in the Z.T. Jones home.

50 YEARS AGO
J.A. LANDERS, ED.
Lavell Christian has been appointed Boy Scout camp leader for McLean during the encampment at Diversion Dam this summer. Virgil Elms has a similar position at Almarred.

Fire caught in a closet of the building owned by Massay and Stokely, and occupied by S.E. Boyce, just across the street from the high school building Sunday night about 8 o'clock. The family had gone to church, but an alarm was turned in as soon as the fire was seen coming out of the roof, and the building was saved, with the exception of about \$450.00 damage.

Misses LaEuna Holloway and Dorothy Cantrell visited in Amarillo Wednesday.

The McLean baseball team crossed bats with the Shamrock team at Shamrock Sunday and lost with a score of 10 to 2. On account of failure to have the high school athletic field ready, the game was played in a cotton field north of highway 4, which is claimed accounts for the outcome of the game. Next Sunday's game will be played at Amarillo.

60 YEARS AGO
M.L. MOODY, ED.
Mrs. Sherrod and daughters of Almarred were in town Saturday, visiting and attending services.

W.H. Peiper and wife left Saturday for Hereford, Waco and other points, seeking to benefit Mrs. Peiper's health. Mr. Peiper writes The News from Hereford that she is feeling better already.

Adv. boy, team, and go-devil looking for work...Leslie Jones. Mesdames Crabtree, Foster and Orr left Sunday for Stillwater, Okla., where the former will make her home.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Back was buried in the local cemetery Tuesday. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. E.E. Hunt.

70 YEARS AGO
A.G. RICHARDSON, ED.
Jeff Earp left this week for Shamrock, where he will spend a few days visiting friends.

Cleary Bird, Homer West, Vester Cooke, Tom Perry and Emmett Thompson were among those who went to Clarendon on Friday of last week to witness the hanging of Miller, the murderer.

H.N. Cobb of Mangum, Ok.

la., arrive in the city Sunday and will make this place his home in the future. The gentleman is a carpenter and contractor and has his announcement in this issue of the News.

Homer Crabtree will, we are informed, open up another livery barn in the city within the next few days, occupying the stand of the old Hindman barn.

J.S. Benson is this week making a tour of the county in the interest of his candidacy for the office of sheriff.

Another example of the excellence of the fruit crop in the McLean country this season was a switch from a blackberry bush brought into town Friday of last week by Scot Johnson. The switch measures twenty-four inches long and bore two hundred and twelve berries, some of them being about ripe. Will Langley has preserved it in a gallon jar and has it on display at his soda fountain, together with various other samples of different kinds of fruit.

Drying Demonstration Set For McLean

A drying demonstration will be presented by Elaine Houston. Gray county Extension Agent, Wednesday, June 11 at 2 p.m. in the McLean Senior Citizen Center. The demonstration will feature information on drying fruits and vegetables. Directions will be given for drying and proper equipment needed to dry foods will be shown. Samples of food dried will also be shown. A drying publication will be given to those attending this free demonstration sponsored by the Gray County Family Living Committee.

Modeling Clinic Will Be June 10

Sue Fatheree will present a modeling clinic for all 4-H'ers on Tuesday, June 10 at 1 p.m. in the Church of Christ annex in McLean. She will work with the group and individuals. At 2 p.m. June 10 at the same building, a record book workshop is planned for all 4-H'ers to begin preparations on record books for this year. Clothing records are due June 30 and end-of-the-year record books are due June 14.

Hospital Report

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Otto Cooley
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Quotable Quotes

Nothing so needs reforming as other people's habits.

Mark Twain

I never think of the future. It comes soon enough.

Albert Einstein

The only true gift is a portion of yourself.

Ralph Waldo Emerson

Four things come not back—the spoken word, the sped arrow, the past life, and the neglected opportunity.

Arabian Proverb

What sunshine is to flowers, smiles are to humanity.

Joseph Addison

Brevity is the soul of wit.

William Shakespeare

Lincoln was great. He freed the slaves and put the Southern whites in bondage for the duration of their natural lives. He furnished General Grant with cigars to smoke and poor Lee had no gas mask so he had to surrender. Lincoln tried his best to prevent that war between the Democrats and the Republicans. Since then, they have been settling their difficulties at the polls with about the same results.

Will Rogers

People seem to enjoy things more when they know a lot of other people have been left out on the pleasure.

Russell Baker

When you write in prose you say what you mean. When you write in rhyme you say what you must.

Oliver Wendell Holmes

Let us agree not to step on each other's feet, said the cock to the horse.

English Proverb

As a member of an escorted tour, you don't even have to know the Matterhorn isn't a tuba.

Temple Fielding

He who fears death enjoys not life.

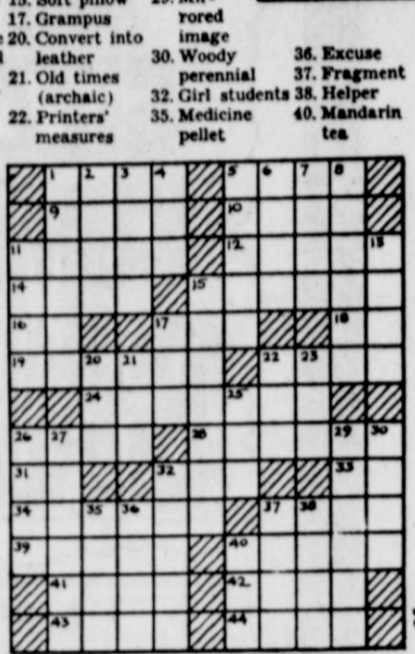
Spanish Proverb

Unhappiness is not knowing what we want and killing ourselves to get it.

Anonymous

CROSSWORD

ACROSS
1. Puppet
5. Talks
9. Cry of bacchanals
10. Cain's brother
11. Settling
12. Pondered
14. Employ
15. Coast Guard vessel
16. Public notice
17. Umpire's call
18. Father
19. Measures of length
22. Not difficult
24. Medieval chemical science
26. Grit
28. Introduce
31. Sign as correct
32. Food fish
33. Erbium (sym.)
34. Japan
37. Barroom
39. Look of pleasure
40. Republic (S. A.)
41. Extorted, as money (colloq.)
42. Conceal
43. Palm leaves (var.)
44. Summit
DOWN
1. Determine
2. Across
3. Solitary



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FOR SALE: '71 4-door Ford Galaxie-loaded. Will make nice work or school car. 779-2024. 23-1c

FOR SALE: three bedroom house, 520 N. Gray. Call 779-2715. 18-tfc

FOR SALE: 1977 Honda mini trail-bike, excellent condition. \$350.00, also for sale - Paint mare, kid broke, 15 hands - \$700.00. Call 779-2064.

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FOR SALE: Hambright Building Supply - Contact Kenneth Hambright 779-2811 or 779-2396. 13-tfc

FOR SALE: Living room suit, with hide-a-bed; divan, and several chairs. Call 779-2352. 48-tfc

FOR SALE: AIRDALE pups - 8 weeks old - make good watch dogs. Call Robert Bruce. 23-3c

FOR SALE: McLean Country Club membership. Call 779-2587 after 5 p.m. 23-4p

FOR SALE - GOOD, Barely used "One-Step" Polaroid Camera. Inquire at News Office. 22-tfc

FOR SALE - KIRBY Vacuum Cleaner with all of the attachments. Less than 5 yrs. old. \$200. Call Wandy Bailey - 779-2098 or come to 619 W. 3rd, McLean. 22-4

FOR SALE: 1979 Chevrolet Van, well-equipped, new Michelin tires, around 20,000 miles. A real bargain. Call Rush Turner. 779-8807 or 779-2138. 23-2c

PIANO LESSONS IN your home. Call 779-2037. 22-tfc

FOR SALE: Vesta Stove - \$35; black and white Maple cabinet television - \$25; ping pong table - \$75. Call 779-2684. 23-1c

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WANTED BY McLEAN ISD-bus driver - \$150 per month. Must have chauffers license, take a physical and attend a bus driving school. Custodians needed in June. Minimum wage. Prefer someone who is willing to drive a bus. 7-tfc

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LOST AND FOUND

FOUND: A CROSS pen. Owner may have it by identifying the pen. Call 779-2935. 23-tfc

LOST - ONE BLACK Cow, branded y-cross on left hip - Old prisoner of War camp. Call collect 665-5624. 23-4c

CARDS OF THANKS

I want to express my thanks to Dr. Wood and the nurses for being so nice to me while I was in the hospital. And also to the Church of Christ ladies for the Sunshine basket - Thanks again!
Truman Smith

We wish to give our whole-hearted thanks to the Volunteer Fire Department for their outstanding job of saving our house last week. Having served in the Fire Department while in the military, I full understand the efforts and training it requires for a department to operate with such efficiency and skill. The City of McLean owes their full support to this fine group of men.
Due to their expediency and a job well done, we have a home that only needs repaired instead of a complete loss of all the things that can never be replaced.
Our hats off to you men of the volunteer Fire Department.
God Bless you all and our many THANKS
The Killham family

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Sealed bids addressed to the City of McLean, Texas will be

received at the City Hall until 7:00 p.m., June 10, 1980, and then publicly opened and read for furnishing all plant, labor, material and equipment, and performing all work required for street paving.
The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality in bids received.

Plans, specifications and bidding documents may be secured from the office of Bill R. McMorris & Associates, Inc., 6300 Canyon Dr., Amarillo, Texas 79109, on deposit of fifty (\$50.00) Dollars per set which sum so deposited will be refunded, provided: (1) All documents are returned in good condition to Bill R. McMorris & Associates, Inc. not later than 48 hours prior to the time for receiving bids; or (2) The contractor submits a bid and all documents are returned in good condition to Bill R. McMorris & Associates, Inc. at the time that bids are opened.
City of McLean, Texas
By: Samuel A. Haynes, Mayor 22-2c

Notes From Your County Agricultural Agent

by Joe Van Zandt

WHEAT FIELD DAY
On Thursday, June 5 from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m., Wheat Variety Field Day will be held on the Leon Daugherty farm (Bender Place), located three miles east and 1 1/2 miles north of Pampa. Signs will direct you from High 60, 152 east of Pampa.

There are a total of fourteen wheat varieties planted under irrigation and dryland conditions. Dr. Frank Petr, Area Extension Agronomist will be present to discuss the varieties and answer questions farmers may have about several of the newer varieties including TAM 105, Vona, Linden, Newton, Wings and Rocky.

This is an informal program - come and go at your own schedule during Thursday afternoon. Parts of the fields received some recent hail damage. Everyone is invited to attend and visit informally with Dr. Frank Petr about variety characteristics and observe the varieties.

CATTLE MANAGEMENT:
Many times, cattlemen forget or put off small things that can cost them a lot of money in the long run.

Blackleg can cause deaths to calves and yearlings when we thought they were protected through vaccination. When young calves, less than three months of age are vaccinated their immunity will probably not last. Therefore, calves need to be re-vaccinated when four to six months of age. A lot of people use a three-way vaccine (CCSN) to protect their calves and yearlings grazing grass pastures. Some believe that the seven way shots give some added benefit when grazing wheat, alfalfa and other improved pastures. You may want to visit with your veterinarian on your vaccination program to fit your situation. Vaccines are cheap insurance and preventing one death will pay for a lot of vaccine with today's cattle prices.

Implant growth stimulants are another way to increase net cattle profits. Research has shown that implants improve daily gain 8 per cent to 12 per cent in stockers and feedlot cattle.

Regulation tennis balls must weigh more than 2 ounces but less than 2-1/16 ounces. According to A-T-O Inc.'s Fred Perry Sportswear, there are no rules covering the weight and size of tennis rackets.



Join me, good brothers and sisters, as we strike out against the evil temptations which lurk in our attitudes toward the lowly salad and the pitiful flower bed. Stand up and be counted in the march for cut arrangements. Raise your voices in songs of praise for the ornamental orange tree. Yeah, verily, I say unto you, save yourself now - stop taking the petunia for granted!
Or - don't. Who cares?

There is considerable interest in implanting suckling calves with growth stimulants where improvement in weaning weights of from 20 to 25 pounds have resulted with the use of Raigro.

It is also time for cattle grub control, another proven money making management practice. Heel fly attacks and grub infestations cause indirect losses such as reduced rate of gains on both calves and yearlings.

Heel flies and resulting grubs may reduce cow beef production by enough to produce 40 pounds of additional calf weight at weaning time. Grubby animals may require up to 15 percent more feed for the same amount of gain than grub-free animals.

Systemic insecticides for cattle grub control may be administered as dips, sprays, or pour-ons. Administer treatments between May 1 and September 1 preferably soon after May 1 for best results. Treatments after September 1 are more likely to result in adverse side effects. Do not treat animals for grub control and drench on the same day. Follow all precautions and restrictions listed on the product label.

Choose the insecticide and treatment that best fits your operation. The smart operator will spend a few dollars on these management practices and in return, more pounds of beef will pass across the scales pay day.

Loose Marbles

by Lisa Patman

The other day a kid I know asked me where I got the ideas for my columns, implying, I think, that I steal the files of incurable psychiatric patients, rifle through them, and purloin the most psychotic thoughts. Not so, I can, by simply wandering to the post office and glancing through the mail, come across some truly inspiring ideas which are quite easily molded into columns.

Take, for example, the news release which crossed my desk recently. It said, and I quote, "It's time to stop taking the petunia for granted." That is a really mind-boggling thought. There I was, trying to find a solution for inflation, struggling against the pitfalls of taxation, worrying about the rising costs of education, desperately trying to weigh the pros and cons of the presidential candidates, when all of a sudden I realized that not only had I been unable to solve the world's problems, but I had, to my great chagrin, been taking the poor petunia for granted.

It's true, I suppose, that I have always been a little callous where the petunia is concerned, sure that if I didn't buy the last one at the greenhouse, someone else would, positive that a casual glance from me would give it enough hope to make it through another day. Alas I have failed to realize that the "fussy annual" is also an "extravagant bloomer" that enjoys being "snuggled around green shrubs." All this time I thought it was just another pretty flower.

How wrong can a person be? How callous and cynical have I let myself become? How long have I let myself think of that lovely petunia as an easy flower that I could pick up at my own convenience? What kind of filthy, unthinking pervert would treat the long-suffering petunia in such a manner?

And if I have let myself become so disgusting about the petunia, think of the other things I have taken for granted. Think of the times I have devoured sunflower seeds, mindless of the sunflower who gave it all just to satisfy my mad cravings. Ponder the fate of the sesame plant that spent itself so that I might have seeds to top my hamburger buns. Remember the pitiful peanut and its martyrdom, grinding itself to a pulp just so I might have a peanut butter sandwich. What kind of sadistic monster have I become?

Never again will I thoughtlessly toss aside that sprig of parsley which so gracefully adorns my plate. No more will I feel such gay abandonment as I toss pepper onto my eggs. Nevermore shall I so casually yank the middle out of a helpless bit of honeysuckle just to taste a little sweetness. From now on I will be a changed person, a tender, sensitive human being who takes time out for petunias, sunflowers, peanuts and parsley, not to mention peanut and honeysuckle, and other misunderstood unfortunates. Hallelujah, I have seen the light.

Join me, good brothers and sisters, as we strike out against the evil temptations which lurk in our attitudes toward the lowly salad and the pitiful flower bed. Stand up and be counted in the march for cut arrangements. Raise your voices in songs of praise for the ornamental orange tree. Yeah, verily, I say unto you, save yourself now - stop taking the petunia for granted!
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Nursing Center News

ACTIVITIES

The Assembly of God Church held the Sunday service this week with Bro. Myers giving the message.

The Monday Bingo game was delayed a few minutes because of the absence of the activity director and the locked door of the activity room. (Sorry, I'll try not to do it again.)

Tuesday afternoon everyone was invited to the dining room for refreshments, homemade cake and punch brought by Isabel Cousins and Mrs. Ercy Cubine. Thank you ladies so very much!

The Wednesday afternoon Bible study was held by the Assembly of God Church with Bro. Myers giving the message and Mrs. Myers leading the singing. Vinita Vick came and played the piano.

The Thursday afternoon Sing Along was held by the Assembly of God Church. Vinita Vick played the piano, Lois Myers and Betty Husted lead the songs. They also sang 3 specials.

Friday afternoon Martha Parker showed movies.

We have a new resident, Harvey Hudgins, long time local resident of McLean.

We would like to invite everyone to come visit or attend our weekly activities. The local churches rotate in holding the Sunday services, they start at 3 p.m. The Church that has the Sunday service also has the Wed. Bible Study - 2:30 and the Thursday Sing Along - 2:30 p.m.

On Monday the Senior Citizens sponsor the Bingo game - 2:00 p.m.

We are still piecing on the quilt, on Tuesday and Friday at 2:00.

Martha Parker shows movies at 4:00 on Friday.

The visiting hours for the Thomas Nursing Center are 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. every day.

VISITORS

Buck Henley was visited by J.B. Brown, John Lonsdale, Boyd Reeves, Cecil and Anita Seaney, Norman Caldwell, and Terry Dunlap.

Ed Sharp's visitors were Lorane Sharp and Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Warren of Calif.

Pinky and Lora Ledgerwood were visited by Bill and Marjorie Presley, Howard Rogers of Ama., Ila and Frank Stephens, Florence and C.R. Warren,

Maybell Nash, and Babe Brown.

Cora Atchley was visited by Ruby Tibbets, Robbyn Griffin, Marguerite Burr, Irene Hunt, Jim and Rhonda Hunt, Rev. and Mrs. Z.A. Myers, Dood Turner Willie Nicholas, Kay Hammonds, Juanita and Raymond Smith, Betty and Sonny Smith, Pauline Miller, John B. Rice, Bertha Smith and Ed Haynes.

J.E. Smith's visitors were Ruby Tibbets, Robbyn Griffin, Marguerite Burr, Irene Hunt, Jim and Rhonda Hunt, Rev. and Mrs. Z.A. Myers, Dood Turner, Willie Nicholas, Kay Hammonds, Juanita and Raymond Smith, Betty and Sonny Smith, Pauline Miller, John B. Rice, Bertha Smith, and Ed Haynes.

Oscar Kenney was visited by Mr. and Mrs. John Kenney, Mrs. Oscar Kenney, Mr. and Mrs. Dwane Kenney, Lennie and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Kenney, and Verla Jean Honna.

Eva Franks was visited by Elsie Morilla, Roger Myers, Rev. and Mrs. Z.A. Myers, Willie Nicholas, Kay Hammonds, Tiffany Lopez, Betty

Lopez, Ginger Morillo. Kitty Hesy's visitors were Elsie Morilla, Roger Myers, Z.A. and Lois Myers, Willie Nicholas, Kay Hammonds, Ginger Morilla, Tiffany and Betty Lopez.

Lizzy Henry was visited by Roy and Charlene Barker.

Alma Weaver's visitors were Charles and Catherine Weaver, and Mary D'Spain.

Verna Bible's visitors were Ruth and Jake Bible.

Drucie Dwyer's visitors were Tina Dwyer, Jean Marie Dwyer, April Dwyer, Archie and Joan Dwyer of Hereford, Mary Ann, Ed, and Mike Desiree of Ama, Matt Dwyer of Calif, Carl Dwyer, Mrs. Joyce Morgan, Rose and Dale Steel, Shorty and Thelma Martin, Cleo and Cliff Heasley of Ama, Christella and Ray Gossett, of Lefors, Ann Brown, Vera (Wilson) Butler of Claude, Robbie Wilson, Grace Glenn, Grace Hanner, Oraiou Howard, Sue Cubine, Myrtle Allen, Gladys Smulcer, Mitch Reynolds, Al Rogers, Catherine Weaver, Nora Milham, Margaret Coleman, Lyndon Dwyer, Maybell Nash, Babe Brown, Charles Weaver, Pauline Miller, Mary D'Spain, and Sue Marsh.

Ruth Kemp was visited by Winifred Rice, Cleo and Cliff

Heasley, Orlieu Howard, Grace Windom, Nora Milham, Kate MacDonald, Babe Brown, Charles Weaver, Pauline Miller.

Maybell Weeks was visited by Cleo Cliff Heasley, Orlieu Howard, Grace Windom, Nora Milham, Kate MacDonald, Pauline Miller.

Jewel Cousins was visited by Kate MacDonald, Rev. and Mrs. Joe Walker and Isabel Cousins.

Odessa Beeman was visited by Ann and Clarence Pierce.

Mary Turner's visitors were Vernon and Louise Turner, Bill and Christy Turner, Joe Turner, Syble Holland, Dood Turner, Fritz and Auna, Ivan and Willie Turner.

Effie Phillips was visited by Dood Turner.

Flora Humphreys was visited by Ruby Bidwell, Ruth Glass, Jeanette Fish, Dan Fish, Maybell Nash, Babe Brown, and Donna, Taryn and Scott Heckendorn.

Mary Treat was visited by Larry Back, Margaret Back, Marjorie Turnage, Ruby Bidwell, Betty Lowe, Steve Treat, and Shawn Hatcher.

Katie Burdine, June Hough, Dood Turner, Joe Turner, Syble Holland, Barney Lowe, Bettye Lowe, Jeanette Fish, Maggie Johnston, Mary D'Spain, David McCabe and John Robert McCabe.

James Crocker was visited by Perry Crocker and family and Vinita Vick and Family.

Maude Nall's visitors were Gwen and Skinnie Putman, Etoyle Best, Gladys Smulcer, Myrtle Allen, and Rev. and Mrs. Z.A. Myers.

Ida Hinton was visited by Lois and Harry, Mrs. Cecil Nicholas, Archie Clawson, Edna Price, Juanita Smith.

Lula Crisp was visited by Marguerite Burr, Enloe Crisp, Betty Lowe, Esther Manley, Frank Worsham.

Opal Reeves was visited by Boyd and Annie Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Erskine of Ft. Worth.

Lona Jones was visited by Marie Immel, Isabel Cousins, Grace Hanner, Margaret Coleman, Rev. and Mrs. Z.A. Myers, Kate MacDonald, Mrs. James Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. S.A. Cousins, Sam Haynes Pauline Miller and Rev. and Mrs. Walker.

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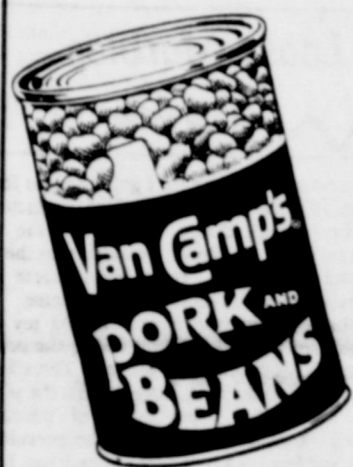
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