

OPINIONS

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

Here They Come!

Get ready for the onslaught! The people in the rest of the country have found out our secret, and they are moving to Texas in droves.

The 1980 census figures are finally official (maybe) and they tell the story of a giant exodus out of the Ice Belt of the Northeast, into the warm climes of the greater Southwestern United States. Because of this exodus to the sunshine, the state of Texas will have more political clout than in recent years. We now rank third in population, and have picked up three seats in the House of Representatives because of the population shift.

All of this change in population means that officials on the state level, officials on the county level, and city officials need to begin looking ahead and planning for a growing population.

We should learn a lesson from the over-crowded, poverty stricken areas in the Northeast, and plan the growth in this state. Some of Texas' metropolitan areas are already experiencing severe pollution and dangerous overcrowding. But progressive thinking state officials can prevent further problems by working at long-range plans for state growth.

Sudden growth and the arrival of many new people is a "problem" that many residents of McLean would like to see happen to our town. But this boon could become a curse if proper planning is not done.

The city council, the Chamber of Commerce, and other organizations concerned with McLean need to begin thinking about the future and developing plans for it.

A study showing projected population, possible needs for water, natural gas, and electricity, housing needed, health facilities needed, and public school facilities needed should be undertaken in the near future by these groups, because sooner or later this phenomenal growth in Texas will come our way.

Are we ready for a McLean with a population of 3,000?

DISTAFF

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1979 Christmas season cash drawings, 1980 Christmas season home decorating contest, the publication of a brochure boosting McLean which has been mailed to various industries, the industrial seminar in McLean, the distribution of many letters about McLean, the investigation of renovating old buildings and tearing down wrecked buildings.

The chamber is planning a membership banquet for March, with a very special speaker.

If you live in McLean and are interested in its progress, you should be a member of this group and attend the meetings. Together, we can accomplish anything!

New Arrivals

Gary and Marsha Points of East Barnard are the parents of a girl, Mary-Evelyn Elizabeth, born Dec. 14 in Houston. She weighed 5 lbs., 14 oz. and was 18 inches long.

Grandparents are Mrs. Ben Points of Tyler, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hunt of McLean.

"All progress is based upon a universal desire on the part of every organism to live beyond its income." Samuel Butler

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Fry are the parents of a daughter, Shanna Dawn, born Jan. 6 in Pampa. She weighed 5 lbs. and 8 oz.

Grandparents are Mrs. Alberta Fry of McLean and Mr. and Mrs. Vandal Mathews of Pampa. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Elaine Sims of McLean and Mr. and Mrs. Mathews of McLean.

"Teach thy tongue to say, 'I do not know.'" Talmud

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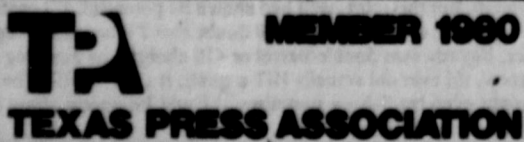
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LINES
by
LEM
O'RICKK

The Cowboys and Chargers did fall,
As Philly and Oakland stood tall;
In New Orleans they'll meet,
Though not on Bourbon street;
To fight for the Super Bowl ball!

DEATHS

ELIZABETH WILSON
Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson, 91, died Saturday at her home in McLean.
She was born July 31, 1898, in Lonsdale, Ark. She moved to Alanreed from Clarendon in 1937 and to McLean in 1961. She was married to Roy Wilson in Clarendon Dec. 13, 1908. He died in 1969. She was a member

of the Methodist Church. Graveside services were Tuesday in Hillcrest Cemetery under the direction of Lamb Funeral Directors.
Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Billie Joe Tarvin of Pampa, Mrs. Ouida Dennis of Midland; one sister, Mrs. Ara E. Gibson of Chandler; four grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

DEATHS

LUCILLE RIGDON
Mrs. Lucille Rigdon, 64, died Friday in Borger.
She was born in Quail and moved to Phillips in 1951 from McLean. She was a 1933 graduate of McLean High School. She taught at Phillips schools for 25 years and retired in 1971. She moved to Borger in 1954. Survivors include her husband, Bill; two daughters, Mrs.

Billie Joe Coats of Dallas; Mrs. Rosemary Winters of Amarillo; one sister, Mrs. Johnnie McCarrall of Midland; and four grandchildren.

LESLIE L. QUARLES
Leslie L. Quarles, 90, died Wednesday in Pampa.

Services were Friday in Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Jim Shamburger, pastor of First

Baptist Church of White Deer, officiating.

Quarles was born in Indian Territory, Okla. He had lived in the Laketon are 40 years before moving to Pampa six years ago. He was a retired farmer.

He married Frankie Barton in 1914. She died in 1978. Survivors include five sons, Johnny Quarles of Pampa, George Quarles of Red Lodge,

Mont., Wayne Quarles of Riverton, Wyo., H.P. Quarles of Kingsland and Winfred Quarles of Mobeetie; five daughters, Mrs. Frankie Derr and Mrs. Marie Howard, both of Pampa, Mrs. Eddie Sargent of Baytown, Mrs. Bertie Gallegley of White Deer and Mrs. Clara Huff of McLean; six sisters, Mrs. Eunice Hunt of Pampa,

Mrs. Alta Bush of Dallas, Mrs. Maude Blevins of Hereford, Mrs. Lennie Hooper of Littlefield, Mrs. Bertha Luckinbill of Boseman, Mon., and Mrs. Johnnie Herring of Boulder, Colo.; 33 grandchildren and 36 great-grandchildren.

OWEN LEE MORRE
Owen Lee Morre, 76, died recently in Odessa. He lived in McLean from 1928 until 1939.

He was born Aug. 15, 1904, in Glen Rose and married Madge Richerson May 19, 1940 in Borger. He was a barber and a Member of the Sherwood Church of Christ.

He is survived by his wife; one daughter, Donna Thomas of Odessa; two sisters, Opal Moore and Tressie Hall, both of Pampa; one brother, Hobart Moore of Brenham; and six grandchildren.

McLEAN JUNIOR HIGH TOURNAMENT BEGINS TODAY

Fourteen basketball teams will participate in the annual McLean Junior High Tournament at the McLean gym

beginning Thursday at 2 p.m. Girls and boys teams participating will be Hedley, Clarendon seventh grade, Clarendon eighth grade, Lakeview, Sham-

rock seventh grade, Shamrock eighth grade, and McLean.

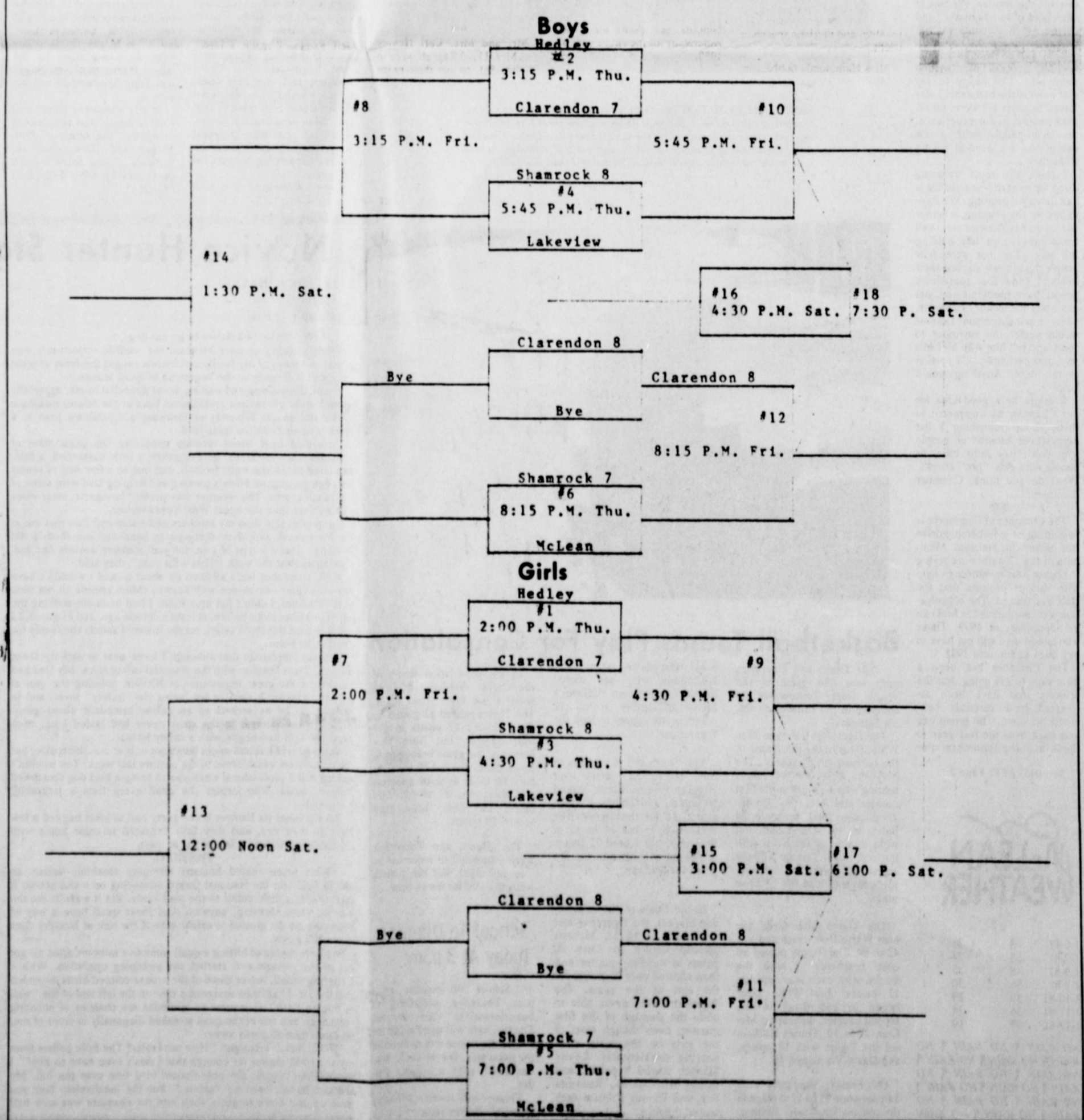
A concession stand will be open Thursday, Friday and Saturday during tournament play.

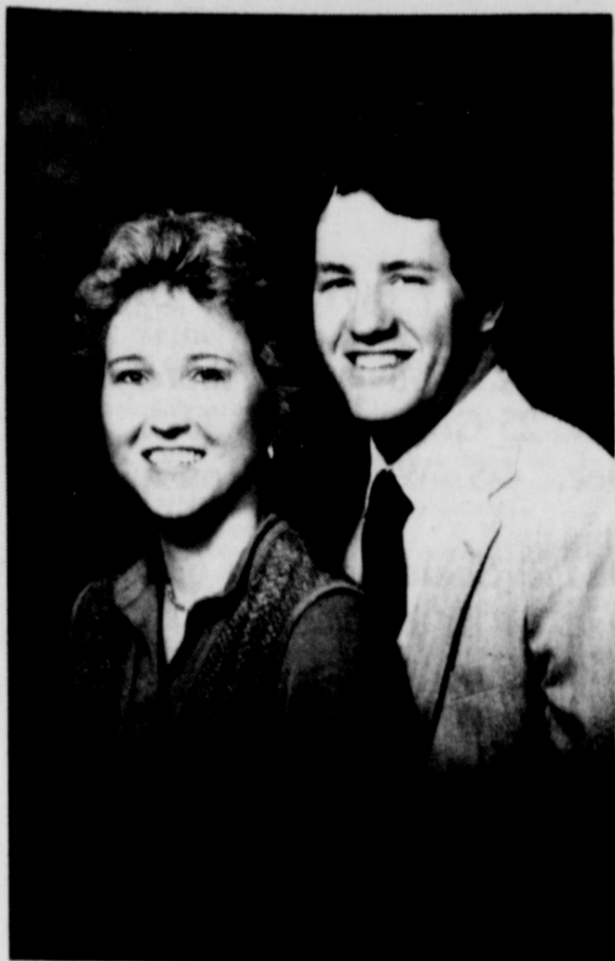
Tournament games will begin Thursday and Friday at 2 p.m. and Saturday at noon.

The first game on the schedule is Hedley girls vs. Clarendon (7) girls at 2 p.m. Thursday.

Finals in the tournament are scheduled for 6 p.m. Saturday for the girls and 7:30 p.m. Saturday for the boys.

McLean Junior High Tournament January 15, 16, 17





LISA JANE HALE AND ROYCE WAYNE CORBELL

Lisa Jane Hale, Royce Wayne Corbell Announce Wedding Date

Mr. and Mrs. Argie L. Hale of McLean are announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter Lisa Jane to Royce Wayne Corbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Royce V. Corbell of Ira. The couple will be married March 14 at the Calvary Baptist Church in Canyon at 2:30 p.m.

University for two years. She is presently employed as secretary to the Dean of Education at WTSU.

Corbell is a graduate of Ira High School and will graduate in December from WTSU where he is majoring in business management. The couple will make their home in Canyon. Friends and relatives are invited to attend the wedding.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Denver City High School and attended West Texas State

Patricia Hammonds Is Pageant Contestant

Patricia Kay Hammonds, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.



PATRICIA KAY HAMMONDS

Jay Hammonds of Dalhart, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nicholas of McLean, has been selected to compete in the 1981 Miss Texas T.E.E.N. Pageant at the Sheraton-Dallas Hotel in Dallas April 18.

The pageant is the official state-wide finals for the Miss T.E.E.N. pageant scheduled for Nov. of 1981.

Contestants will be judged on civic involvement, school activities, appearance, poise, personality, and patriotic speech or talent.

Miss Hammonds hobbies include tennis, skiing, and horse-back riding.

ALANREED BRIEFS

Jewel Warner returned home Sunday after a long holiday visit in Amarillo with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Marvin Rawlings and Mrs. Buddy Montgomery went to Dallas this week to be with Mrs. Rawling's daughter-in-law during the birth of her child.

The Don Horn family is in the process of moving from Johnson headquarters to the old Yoes place north of town, where they have been doing some renovating.

Leo Keese has been on the sick list again, as well as Mrs. Bert McKee and Polly Harrison.

Brenda McLain was real ill this week with virile pneumonia and was not present at Sunday School.

Polly Harrison was in Amarillo on Sunday evening to return granddaughter Cherie to her home after a week's visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Davis were in Amarillo this week due

to the death of their son's father-in-law, Mr. Ross, who has been in ill health for sometime. Daughter Willie accompanied them.

Services for Minnie Reed of Ovalo, Texas, were held last Thursday. Mrs. Reed was a niece of the late Mrs. F.B. Carter, and a frequent visitor here. Going from this area were Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Barker of Amarillo and Mrs. Virginia Dalton, cousins.

Lefors Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Jackson of El Paso were guest of Mrs. Jackson's family. Mrs. John Lantz and Norma.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Chambliss of Hobbs visited her parents, the Bill Hesses over Christmas.

Sue and James Todd have moved to Denton.

As soon as there is life, there is danger.

Ralph Waldo Emerson

Junior Band Vies For Regional

Four members of the McLean Junior High Band travelled to River Road Saturday for competition in the Junior High All-Region Band.

None of the four placed in the band, according to Mrs. Frances Adamson. "I was very proud of our youngsters," she

said. "The competition was keen with bandsmen from A, AA, and AAA schools competing. For example, 89 clarinets were vying for 22 spots."

Those trying out for the band were David Adamson, John Glass, Chet Bohlar, and Jackie Pipes.

Rev. Riley Conducts Seminar

The Rev. Jack Riley, pastor of First United Methodist Church in Perryton, conducted

a workshop for church leaders and a seminar for young adults at First United Methodist Church in McLean Monday.

Merchants Donate Tourney Trophies

Several McLean merchants donated trophies for the McLean Junior High Tournament this weekend.

Those donating money were the Cowboy Drive Inn, the American National Bank, the McLean Cattle Company, Parsons Drug, McLean Hardware, Wilsons Venture Foods, McLean Variety, the Pot Pourri, and the McLean News.

Band Begins Candy Sale

Tiger band members will begin a candy sale next week, according to director Francis Adamson. Beginning Jan. 19, students will sell bars of milk chocolate with almonds for \$2 a bar. An added attraction will be a coupon on the wrapper, which will entitle the bearer to buy one hamburger at half price with the purchase of a hamburger at the regular price. The coupon will be redeemable at the Cowboy Drive Inn of McLean. Proceeds from the sale will go toward band projects.

Dean Trew Has Moved

Dean Trew has moved to Perryton where he accepted a position with Perryton Equity.

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This and other information about 1980 tax returns will be explored at the "Taxes and You" program. This public service course is sponsored by the Panhandle Chapter of the Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants in cooperation with the Internal Revenue Service. The informal two-night course will be offered on Jan. 27 and 29 from 7:30-10:00 p.m., at Amarillo College (Warren Hall, Rooms 201 and 205.)

More than 20 CPAs will volunteer their time to provide taxpayers with instructions and question-and-answer sessions. The program is open to the public at a charge of \$4 per person to cover administrative costs.

Send name, address, and registration fee to Panhandle Chapter, Texas Society of CPAs, 714 S. Tyler, Suite 104, Amarillo, Tex., 79101, by Jan. 20.

All crime is a kind of disease, and should be treated as such.

Mahatma Gandhi



CHRIS MOORE AND SHERRI GASTON

Sherri Gaston, Chris Moore Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gaston of Woodward announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sherri, to Chris S. Moore, also of Woodward. Moore, a former resident of McLean, is the nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hambricht of McLean.

Miss Gaston is a member of the 1981 graduation class of Woodward High School. Moore, a graduate of McLean High School, is employed by Lillard Casing of Woodward. The couple will be married Feb. 6 in Crown Heights Baptist Church in Woodward.

McLEAN BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Trostle were in Amarillo Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brown and Shawlene visited the Clyde Browns Saturday. Shawlene stayed for a longer visit with her grandparents. Mary Powell and Babe Brown returned Shalene to her home in Amarillo Thursday.

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Chloe McMullen was admitted to High Plains Hospital in Amarillo, Monday.

Mrs. Kenneth Bell, Matthew and Christian of Pampa spent several days last week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Parker.

Recent guest in the Creed Lamb home were Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Browning of South Sioux City, Neb., Mrs. Jim Hoover of Canadian, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Jones of Amarillo, Mrs. Joe Mothershed of Memphis, Miss Susan Mothershed of Dallas and Joe Creed Lamb of Texas A&M, Bryan.

Brian Stokes, student at W.T.S.U. Canyon and son of Mr. and Mrs. Dub Stokes of Midkiff (former McLean residents) has been visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Miller were in Shamrock Saturday.

Allie Mae Herron is in Paris with her son Gene and Lahoma Herron.

Mr. and Mrs. Wink Gideon met Ruth Saye at Amarillo Airport Tuesday. Ruth returned from an extended visit with her son Leonard Saye and family in Las Vegas, Nev.

Jeff Railsback made a business trip to Pampa Monday.

Ruth Magee left Monday morning for a trip to the Holy Land.

Mr. and Mrs. Oba Kunkle are in Amarillo where he is receiving medical treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Spangler and Mrs. Floy Husband of Glen Dale, Calif., visited the Ott Davises last week.

Mr. and Mrs. O.O. Tate attended the funeral of her uncle George Carter in Borger on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Lankford were in Sayre, Okla., on business last Friday.

John Bayless of Borger visited Helen Simmons recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morris of Dumas visited Emily Rippy and Vivian Grigsby Friday night. Vivian returned home with them for a visit.

Myrtle Phillips returned home following a visit with her daughter, Sue Herndon and family in Dumas.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Graham went to Belen, N.M. last Thursday and helped his sister and her family the Mark Henslee's move to Dimmitt.

Carmel Moore spent the holidays in Scott City, Kansas with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Plum.

Georgia and Pat Durham were in Amarillo Thursday to visit their sister and aunt, Dora Windom in St. Anthonys Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Godfrey made a business trip to Pampa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Coleman were in Wellington on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Spangler

Local Students Named To Honor Roll

WTSU-- More than 700 students at West Texas State University are listed on the honor roll for the 1980 fall semester.

The Dean's list names 651 students. To be eligible for the Dean's List, a student must have been enrolled in at least 12 semester credit hours and ended the semester with a grade point average of 3.5 and higher on a 4.0 scale.

The President's list includes 140 students who have maintained grade point averages between 3.85 and a perfect 4.0 for 12 semester credit hours at WTSU.

WTSU's fall enrollment totaled 6,559 students.

Listed on the Dean's honor roll from McLean are Jana G. Davis, Maridale Glass, Sherry

K. Glass, Cynthia A. Howard, and Sidney G. Morris.

IRS Says Employer Must Give W-2

Employers must provide each employee with a completed Wage and Tax Statement, Form W-2, for 1980 by February 2, 1981, the Internal Revenue Service says.

If the Wage and Tax Statements are not issued on time, employers may be penalizing employees who will have to wait until February or later to file their tax returns, possibly missing out on the faster refunds available to early filers.

For additional information on the proper distribution and handling of Wage and Tax Statements, employers may get a free copy of IRS Publication 15, "Circular E, Employer's Tax Guide," from the IRS.

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By Ace Reid



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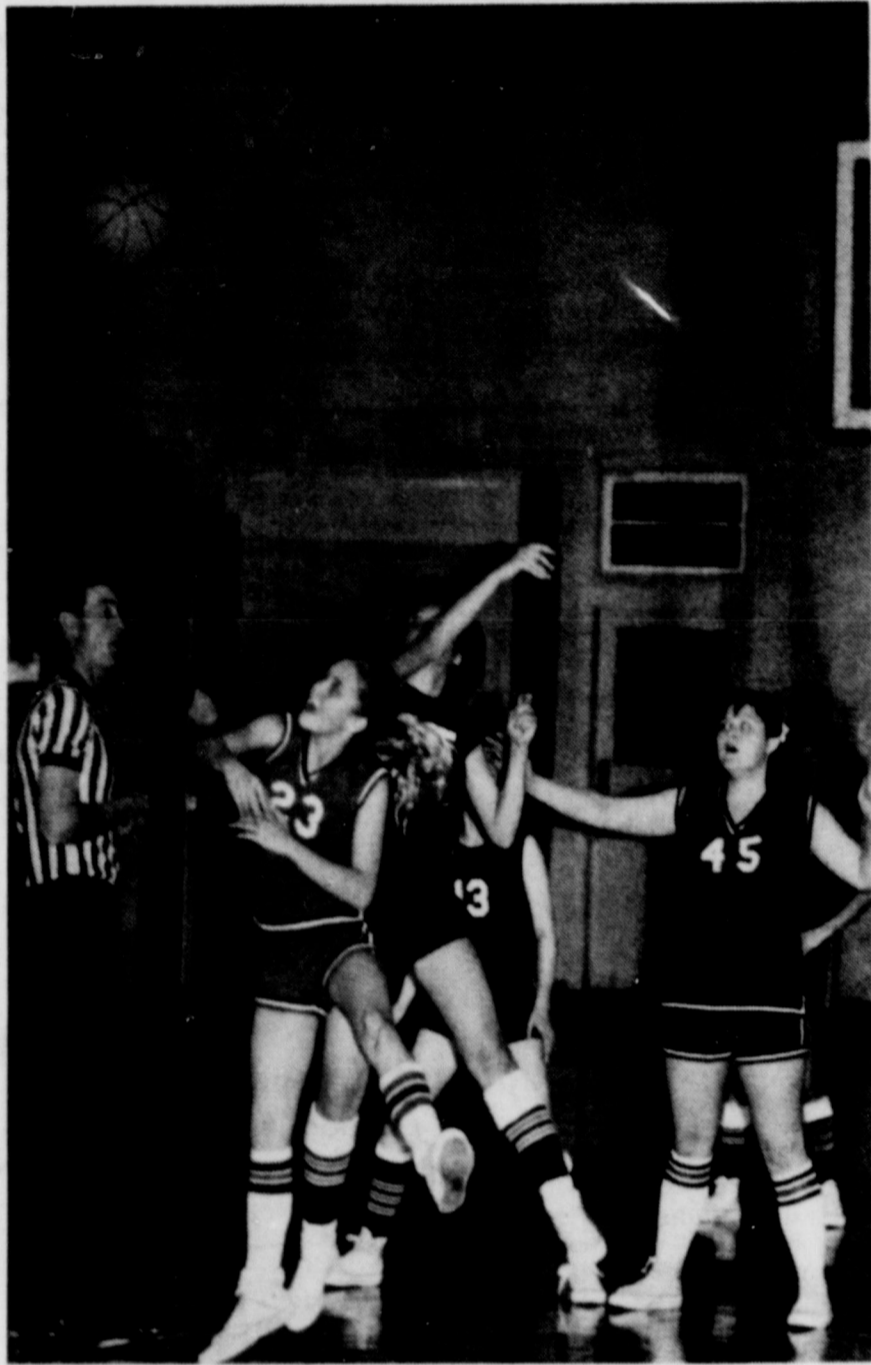
BUSINESSES \$50
INDIVIDUALS \$25
(OVER 65) \$15

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McLEAN'S CUBETTES BATTLED with the Groom Cubettes Monday night at McLean. Paige McDonald slaps a jump ball away from the Groom defender. (Photo by Linda Haynes)

BEAT BRISCOE

JUNIOR VARSITY BOYS

Nov. 25 Groom here 5 p.m.
Dec. 9 - Shamrock here 5 p.m.
Jan. 2 - Wellington there 4 p.m.
Jan. 20 Mobeetie there 5 p.m.
Jan. 29 Mobeetie Tournament
Feb. 6 Pampa here 5 p.m.

JUNIOR VARSITY GIRLS

Nov. 21 - Silverton, there 5 p.m.
Jan. 2 - Wellington there 4 p.m.
Jan. 6 - Shamrock there 5 p.m.
Jan. 29 - Mobeetie Tournament
Feb. 3 - Pampa here 5 p.m.

VARSITY BOYS AND GIRLS

Nov. 21 Silverton there 6:30
Nov. 25 Groom here 6:30
Dec. 4-5 Wheeler Tournament

Dec. 9 Shamrock here 6:30 p.m.
Dec. 11-12 Samnorwood Tournament
Dec. 16 OPEN
Jan. 2 Wellington there 6:30 p.m.
Jan. 6 Shamrock there 6:30 p.m.
Jan. 8-9 White Deer Tournament
Jan. 13 *Lefors here 7 p.m.
Jan. 16 *Briscoe there 7 p.m.
Jan. 20 *Mobeetie there 6:30 p.m.
Jan. 23 *Samnorwood here 7 p.m.
Jan. 27 *Allison there 7 p.m.
Jan. 30 *Lefors there 7 p.m.
Feb. 3 *Briscoe here 7 p.m.
Feb. 6 *Mobeetie here 7 p.m.
Feb. 10 *Samnorwood there 7 p.m.
Feb. 13 *Allison here 7 p.m.
*Denotes District 3-A Games

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Magee Ranch	B & B Engine Service and B & B Electric
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John Nash Texaco Wholesale	Corinnes
Bob's Service Station	The Hesses
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The McLean News	City of McLean
Lambs Flowers	John M. Haynes Ranch
Cowboy Drive In	Triple J. Ranch
Hallum's Backhoe Service	McLean Chamber of Commerce
Parsons Drug	Johnnie F. Mertel Boot Shop
Williams Appliances	Johnnie and Colleen



Gone Fishin

by Jeanette Fish

They also serve who only stand and wait. They also get ulcers and go crazy as bedbugs. Think--how much of your life has been spent waiting--for things to happen. It starts when you're eight or nine years old, waiting to be ten or eleven--to get out of the fourth grade--sixth--eighth--to be pretty, handsome, skinnier, fatter.

Waiting through high school, college--for that special day when you will wake up and life will be RIGHT and you will feel good about it--and yourself.

Marriage, babies, more waiting--house, car, furniture,

success. By then you could pretty much look around at the people you know--a mirror--they're waiting for something too--dental appointments, vacations, kids to get over measles, more rain.

Wouldn't it be great if we could all get--de-programmed--brought back from tomorrow--to today--out of the waiting room, with our lives out of the holding pattern.

No time like the present? Better yet--no present like time--a gift which must be used immediately--does not keep overnight.

LIBRARY NOTES

by Sum Haynes

The Great Southwest
Charles McCarty

Come with me for an exciting and enchanting visit to a large part of our country known as the "Sun Belt," and come to realize why so many of our nations disgruntled citizens are moving en masse to this booming area of our nation.

the grand canyon, and you will feel a part of the action as you see cattle being worked on a dusty Texas ranch.

The Great Southwest by Charles McCarty, is now available at Lovett Memorial Library.

BIRTHDAYS

A region of dramatic contrasts, the Southwest contains inspiring mountains and forbidding deserts, broad prairies, and deep canyons. Much of this now-arid land has lain beneath recurring prehistoric seas. For thousands of years, Indians lived quietly in balance with nature. Today's Southwesterners shape nature to their will. Digging mines, damming rivers, irrigating fields, building cities, they have fashioned an optimistic society that attracts thousands of new adherents every week.

Jan. 16
Steven Thacker

Jan. 17
Virginia Ann Hill
R.L. Brown
Billy Jack Bailey

Jan. 18
Bill Rodgers
Mary Evelyn Kautson
Emmitt Dane Hill

This volume contains many, many beautiful pictures and much interesting information about the states of Nevada, California, Utah, Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico, Oklahoma, and Texas, and also affords the reader excellent historical facts from the days of the earliest settlers to the present time.

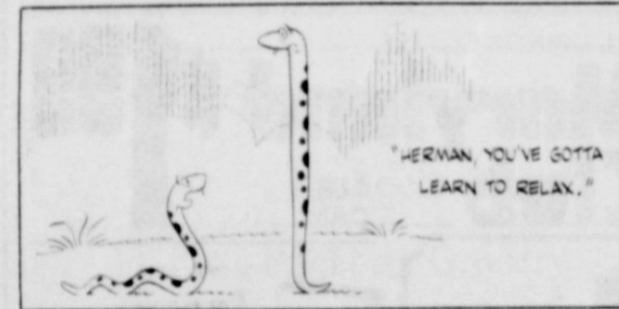
Jan. 19
Dan Alexander
J.A. Meador
Pat Vineyard Gray
Kevin Joe Robinson
Mrs. Joe Dwyer
Bryan Hendricks
Patsy Barker

You will be glad you availed yourself of the opportunity to read this book, as you marvel at the breath-taking pictures of

Jan. 20
Myrtle Billingsley

Jan. 21
Terry Lee Vineyard

Jan. 22
Mrs. Glen Curry
Mrs. Jerry Rector



MCLEAN BRIEFS

Continued From Page 3

Randy Suggs and Butch Dorsey visited June Suggs during the holidays.

Mary Ann Rice and Lavern Carter made a business trip to Amarillo, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Trostle of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Trostle of Shamrock spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Trostle.

The McLean Volleyball Association will meet Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. in the Hospitality Room of the American National Bank to organize for the year, according to a spokesman for the group.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Matthews and Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Trew were in Amarillo on business last Tuesday.

Mrs. Dianne Hix hosted a surprise birthday party for her father Walter Hughes of Lefors on his 79th birthday. The party was in the fellowship hall of the Church of Christ Jan. 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McMullen were in Amarillo on Wednesday.

People from Amarillo, Pampa, McLean, Skellytown, and Lefors attended.

Safrona Pettit honored Beth Hambright with a birthday dinner Sunday. Those present were Alan Crawford of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hambright, Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Anderson, Jessica and Nathan, Mr. and Mrs. K.W. Hambright, Tony and Bill and Carmel Moore and the guest of honor.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. John M. Haynes during the Christmas holidays were their children Mike Haynes of Houston, Sam D. Haynes of Canyon, Sheri Haynes of Lockney, and Morse Haynes of Lubbock.

Mrs. Betty Babe of Brentwood, Calif., came Friday for an extended visit with her aunt, Mrs. Verna Dorsey.

Visiting in the Roy Barker home over the holidays were Chris, Ardine, Scott and Paula Carroll, Mrs. Nadine Webb, and Eldon Lee.

Mrs. Fern Boyd was honored with a birthday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Huchison in Pampa last Thursday. Mrs. Sherman White was also a guest.

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McLEAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

State of Revenue and Expenditures Year ended August 31, 1980

	10 General Operating Fund	20 Designated Purpose Fund	50 Interest & Bonded Debt Fund	98 Total Revenue	99 Budget 1979- 1980	Over (Under) Budget
5700 REVENUE FROM LOCAL AND INTERMEDIATE SOURCES						
5700 Total revenue - local & intermediate sources	471,137.49	--	940.31	472,077.80	472,112.00	(34.20)
5800 REVENUE FROM STATE SOURCES						
5800 Total revenues - State sources	215,050.92	10,655.00	--	225,705.92	225,709.00	(3.08)
5900 REVENUE FROM FEDERAL SOURCES, TRANSFERS, NON-REVENUE RECEIPTS						
5900 Total revenue - Federal sources, transfers, non-revenue receipts	10,230.74	--	--	10,230.74	10,231.00	(.26)
5000 TOTAL REVENUE	\$ 696,419.15	\$ 10,655.00	\$ 940.31	\$ 708,014.46	\$ 708,052.00	\$ (37.54)

	10 General Operating Fund	20 Designated Purpose Fund	50 Interest & Bonded Debt Fund	98 Total Expenditure	99 Budget 1979- 1980	(Over) Under Budget
FUNCTION						
10 INSTRUCTION SERVICE						
11 Instruction						
Total Instruction	265,379.46	6,978.44	--	272,357.90	272,488.00	130.10
20 INSTRUCTIONAL RELATED SERVICES						
21 Instructional Administration	--	1,500.00	--	1,500.00	1,500.00	--
Total Instructional Administration	--	1,500.00	--	1,500.00	1,500.00	--
22 Instructional Resources and Media Services						
Total Instructional Resources and Media Services	9,165.75	299.25	--	9,465.00	9,576.00	111.00
23 School Administration						
Total School Administration	47,847.77	--	--	47,847.77	47,859.00	11.23
30 PUPIL SERVICES						
33 Health Services						
Total Health Services	155.85	--	--	155.85	160.00	4.15
34 Pupil Transportation - Regular						
Total Pupil Transportation - Regular	52,094.99	--	--	52,094.99	52,068.00	13.01

	10 General Operating Fund	20 Designated Purpose Fund	50 Interest & Bonded Debt Fund	98 Total Expenditure	99 Budget 1979- 1980	(Over) Under Budget
FUNCTION						
36 Co-Curricular Activities						
Total Co-Curricular Activities	7,687.54	--	--	7,687.54	7,690.00	2.46
37 Food Service						
Total Food Service	13,983.46	--	--	13,983.46	14,000.00	16.54
40 ADMINISTRATION						
41 General Administration						
Total General Administration	75,807.17	219.00	--	76,026.17	75,885.00	(141.17)
42 Debt Service						
Total Debt Service	--	--	415.00	415.00	415.00	--
50 PLANT SERVICES						
51 Plant Maintenance and Operation						
Total Plant Services	77,388.48	--	--	77,388.48	77,445.00	56.52
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 49,470.47	\$ 8,996.69	\$ 415.00	\$ 58,882.16	\$ 559,086.00	\$ 203.64

Balance Sheets of Funds Indicated August 31, 1980

	10 General Operating Fund	20 Designated Purpose Fund	50 Interest & Bonded Debt Fund	90 General Fixed Assets	98 Total
ASSETS AND OTHER DEBITS					
Cash and Temporary Investments					
1100 Total Cash and Temporary Investments	414,046.13	2,050.63	10,897.91	--	426,994.67
Receivables					
1200 Total Receivables	67,517.95	3,722.64	43.66	--	71,284.25
Land, Buildings and Equipment					
1500 Total Land, Buildings and Equipment	--	8,914.90	--	689,786.25	698,701.15
Other Debits					
1600 Total Other Debits	--	--	9,000.00	--	9,000.00
1000 TOTAL ASSETS AND OTHER DEBITS	\$ 481,564.08	\$ 14,688.17	\$ 19,941.57	\$ 689,786.25	\$ 1,205,980.07
LIABILITIES, FUND BALANCES, RESERVES					
LIABILITIES					
Current Payables					
2100 Total Current Payables	33,192.46	1,946.33	--	--	35,138.79
Bonded Debt					
2000 Total Liabilities	33,192.46	1,946.33	9,000.00	--	44,138.79
FUND BALANCE AND RESERVES					
Invested Reserves					
3100 Fund Balance	448,371.62	3,826.94	10,941.57	--	463,140.13
3000 Total Fund Balances and Reserves	448,371.62	3,826.94	10,941.57	689,786.25	1,161,841.28
4000 TOTAL LIABILITIES, FUND BALANCES, RESERVES	\$ 481,564.08	\$ 14,688.17	\$ 19,941.57	\$ 689,786.25	\$ 1,205,980.07

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FOR SALE
NICE 3 BEDROOM house
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HESS-ALLISON

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779-3174 2-1c

LOST AND FOUND
LOST: a new tent in blue plastic bag. Call 779-2698 or 779-2671. 2-1c

LOST: Black and Tan German Shepherd - 1 yr. old. \$20 reward. Call 779-2035. 2-1p

FOR RENT
HOUSE FOR RENT. Country living. 2 bedrooms. Call 665-1744, 665-1021. 50-4c

FOR RENT: Three Bedroom house outside city limits. Call 779-2683. 1-2p.

APARTMENT FOR rent - Gas and water paid. Call 779-2375. 1-2p

FOR RENT: Furnished one bedroom apartment. With or without bills paid. 519 W. First. 2-tfc

BUSINESS

IF YOU NEED carpenter work, painting or any type of home construction done, call Bobby Sanderson. 779-2502. 37-tfc

NEED CARPENTER WORK Done? Call Leland Myers 779-2734. 9-tfc

HELP WANTED

WE NEED YOU NOW! Nurses aids can work at Thomas Nursing Home on the 7 to 3 shift or the 3 to 11 shift. Apply at Thomas Nursing Home. 2-tfc

WANT AN INTERESTING career? Do you like people? Become a nurse's aid at Thomas Nursing Home. Positions now open on the 7 to 3 and the 3 to 11 shifts. 2-tfc

ADULT HELP WANTED: Apply at McLean Dairy Queen. 39-tfc

HELP WANTED - Windi Inn Restaurant in Alanreed. Call 779-3191. 2-3c

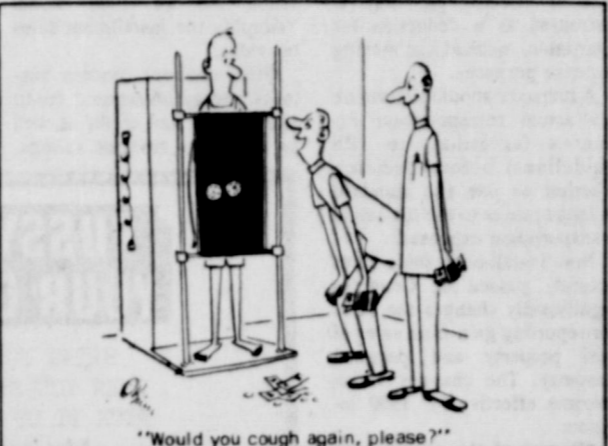
CARDS OF THANKS

We would like to express our appreciation for all the phone calls, cards, visits and flowers our beloved husband and father received while in the hospital and after his death. We would like to express a special thanks to Bro. Z.A. Myers and to each of the pallbearers.

Thank You
Florence Cunningham
Alice Brown
L.N. Cunningham Jr.
Dora Faye Smith

Thanks to all our friends for the calls, flowers, prayers and kind words during our time of sorrow.
The Family of Ella Hill

I would like to thank each and every one for being so nice during the passing of my brother Dec. 11 in Arizona, and for the beautiful flowers that were sent to my house. May God bless each and every one in my prayer.
Mrs. Ora Holloway



Eat at pleasure, drink by measure.
John Ray (English Proverbs)

The greatest remedy for anger is delay.
Seneca

NOTICES

MASONIC LODGE
REGULAR MEETING
second Thursday, 7:30 p.m.
Practice nights
First, Third, and Fourth
Thursdays at 7:30 p.m.

40-tfc

The injuries we do and those we suffer are seldom weighed in the same scales.
Aesop's Fables



HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT CREWS reworked the backtop on Interstate 40 near downtown McLean. The pavement was laid last year over the brick streets, but had become "wrinkled" by large trucks stopping at the stop light. (Photo by Linda Haynes)

"Not Now, Darling" Is On Stage In Amarillo

"Not Now, Darling," a comedy of mix-ups and merriment, is brightening the stage of Amarillo's Country Squire Dinner Theatre Tuesday through Sunday evenings

through February 7. Appropriately for winter night scenes, the play is set in the exclusive show room for furs of the New York firm of Bodley, Bodley and Crouch. Always center stage are a variety of furs, creations of too-eager-to-please Arnold Crouch, played with such adroit hilarity by Rusty Fox of New York that audiences reward him with their warmest laughter and applause. Star of the fur-coat brigade is a mink that merrily and shamelessly changes feminine ownership with the twinkling of an eye.

In addition to Fox, cast of "Not Now, Darling" includes these well-known dinner theatre names: Charles Franklin, Pat Nesbit, Archie Dwyer, Dorothy McDonald, Martin McDonald, Maura Soden, and Rachel Bard. Sharon Lindemann of Amarillo makes her Country Squire debut in the show. The comedy, written by Ray Coney and John Chapman is directed with a fine sense of timing by Larry Randolph of Los Angeles.

Buffet line at Country Squire, located at 1-40 and Grand, opens at 6:30 p.m., with show time at 8:15 p.m. On Sundays, doors open at 6 p.m., with comedy time at 7:30 p.m.

"I'm not denyin' the women are foolish: God Almighty made 'em to match the men."
George Eliot



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Loose Marbles

by Lisa Patman

Sometimes when life seems a bit dull, I wonder if writing my life in italics and adding a few adjectives would spice it up a little. On a typical day, when my life is in simple, unadorned block letters, my story might read something like this:

Patman Spends Day With Usual Tasks
Lisa Patman woke up today, made the bed, brushed her teeth, threw on some clothes, went to work, ate lunch, went back to work, went home, cooked supper, took a shower and went to bed. She slept with her mouth open and often drooled. Her dreams were, as usual, humdrum.

With a little imagination that boring stuff could be transformed into really exciting material. See if this doesn't sound better:

Columnist Leads Exciting Life
The sultry and exciting Lisa Patman awoke to a sun-filled room, stretched her arms above her head, and shouted to the world in general "Here, I come. World, Watch out!" Scrambling out of bed, she danced into the powder room where she attacked the toothpaste with the same vigor she faced the day before her. "Nothing will get me today," she cried. Singing "I am woman, hear me roar..." she trod purposefully to her closet and drew out her garments, donning her armor for the day. After fighting her way through McLean's early morning traffic, she arrived at her exciting job as one of the top executives in her office. Her morning was filled with terribly interesting telephone calls, and, after a quaint but chic lunch, she spent her afternoon hours writing fantastic texts. [Some day a bright publisher would discover her and make her a millionaire, but for the time being she was content to ply her trade at her lovely desk, happy to be simply creative and fascinating.] Finally it was time to return home, a quiet place she had transformed into a haven of fashionable elegance where friends gathered for stimulating conversations. After a simple but delicious meal she pampered her body with a stimulating, steamy shower which gave her skin a subtle radiance. Gracefully she reclined on the bed, [clad in a designer gown, of course] closed her eyes and sighed "I made it! I struggled with normalcy and won! Tomorrow I'll return to the battle!" Eagerly she faced a night of thrilling dreams.

Whew, I'm really exhausted. I had no idea I led such an eventful life. I think I need a nap. It's amazing what an exclamation point or two can do for a person.

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<p>DON MILLER RADIATOR SERVICE "Is Our Business" Not A Sideline New & Rebuilt Radiators Gas Tanks & Heaters Repaired 376-6666 612 S. JEFFERSON AMARILLO, TEXAS</p>	<p>Terrific Christmas Idea-- Gift Subscription to The McLean News Read the Classified ads FIRST</p>	<p>McLean Hardware Complete hardware line -Dishes-Paint-Tools-Gifts 779-2591</p>
<p>Jobnie F. Mertel Boot Shop Tony Lama, Texas, Acme, Justin Leather Goods Shoe Repair phone 779-2161</p>	<p>GLENN HALLUM BACKHOE SERVICE Commercial or Individual Fully Insured Alanreed, Texas 779-3138 779-3131</p>	<p>Read the Classified ads FIRST B&B SALVAGE BUYS SCRAP METALS ALUMINUM STAINLESS STEEL COPPER BRASS BATTERIES RADIATORS LARGE ELECTRIC MOTORS phone 779-2601 2 BLKS N. OF MO ON PAMPA HWY.</p>
<p>Foshee's TEXACO Your full-service station Renovated & Remodeled 779-2621</p>	<p>National Auto Salvage 666-3222 or 666-3962 1 1/2 miles west of Pampa on Highway 69 Large selection of used auto parts We appreciate your business</p>	<p>J.R. GLASS OR. CO. 217 W. 1st 779-2181</p>

Notes From Your County Agricultural Agent

by Joe Van Zandt

FARMER'S TAX DEADLINES APPROACHING

While most taxpayers have until April 15 to file their 1980 income tax returns, farmers and ranchers face a much earlier filing date. Agricultural producers who do not file an estimate of their income by January 16 and do not pay estimated taxes must file their tax returns and pay due taxes by March 2. However, if farmers file an estimate, they have until the April 15 deadline to file final returns. Texas farmers and ranchers should note the following considerations as they prepare their 1980 income tax returns.

Filing requirements for 1980 are the same as in 1979. For example, an individual must file a return if his gross income is \$3,300 or more, and a married couple under 65 years of age must file if their joint gross income is more than \$5,400. If both are 65 or older, they may make \$7,400 before a return is required.

In contrast to the 1979 op-

portional standard mileage rate of 18-1/2 cents rate per mile for 1980 is 20 cents for the first 15,000 miles of business travel in your automobile. The rate has increased to 11 cents from 10 cents for business travel of more than 15,000 miles or when one's automobile is fully depreciated. The standard mileage rate of 9 cents per mile is permitted as a deduction for charitable, medical and moving expense purposes.

A taxpayer should determine his actual transportation expenses (according to IRS guidelines) before deciding whether to use the standard mileage rate or to use his actual transportation expenses.

New installment sales rules recently passed by Congress significantly changes the rules for reporting gain from sales of real property and personal property. The changes which become effective for 1980 include:

*Repeal of the requirement that no more than 30 percent of the selling price be received in the tax year of sale to qualify for

installment reporting.

*Two or more payments are no longer required.

*Installment sales tax treatment is automatic unless rejected by the taxpayer.

*The selling price for sales of personal property no longer have to exceed \$1,000.

*The rules are tightened on installment sales between certain related parties -- whether through kinship or through business organizational structure.

One report has stated that the new Installment Sales Revision Act of 1980 would "simplify the installment sales tax rules."

Other changes concern business energy investment credit and alcohol fuel credit as well as numerous revenue rulings.

revenue procedures, tax cases and minor law changes.

For information on these and other changes and for assistance in filing your income tax return, we suggest several IRS publications (Revised 1980 editions) -- "Your Federal Income Tax" and the "Farmers' Tax Guide". Copies of the "Farmers' Tax Guide" are available in the County Extension Office, Courthouse Annex, Pampa.

WEED CONTROL IN ALFALFA

Now is a good time to fertilize alfalfa and to spray for winter annual weeds. A good stand of alfalfa that is adequately fertilized with phosphorus (100 pounds of P2 O5 per acre) will usually not require weed control. Thinner stands should be fertilized with phosphorus

and sprayed with a herbicide while the alfalfa is completely dormant. Dormancy is most complete during January and early February. Kerb, Sinbar, Karmex and Furloe are some herbicides that control winter annual weeds. Summer annual weeds such as grassbur are usually not controlled by winter season applications.

GETTING IN, OUT OF AGRICULTURE:

If you're interested in getting into farming or ranching, if you're already in the business

and want to expand, or if you're thinking about retiring and turning the farm or ranch over to someone else, then there's an upcoming conference designed just for you.

The conference is called "Getting In -- Growing -- Getting Out of Agriculture," and is being sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Texas Farmer-Stockman magazine. It will be at the Texas A&M University Research and Extension Center, 6500 Amarillo Blvd. - West, Amarillo.

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\$1.29

Del Monte 17 oz. can

FRUIT COCKTAIL

59¢

Del Monte Whole Kernel 17 oz. can

CORN

2 - 85¢

Del Monte Cut 16 oz. can

GREEN BEANS

2 - 85¢

Kraft Creamy Italian or Creamy Onion 8 oz.

DRESSING

69¢

Mile High 303 can

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99¢

Lipton 100 ct.

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\$2.19

Jack Rabbit 2 lb. bag

PINTO BEANS

89¢

Shurfine

CHERRIES

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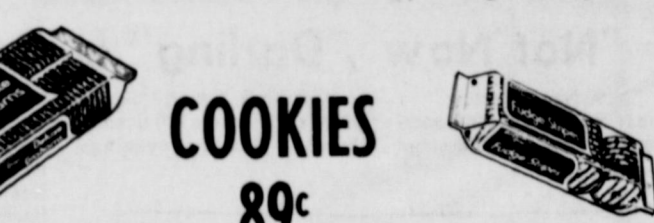
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99¢

Keekler Deluxe Graham or Fudge Stripe

COOKIES

89¢



Maryland Club 1 lb. can

COFFEE

\$2.29



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Banquet Frozen Apple Pie 20 oz. **77¢**

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Banquet Frozen Cherry Pie 20 oz. **97¢**

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VELVEETA **\$3.29**

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