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Miss McLean Contestants

THE 32 CONTESTANTS IN THE Miss McLean contest gather on the stage to give the judges a final look before the top ten finalists are named. (Photo by Linda Haynes)

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Susie Billingsley Named Miss McLean



In a recent column, I mentioned a pet peeve about the way women are described in newspaper stories. Ila Miller of the Groom News read the column and sent me a newspaper clipping from the Norman (Okla.) Transcript detailing a study of sex bias in newspapers. The study was made by 14 University of Oklahoma students. By examining the content of four metropolitan Oklahoma newspapers, and comparing them to four newspapers from other areas of the country, the students made the following conclusion: Only 8.6 percent of the 5,500 stories featured women as main characters; there were eight times more front-page news stories about men than women; and the women were most often identified by personal information such as attire, or marital or parental status, while the men were characterized by occupation and experience.

The students compiled a 53-page pamphlet titled "Women and Media: How Eight Newspapers Portray Women."

It's interesting to me that this much difference still exists, because I know that sexual bias against women is not as strong as it was several years ago.

I hope some of you have been reading the series in the Amarillo Globe News entitled "The Good Old Girls of History." The series ran in the morning paper every day last week, and featured an important woman in history each day.

Won't it be nice in future generations when we no longer have to worry about minority rights, women's rights, old people's rights, children's rights, and can just concentrate on human rights?

Last week I received a letter from 10-year old Sloan Childers, president of the Amarillo Council, and surely a future governor of Texas. Sloan and his classmates at See DISTAFF, Page 2



Date	High	Low
2-17	70	35
2-18	72	40
2-17		
2-19	80	43
2-20	74	47
2-21	48	41
2-22	58	34
2-23	70	36

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Miss McLean 1981

MISS McLEAN 1981, Susie Billingsley, poses with her court: Donna McAneur, Kim Sanders and Carmel Moore (Photo by Linda Haynes)

Susie Billingsley, a junior student at McLean High School was named Miss McLean 1981 at the annual school beauty pageant in the McLean school auditorium. She was one of 32 girls competing for the honor this year.

Miss Billingsley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Billingsley. She has been a twirler in the McLean High School band, and recently completed a modeling course from the Barbizon School in Dallas.

First runner-up in the contest was Kim Sanders, sponsored by Parson's Drug. Second runner-up was Donna McAneur, sponsored by McLean Variety; and third runner-up was Carmel Moore, sponsored by Hambricht Cabinet Shop.

Others in the top ten were Missy Billingsley, sponsored by McLean Hardware; Teresa Woods, sponsored by McLean Veterinary Clinic; Cindy Glass, sponsored by The Cowboy Drive Inn; Rene Conner, sponsored by Bob's Station and J.K. Glass Oil Co.; Terri Glass, sponsored by Williams Appliances; and Rhonda Herndon, sponsored by Jane Simpson Agency.

Miss Congeniality, chosen by the girls in the contest, was Jamie Glass.

The winners of the contest, and Miss Congeniality, were presented silver trays by David Day.

Judges for the contest were Earlene Huff, Gene Parker, and Jane Kerr, all of Canyon.

The contest was sponsored by the MHS Tumbleweed staff. Decorations for the stage were done by Mrs. Marie Baker and her art classes.

Entertainment was provided by Brett Simmons, Darryl Herndon, and Gay Simpson. Bryan Smitherman played the

piano as the girls were presented.

Contestants in both street wear and formal wear were introduced by Jacque Riley.

Ushering for the event were David Day, Lee Acy, Billy Frank Hambricht, Mike Lane, and Tim Smith.

Rhonda Woods, Miss McLean 1980, was presented and gave short speech. She assisted in the crowning ceremony for Miss McLean.

Other contestants in the pageant were Susan Simmons, Nora Gately, April Bryant, Jana Harris, Rozanna Eck, Stephanie Rodgers, Leslie Skipper, Maria Eck, Tammy Kilham, Alicia Marsh, Krystina Jarosz, Stefanie Houdyshell, Brenda Wilson, Anna Jean Lamb, Karen Wilson, Sharla Todd, Stacie Smith, Roxie Littlefield, Debbie Hutchison, Robbin Skinner, and Suzanne Bradley.

Two Candidates Register For Election

Two candidates signed up for the school board this week, but no new candidates have tossed their hats in the ring for city council positions. David Haynes signed up for the one-year unexpired term of Joe Magee, and Gwen Henley signed up for one of the three-year terms open on the board. No candidate has signed up for the other position.

In the city council race, incumbent Dale Glass has put his name on the ballot, but no one has signed up for the vacancy left by Ruth Magee, whose term is expiring. Incumbent mayor, Sam Haynes, is the only candidate for the mayor's job.

Deadline for filing for the April election is March 4.

School Open House Is Tuesday

March 2 through March 6 is Texas Public Schools week, and the McLean schools will observe the week with an Open House March 3. Visitation in the classrooms in both the elementary and the high school will be from 6:45 p.m. until 7:45 p.m.

Beginning at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium the McLean school music department will present a program featuring youngsters from grades 1 through 12.

The first segment of the program will feature the beginner's band (fifth grade) who will play three pieces: "March Chromatics," "Abide with Me," and "The Victor's March."

Grades 1 through 4 will present 10 numbers:

"Texas, Our Texas," "Home on the Range," "Blue Tail Fly," "Deep in the Heart of Texas," "Bluebonnets of Texas,"

"Good-bye Old Paint," "Frog Went A-Courtin'," "Lone Star Trail," "Texas Cowboy Song," and "The Eyes of Texas."

Following a 10-minute intermission, the junior high band will play "Red River Valley," "Beginner's

Beguine," and "Hoedown." The high school band will conclude the program with "Royal March," "Chester," and "Russian Sailor's Dance."

All of the groups will be under the direction of Mrs. Frances Adamson.

PROCLAMATION

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I hereby proclaim March 2 through March 6 Texas Public Schools Week, and urge all citizens of the McLean area to observe this 31st observance by attending the public schools during this period and particularly the planned program Tuesday night March 3.

Sam A. Haynes
mayor

City of McLean, Texas

City Will Receive \$4,252 Tax Rebate

McLean will receive \$4,252.77 tax rebate this month, a 262 percent increase over the same amount received last year at this time. McLean received \$1,609.25 in sales tax last year, according to a report issued by state comptroller Bob Bullock this week.

According to Bullock, 960 Texas cities will share nearly \$100 million in city sales tax rebates in February.

Bullock said his office sent a total of \$91.5 million to cities levying the optional one percent city sales tax.

He said that January-February payments to cities this year is more than \$30 million higher than the same period last year.

Quarterly sales tax filers—including holiday sales in the last quarter of 1980—generated the higher amounts of revenue to the cities, Bullock said.

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Stubbs Named On All-State Team

Theron Stubbs, McLean High School football standout, was named recently to the All-State football team by the Texas Sportswriters Association. Stubbs, one of the few juniors named to the elite squad, was named on the second team offense and the second team defense.

The MHS tackle made an average of 11 (unassisted and assisted) tackles during each game of the 1980 season. He scored an average of 85 percent on his blocking assignments, according to head coach Jack Dorsett.

Stubbs blocked three passes, one punt, and two extra points. He also made seven quarterback sacks, and six behind-the-line tackles.

Dorsett said that Stubbs finished the season at 182 lbs., but would probably play at

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Theron Stubbs

OPINIONS

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

Don't Forget Open House

Tuesday night is Open House at school and for McLean students, especially those in the lower grades, it is one of the most important nights of the year. It is their chance to show their parents, grandparents, and other friends and relatives some evidence of their accomplishments at school.

For these children, school is the most important part of their life now. They spend eight hours a day, five days a week at the school, with their teacher. Each child probably feels that he knows his teacher as well as he does his parents, and it is important to him that these very important people in his life get together and meet each other.

If you have a child in school, and especially if he is in elementary school, don't let any commitment keep you from attending the Open House at school. It is very important to your child that you be there to look at his work and give him a little extra praise for the long hours that he has spent on his assignments.

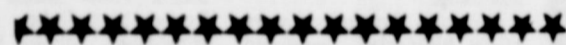
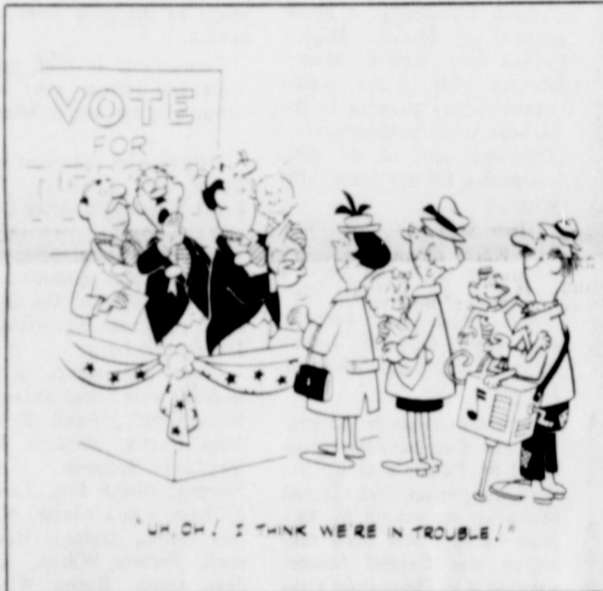
Talk to your child's teacher. Ask him or her how your child is doing and if there is anything you can do to help his progress at school. Tell the teacher how much you appreciate his hard work. Remember that you can get irritated with your own child occasionally and the teacher is only human. He may have his weak moments too, but the great majority of teachers have patience that would put us parents to shame.

Your attitude toward your child's teacher is communicated to your child, whether you know it or not, and that attitude adversely affects your child's ability to learn. Go to school with a positive attitude and so will your child.

Don't forget...Open House, Tuesday night from 6:45 p.m. to 7:45 p.m. with a musical concert beginning at 8 p.m.

ON YOUR PAYROLL

SENATOR BILL SARPALIUS, P.O. Box 12068, Austin, Texas 78711 or P.O. Box 7926, Amarillo, Texas 79109 or call 512-475-3222.
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 REPRESENTATIVE JACK HIGHTOWER, 13th District, Room 2348 Rayburn Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.
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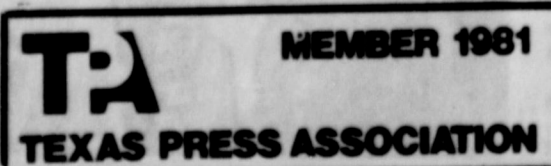
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EDITORIAL SHORTS

J.P. Doodles

by Barry McWilliams

AN OPEN LETTER TO THE PRESIDENT:

Ronnie,
 If you're still looking for ways to get government off our backs, I have a suggestion...



DISTAFF

Oak Creek Elementary in Houston are trying to promote a bill to name the armadillo as the official state mammal of Texas. Resolution HCR 53 is in Austin, and the children are asking help getting it passed. If you are interested in

armadillos(?), you may obtain more information about the project by writing Armadillo in 81, Oak Creek Elementary, 3975 Gladeridge, Houston, Texas 77068. And remember Sloan's name...with this early experience at politicking.

bound to become an elected official someday.

In last week's Community Profile, we inadvertently left out the name of one of Walter Evan's children. We omitted Joe Don's name from the list. Our apologies.

Don't forget that the school kids have a vacation this Friday. While the poor teachers have to go to an in-service day, the kids are free to have a short vacation. School begins as usual Monday morning.

Senator Bill Sarpalius

Reports



AUSTIN -- An old adage says that anything that is worth doing is worth doing right. And that is just the way we approached the subject of raising the drinking age to 19.

We believed that this change was necessary for two reasons. First, in response to the requests of many concerned parents, schoolteachers, and school administrators, we feel that the only way to make a dent in the growing problem of 18-year-olds drinking in and around the High Schools is to make it illegal for 18-year-olds to drink. Now, we are not naive enough to think that this will absolutely cure the problem once and for all, but it will certainly help.

Secondly, the people of the district wanted the change. Our job in Austin is to do what the voters want. We promised to do so during the campaign, and we are trying to do our best now.

It is evident that the Senate felt the need for the change as well. We passed our bill 26-2, with only Senators Doggett and Mauzy dissenting. The provisions of our bill state that no one under the age of 19 may possess or consume any alcoholic beverage. It further states that no one under the age of 19 may have a license to sell

alcoholic beverages. The bill will allow, however, a person younger than 19 to work in a place that serves or sells alcohol. For instance, an eighteen-year-old employee of a grocery store that sells beer will be able to continue working at the grocery store. In the same manner, an eighteen-year-old bartender will be able to continue working at a restaurant or club.

It looks like the House of Representatives agrees with our version of the bill, and since the Governor has designated our bill as an emergency measure, the House can begin considering it immediately. If passed by the House and signed by the Governor, our bill will become law and go into effect on September 1st of this year--just in time for the new school year. It should soon thereafter become apparent whether we have succeeded in our efforts.

Once again, the main reason that we worked for this bill is that you, the people in our district, wanted it passed. We always need to know what you want, whether it concerns alcohol or any other subject. The only way we can know what you want is if you tell us, and we hope that you will. Write Senator Bill Sarpalius, P. O. Box 12068, Austin, Texas 78711.



capitol comments

FOREIGN OWNERSHIP OF TEXAS FARMLAND

Foreign ownership of Texas farmland has been undergoing hearing the past week in the House of Representatives. There seems to be an overwhelming majority of Texas citizens in favor of prohibiting non-resident alien ownership. There is a strong lobby among real estate people and one of

the major oil companies that have blocked passage of this legislation. I personally opposed to foreign ownership. SPEAKER CLAYTON Speaker Clayton's bill, to place surplus State money in a State Trust fund to fully devel-

op our State water needs, looks like it has an excellent chance to pass. This bill will be handled by the Constitutional Amendments Committee. I felt very honored to be assigned as Vice-Chairman of this Committee.

THE STATE PRISON

The State Prison System chief, W.J. Estelle, has called on the legislature for over \$141 million to update the prison system in order to comply with federal judge mandate to bring the system up to a prescribable standard.

The House of Representatives is still moving very

slowly. The Committees can now have hearings. Because the rules were not suspended, no bills, other than those declared an emergency by the Governor, can be heard on the floor of the House for the first 60 days. This means a big logjam of bills will hit the house floor on March 14.

The toll-free number to call to determine the status of a bill is 1-800-252-9693.

Senator Lloyd Bentsen Watching Washington



Last year on the fourth of July, terrorists opened fire on the home of Richard Kinsman, a U.S. Embassy employee living in Kingston, Jamaica. Bullets tore through the bedroom of Kinsman's 12-year-old daughter. Fortunately, no one was hurt.

The attack came within 48 hours of an announcement by Louis Wolf of the Covert Action Information Bulletin. Wolf had just revealed the names of 15 people he claims are CIA officers in Kingston. He also disclosed their addresses, telephone numbers, license plate numbers and the colors of the cars they drove.

Wolf has reveled in his dubious achievement of exposing the names of more than 2,000 alleged American intelligence officers stationed world-wide. Shortly after the Jamaican incident, he appeared on an American television interview. When a caller accused him of treason, Wolf answered, "Everything I do is legal. If it wasn't you can be sure I'd be sitting in jail at this moment."

I think it's about time we had a law enabling us to prosecute the likes of Louis Wolf for such reprehensible acts.

The ignoble crusade undertaken by Wolf and others has been going on for over five years now, endangering the lives of thousands of American officials overseas.

You may recall the tragic murder of Richard S. Welch upon his return from a 1975 Christmas party at the American Ambassador's residence in Athens, Greece. Shortly before he was killed, the Athens News tagged him as a CIA station chief. The information in the News story had earlier been printed in *Counterspy* magazine, published by ex-CIA employee Phillip Agee.

Like Wolf, Agee has no qualms about revealing the identities of covert U.S. agents. "We will aid this struggle," Agee says, "along with the struggle for socialism in the U.S. itself."

Our intelligence officers are in the front line of the battle against terrorism. They operate in a dangerous, risky environment. When their identities are brought to unauthorized public attention by a cadre of anti-intelligence zealots with a vendetta against the CIA, America's security suffers accordingly.

Lives of brave people who perform important work are placed in jeopardy. Questions are raised about our ability to protect sources and work with friends to stem the tide of terrorism.

Back in 1975, I became the first Senator to propose legislation to protect the identities of intelligence officers. Recently I again introduced such legislation.

My bill sets a maximum punishment of 10 years in prison and a \$50,000 fine for those with authorized access to classified information who reveal the identities of covert agents. It also sets a maximum punishment of three years in prison and a \$15,000 fine for those who do not have authorized access to classified information but who "in the course of a pattern of activities intended to identify and expose covert agents" reveal the identities of the agents.

Since the first of this year I have been assigned to serve on the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence. I intend to work hard to see that we develop a stronger, more secure, more effective intelligence capability. In view of the aggressive expansionistic aims of the Soviet Union world-wide, now is hardly the time for us to let our intelligence gathering abilities slide.

My position on the intelligence committee will buttress my efforts to build up our country's intelligence capability--so fundamental to our survival as the leader of free world democracies.

Let us never forget how crucial our front-line intelligence officers are to this cause. We must have legislation that insures them a fighting chance to bat the life-risking odds they face from terrorist threats each day.

STUBBS

Continued From Page 1 over 200 lbs. next season. The United Press International and Associated Press International All-State teams have not yet been announced, Dorsett said.

SALES TAX

Continued From Page 1 Houston's check this month will be for \$18 million, compared to a \$7.3 million rebate for February last year. Dallas received \$10.5 million, a \$5.9 million increase over the same period during 1980.

January-February city sales tax rebated for 1981 total \$124.7 million, compared to \$60 million during the same two-month period last year.

The city sales tax is collected along with the state sales tax by merchants and businesses and rebated monthly to the cities in which it is collected by the Comptroller.

DRUG QUIZ

by Curt Scarborough, Ph.D.

Question - Aging need not be synonymous with illness. But at least 80% of the elderly do suffer from one or more chronic disease, compared with 40% of those under age 65. And since the favored way of dealing with many of these diseases is by medication, it is reasonable to assume that the elderly will use more drugs than will younger people, says a National Institute on Drug Abuse report on drug taking behavior of the elderly.

Which of these drugs is not commonly prescribed for the elderly?

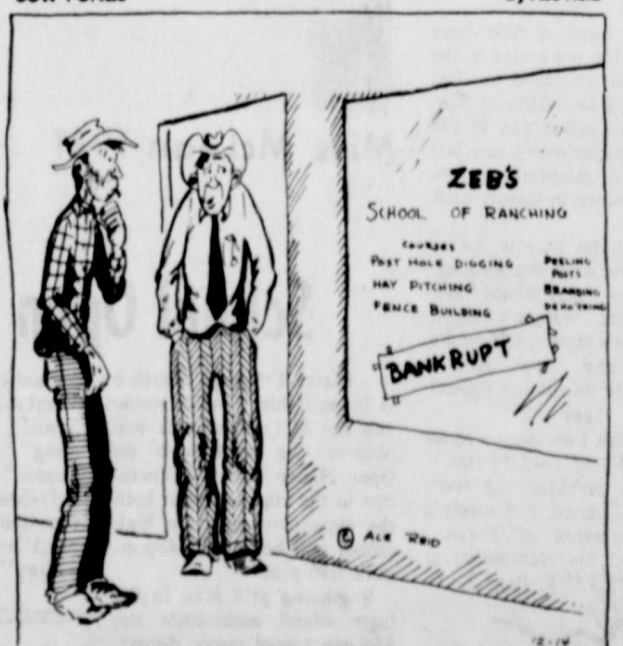
- a) Darvon
- b) Librium
- c) Methadone
- d) Valium

Answer - The NIDA report says that twenty years ago, 70% of the legitimate drugs now on the market were not available. The three most prescribed drug groups for the elderly, says NIDA, are Valium and Librium, the tranquilizers, and the non-narcotic analgesic, Darvon. Methadone is a heroin substitute. Correct answer - c.

Do you have a question or a comment about drugs? Write: TANE Texas Alcohol Narcotic education Inc. 6778 Greenville Ave., Dallas, Texas 75231

COW POKES

By Ace Reid



"Didn't have but one customer and all he wanted wuz fer me to show him how to improve his pool game!"

"COWPOKES" IS BROUGHT TO YOU BY THE FRIENDLY FOLKS AT

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McLEAN BRIEFS



MARSHALL HANES AND TAMMY McLAIN

Hanes, McLain Wedding Plans Announced

Mr. and Mrs. R.D. McLain are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Tammy to Marshall Hanes, son of Mrs. Ann Hanes.

The couple will be married March 6 at 7 p.m. in First Baptist Church in McLean. Miss McLain is a 1980 graduate of McLean High School. Hanes is a 1977 graduate of McLean High School.

Swap-A-Hobi Club Discusses Projects

The Swap-A-Hobi club met Feb. 18 with Lucy Goldston, and club members discussed new projects for the club. Members spent the work time learning a new crochet pattern.

Mickey Johnson was welcomed as a new member.

Maggie Johnston received the hostess gift. Refreshments were served to Bea Lester, Virginia Tate, Emily Rippey, Jerry Corbin, Maggie Johnson, Mickey Jackson, Myrtle Phillips, Judy Orrick, Loree Baker, Sophie Hutchinson, and Clara Hupp.

Five From McLean Named To Dean's List

LUBBOCK--More than 5,100 students at Texas Tech University qualified for the deans' honor rolls in the six colleges during the 1980 fall semester.

Among them were Gregory Henley, Melinda Hunt, Gina Layne, Bradley Melton, and Curtis Simpson, all of McLean. To qualify for the dean's roll a student must have a grade

point average of 3.0 or more on a 4.0 scale and must have taken as many as 12 semester hours of work. Texas Tech has an enrollment of more than 23,000 students in six colleges: Agriculture Sciences, AVIS and Sciences, Business Administration, Education, Engineering and Home Economics.

Nursing Center News

Our deepest sympathy to the family of Harry Mendenhall, who died Feb. 19. He will be greatly missed.

We want to thank A.W. Clawson for the metal folding table he brought to us. It's what we need for our craft work. Thanks also to Charlene Barker for the card table. We set it up in the lobby for dominos and checkers.

Sunday the Church of Christ members were here to conduct church services.

Tuesday and Wednesday mornings we worked on crafts, with Wanda Baily here to assist.

Tuesday afternoon our ladies worked on their quilts. Wednesday afternoon the Church of Christ members conducted Bible study.

Friday the ladies worked on their quilts again.

Saturday the residents enjoyed a very special program. Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Hedgecock of Bovina and Rev. and Mrs. Archie Cooper came out dressed as clowns and delighted everyone with their program. We appreciate our local people and the visitors who take the time to bring joy and laughter to our residents.



LIBRARY NOTES

by Sam Haynes

Reagan the Man, the President by Henrick Smith, Adam Clymer, Leonard Silk, Robert Lindsey and Richard Burt. This brand-new book, written by five correspondents of the New York Times, is as interesting as it is timely concerning our new president Ronald Reagan.

The wave of conservatism which has swept our country and which carried Reagan to an overwhelming victory over Jimmy Carter in the 1980 elections, zeroed in on a man who had championed the conservative cause for a number of years, and was elected on the presumption he would make good on his promise of less government red tape, lower taxes, and less government intervention in business. Promises of reducing the size of the bureaucracy in Washington also won many supporters for our new head of

state, and followers are anxiously waiting to see some of these aims brought to fruition.

These five well-known and respected correspondents, who have followed Reagan for years, bring interesting and knowledgeable insight into the prospects of his implementing his program, and follow and comment on his boyhood life in a small Illinois town, through his varied career in Hollywood, to his unsuccessful and fruitful runs for the Presidency.

The authors examine closely Reagan's style and accomplishments as Governor of California, his leanings on controversial issues and his personal character, in an effort to determine what course he will take as our new President and the possibilities and probabilities of success. "Reagan, the Man, the President" is now available at Lovett Memorial Library.

LEFORS BRIEFS

Helen Akins was elected chairman of the Lefors Development Program Feb. 21 during the group's regular meeting. Following a salad supper, the 29 people present also elected Mary Crutcher, vice chairman; June Thacker, secretary and treasurer; Charlene Mullis and Helen Akins, reporters; and Evelyn Wallis, advertisement.

Walter Elliott reported on the senior citizens program in Lefors and told the group that he is still working on getting the papers signed for the club. Mary White will take pictures for the clubs' yearbook.

The Hill Top Cafe in Lefors burned Sunday morning about

7 a.m. The cafe is owned by C.W. and Mary Boortz.

Geneva Lisenbee and her daughter Charlene Kyle of Pampa spent Friday morning in Amarillo.

Sherri Thacker accompanied her boss, the owner of the Copper Kitchen in Pampa, to Dallas for market.

Edna Calloway and Evonne Thacker went to Oklahoma visiting.

The senior parents will play KD/JW from Amarillo in a basketball game Friday night at 8 p.m. The game is to help the seniors raise money for their senior trip.

Mr. and Mrs. K.W. Hambricht and Tony were in Clarendon on business Friday and also visited in the Millard Window home.

Cliff Douglas of Walsh, Colorado spent Wednesday night with his cousin, E.J. Windom, Sr. Thursday they were in Idalou with Marsalee and Wendi Vineyard.

Mrs. George Humphreys and son Jack of Pampa were in Chillicothe Saturday to visit her niece who is seriously ill.

Jim Hathaway has been in Whitwright visiting in the home of his son Dwight Hathaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Cat Pugh of Forsythe, Montana have been visiting in the home of his brother, Clifton Pugh and with other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Blackshear of Albuquerque, New Mexico visited her mother, Mrs. Mae Chilton on Thursday.

Mrs. Evelyn Blaylock, Mrs. Joyce Phillips and son, Mrs. Delena Blaylock and baby all of Amarillo came Wednesday to help their mother and grandmother Mrs. Thelma Stevens enjoy her birthday dinner.

Moille McDowell, Elizabeth Miller and Inez Trostle were in Amarillo Sunday afternoon and visited with the Clifton Wilkersons.

Judy Trew, Michele Wade and Terri Lowe of Lubbock spent the weekend in the Don Trew home.

Spencer Sitter of Santa Fe, New Mexico spent Wednesday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Even Sitter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Glass spent Sunday and Sunday night in Canyon with her brother and wife Dr. and Mrs. Dennis Smith.

Ruth Pennington spent several days in Erick, Okla. with her granddaughter, Pat Whitten and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Boyd Smith visited in Shamrock with Mr. and Mrs. Butch Cogburn and with Mr. and Mrs. Roy McNett and in Wheeler with Royce and Claudie Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Brad Parker and children, Derek and Mindy of Canyon spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Mertel spent several days in Bedford visiting their daughter and her family, Gary, Teresa, and Tarrah Phillips.

Joy Rhine of Tech spent the weekend with Boyd and Frankie Smith. Gary Cogburn of WTU, Canyon was also a guest in the Smith home.

Ruth Pennington and daughter Priscilla Vermillion of Shamrock were in Amarillo Monday on business.

Mayme Hathaway and Lavern Carter were in Wheeler Thursday and attended a workshop on the Federal Housing Authority.

Jill Terry and Toni Helton and Ann Long and children were in Pampa Wednesday.

Terry Smith and his girlfriend of Wheeler visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Olt Davis last Wednesday.

Virginia Tate accompanied by her sister Jessie Mum of Pampa spent Friday in amarillo with Mrs. Tate's daughter, Mrs. Nancy Masters and family.

Mrs. A.E. Carpenter visited M.M. Buster Cofer in Shamrock General Hospital on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cat Pugh of Forsythe, Montana were

guests Sunday morning at the Heald Methodist Church. They spent the remainder of the day visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Arbie Lankford and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Reeves have returned home from an extended visit with their son Joe Reeves and his wife in Abernathy. While they were there, Boyd was in the hospital several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powell of Trinidad, Colorado spent Tuesday night with Mrs. Emily Rippey.

Mrs. Joyce Morris of Dumas spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Vivian Grigsby. Vivian returned to Dumas with her daughter for a visit.

Mrs. Louise Johnson is in California visiting with her sister, Mrs. Jack Litchfield and

family.

Mrs. Pearl Dickinson has returned home following an extended visit in Houston with her daughters, Mrs. Nancy Neas and Mrs. Earnestine Smith and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Trew spent Tuesday in Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. Stan Thorne.

Mr. and Mrs. Ott Davis were in Pampa Sunday and had dinner with the Guy Freemans.

Phillip Hermesmeier visited Mrs. Mary Powell Sunday afternoon.

Some relatives of Grace Powell who attended the graveside services here last Wednesday and visited in the home of Mary Powell were:

Mr. and Mrs. Don Powell and Mike Mitchell of Can-

adian, Donna Ruth Powell of Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powell of Trinidad, Col. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Powell of Dumas. Kay Jones of Dumas. Olive Bobb of Amarillo. Oleene Orr of Panhandle. Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Gatewood and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Buster all of CANYON. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. George Denny of Wayside.

The Bill Grahams' have their daughter and grandchildren, Mrs. Kathy Hensie, Will and Rachel of Dimmitt, with them this week.

Perry, Kim and Jay Graham were in Amarillo Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hambricht were in Clarendon Monday and visited her brother and his wife Mr. and Mrs. Millard Windom.

Mrs. Evelyn Thompson and sons, Scott and Kevin of Garland, Mrs. Susan Burgin and daughters, Kristina and Courtney of Groom, and Mrs. Margurite Burgin of Groom visited Mrs. Mattie Wheeler and Dick Thursday.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Haynes last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Orin Barnes of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Evans, Chris and Jackie of Lubbock, Scott Raines of Perryton, Sally Haynes of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carter and Kristina of McLean and Mrs. Mrs. Thacker Haynes and J.T. of McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Wink Gideon spent the week in Granbury.

Visiting Mae Chilton over the weekend were LaJune and Duwayne Blackshear from Albuquerque, N.M.

Beulah Humphreys of McLean, and her son Jack of Pampa, visited her niece Miss Lettie Brock in Chillicothe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Miro Pagan attended the funeral of Earl Breeding of Miami recently and visited Sam Bowers, and then went to Canadian and visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pinson.

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Lovett Library Receives Gift Books

McLean's Lovett Memorial Library is one of over 300 public and school libraries in the state chosen to receive a gift of eight books from the Amon Carter Museum in Fort Worth.

The gifts were made possible by a grant from a private Dallas foundation. The museum undertook a similar program in the mid-70s under a grant from the Texas Commission on the Arts and Humanities.

Officials for the museum said that they were pleased to be able to share the programs of the museum, as represented by the books, with such a large number of libraries.

The books cover a wide range of American art, history, and photography. All

chronicle exhibitions that appeared at the museum and other institutions throughout the country. The Amon Carter Museum opened in 1961 and is devoted to the "western" of America. It has published over 70 books in its twenty-year history.

The books given to the library are: *The Bison in Art* by Larry Barsness, *Cities on Stone* by John Repp, *Dorothea Lange Looks at the American Country Woman*, *The Track Going Back*, *The Democratic Art* by Peter Marzio, *American Art from the Worcester Art Museum*, *American Impressionist and Realist Paintings from the William Marshall Fuller Collection*, and *Todd Webb Photographs*.

In The Kitchen

by Linda Haynes



Not everyone likes mushrooms, but those who do really like them. You might get the non-eaters in your family to try mushrooms if you fix this salad.

FRESH MUSHROOM SALAD
1 lb. large mushrooms
6 tablespoons lemon juice
1 tablespoon snipped chives
1 tablespoon chopped parsley
1 tsp. dried tarragon leaves
1/2 cup bottled Italian-style dressing
1/4 cup finely chopped pimento
1/8 tsp. salt
1/8 tsp. pepper

1 1/2 tsp. sugar
2 tsp. prepared mustard
Wash and dry mushrooms. Finely slice mushrooms into large bowl. Sprinkle with lemon juice, chives, parsley, and tarragon; stir gently. Refrigerate, covered, 1 hour.

In a bowl, combine salad dressing, pimento, salt, pepper, sugar, and mustard. Stir to mix well. Refrigerate, covered about 1 hour.

To serve, toss mushrooms with dressing. Arrange on bed of lettuce.

SCHOOL MENU

LUNCH
Mar. 2
Pizza, tossed salad, corn, peanut butter chewies
Mar. 3
Chicken fried steaks, mashed potatoes, lima beans, gravy, hot rolls
Mar. 4
Hamburgers, pickles, onions, lettuce, tomatoes, French fries, fruit
Mar. 5
Goulash, pinto beans, spinach, corn bread, pudding
Mar. 6
Fish portions, macaroni & cheese, tartar sauce, cole slaw, jello

BREAKFAST
Mar. 2
Hot cereal, toast, jelly, juice, milk
Mar. 3
Cold cereal, toast, jelly, juice, milk
Mar. 4
Scrambled eggs, toast, jelly, juice, milk
Mar. 5
Creamed beef on toast, juice, milk
Mar. 6
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Rachel Glenn, Gerald Melville Wed

Karen Rachel Glenn and Gerald LeRoy Melville were united in marriage Feb. 14 in Central Church of Christ of Amarillo with minister Les Gleaves officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Glenn of McLean. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth W. Melville Sr. of Grand Prairie.

Maid of honor was Cindy Taylor of Seagraves. Bridal attendants were Sherry Glass of McLean and Robin Hill of Pampa.

Kenneth W. Melville Sr. of Grand Prairie, father of the groom, was the best man.

Groomsmen were Bruce Seiber of Grand Prairie and Kenneth W. Melville Jr. of Amarillo, brother of the groom. Ushers were Steve Ellison of McLean and Steve Brazile of Amarillo.

Music was provided by vocalist Brad Steele of Grand Prairie.

Pam Melville of Grand Prairie, sister of the groom, and Kris Melville of Amarillo, were hostesses for the reception.

The bride is employed by the First National Bank in Amarillo. Her husband is employed by Albertsons Southco in Amarillo.

Club Plans Volleyball Tournament

Beta Sigma Phi met Feb. 23 and finished discussing plans for their volleyball tournament set for Mar. 5, 6, and 7. The group also planned a social for March 9 which will be a game night. The husbands of club members will be invited, and the theme will be Irish Stew.

Kathy Reynolds gave a program titled "Ethetics - Perception of Beauty."

Barbara Matheny served refreshments to Nancy Billingsley, Mary Lou Glass, Sonie Heasley, Billie Kingston, Sue Marsh, Margaret Milam, Ann Pierce, Kathy Reynolds, Jean Smith, Donna Hauck, and Jan Layfield.

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In Calico Arts & Crafts 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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Why Do They Always Cry?

THE JUDGES ANNOUNCE the winner... Susie Billingsley, Miss McLean 1981 (Photo By Linda Haynes)



Ten Pretty Girls

THE 10 FINALISTS IN the Miss McLean pageant were, from left, Teresa Woods, Susie Billingsley, Rene Conner, Terri Glass, Rhonda Herndon, Cindy Glass, Donna McAnear, Missy Billingsley, Carmel Moore, and Kim Sanders. (Photo by Linda Haynes)

HOMEMAKER NEWS BY ELAINE HOUSTON

FREE LETTER SERIES OFFERED:

A free letter series on how to cope with the problems of divorce is being offered by the Gray County Family Living Committee. The letter series will feature a series of ten letters designed to help individuals and families cope

with the stress of divorce. The letter will begin on February 27th. Anyone interested in receiving the letter series should contact the Gray County Extension Service by calling 669-7429, or write to Star Route 2 Box 33, Pampa, Texas 79065.

PATTERN ALTERATION WORKSHOP:

Mrs. Becky Saunders, Clothing Specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, will be in Pampa on March 5th to conduct a Pattern Alteration Workshop. This special workshop will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. in the Courthouse Annex Meeting Room. Mrs. Saunders will cover principles of pattern alterations, common alteration problems, and how to alter the pattern. Following the lunch, the specialist will be available for personal consultations on pattern fitting problems. This

is a free workshop sponsored by the Gray County Family Living Committee.



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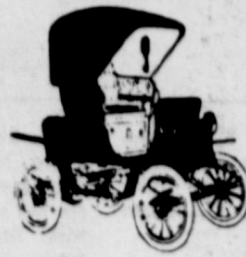
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DOWN MEMORY LANE

From the files of The McLean News

by Sam Haynes

10 YEARS AGO ...

E.M. Baily, Editor
One of the worst snow storms in many years moved into the Panhandle Saturday night leaving drifts up to the eaves of houses. Earlier weather reports said there would be about 4 inches of snow. The final measure had Pampa with 24 inches and about the same at McLean. The major culprit was wind over 50 miles per hour and visibility sometimes less than 10 feet.

Funeral services for Henry Moses Roth, 83, who lived three miles east of McLean, were held Thursday, at two p.m. in the First Baptist Church.

Funeral services for William Luther Petty, 83, were held Monday at the First Baptist Church with burial in Hillcrest Cemetery conducted by Lamb Funeral Home.

Alanreed news... Mrs. George Orrick and Billy of McLean were out at their old home place, north of Alanreed last Sunday afternoon.

20 YEARS AGO ...

Announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Carroll Lynn Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Campbell, Jr., of Matador, to James S. Allison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allison of McLean, was made at a tea in the Campbell home on Monday evening, Feb. 13.

Mrs. Bill Moore and Mrs. James Smith and children visited the Tommy Plum family at Scott City, Kan., during the weekend. They were accompanied home by Ray Don Moore of Forgan, Okla., who is spending the week here. Ray Don celebrated his sixth birthday Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Peabody, Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Carter and Mrs. Lena Pettit were in White Deer Sunday to visit the Bazel Pettits.

30 YEARS AGO ...

Lester Campbell, Editor
The McLean Tigerettes, girl's basketball team of McLean High School, went through the District 2-A tournament here last weekend in grand style to take top honors in the girl's division of the district. The Tigerettes decisively whipped the Shamrock Lassies 45 to 18 in the final game Saturday night. The entire Tigerettes team was placed on the all-district girl's team. They were: Dorothy Gudel, Bonita Bailey and Sue Lively, forwards; and Joyce Bruner, Mary Graham, and Lajune Chilton, guards.

More contributions to the new fire truck fund of the McLean Volunteer Fire Department were reported this week by Fire Chief Boyd Meador. The total amount now collected is \$2,840, Meador said, which is \$660 short of the goal \$3500.

The McLean area has 1,500 more baby chicks this week than it had last week. The 1,500 chicks were bought by members of the McLean Lions Club for some of the members of Clyde Magee's vocational agriculture students in the McLean schools.

40 YEARS AGO ...

T.A. Landers, Editor
Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Hess visited their son, Farris, at College Station over the weekend. They will visit relatives in Illinois before returning home.

To the Editor of the McLean News: We of the Air Corps Training Detachment take this opportunity to commend one of your former citizens, Flying Cadet George C. McCarty. Mr. McCarty's record at this school has been an enviable one. He was selected as Flying Cadet Sergeant of his class. Our Flying Cadet officers must possess that quality so necessary to carry on the esprit de corps and furnish the military background for the lower classmen, under the supervision of the Air Corps Supervisors. It is with a feeling of satisfaction that we send such men as Mr. McCarty "on to Moffett," and wish them happy landings.... Sincerely, Merrill H. Carlton, 2nd Lt., Lindbergh Field, San Diego.

Misses Margaret Glass and Frances Hudzietz were in Pampa Thursday.

The Department of Fine Arts of Amarillo College presented 13 pupils of piano, violin, and voice in recital at the college auditorium Tuesday evening. Robert Gibson of McLean was one of the three violin students presented. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gibson, accompanied him to the program.

50 YEARS AGO ...

T.A. Landers, Editor
Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Woods entertained last Thursday evening with a forty-two party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Rector. High score was

given to Bee Everett, and consolation to Ken Rector. Dainty refreshments were served to the following: Messrs and Mesdames Bee Everett, Porter Smith, Frank Bidwell, Milton Banta, J.A. Meador, Ken Rector, Dewey Woods and Mrs. Chas. Guill.

The McLean grammar school closed its first basketball season last week. Considering the fact that it was the first basketball team the school ever produced, and all the boys were young and inexperienced, it was a very successful season. The team won nine games and lost five. The boys who helped to make the team what it was were: Fred Haley, Lewis Tolliver, George McCarty, Hershel McCarty, Charles Stratton, Alton Howard, June Woods, Eugene Greer, Arnold Sharp, Othel Thompson, J.L. Mann, Arthur Ray Ledbetter, Edgar Brewster, Kivie Ayer, Smith Stockton, James Massay, Chas. Finley, Walter Charles Watkins, Kelton Ware and Abra Shelton.

Nrs. Sam Kunkel visited in the M.H. Kinard home at Gracey this week.

Miss Fern Upham visited in Wichita Falls last week.

60 YEARS AGO ...

M.L. Moody, Editor
Emmett Thompson and Misses Hattie Thompson and Ruby Cook went to Amarillo the first of the week to attend the StyleShow.

Mrs. Frank Baily and Miss Fannie went to Amarillo Saturday afternoon to visit Mrs. J.A. Haynes, who is in a sanitarium at that place.

A meeting of McLean baseball players will be held at Everett's barber shop Wednesday night at seven o'clock. All players are requested to be present.

WANTED An incubator and a Jersey bull. Frank P. Wilson.

E. H. Kramer and Walter McAdams went to Amarillo Saturday on business.

It is rumored that the new bank building will be commenced as soon as the weather conditions get settled. Let us hope that Miss rumor is not indulging in a sly flirtation.

Lost.... Last Saturday afternoon, in town, a gold bracelet with the initials "E.B." engraved thereon. Please return to the News office.

Now that Amarillo is practically assured of a Court of Appeals, there are numerous candidates for appointment on the bench of that tribunal. It seems the McLean Country could find up a man to put forward. We have the best of everything else in the Panhandle.

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AUTOS FOR SALE: '71 Cadillac sedan DeVille. Good condition. Priced to sell. Call 256-2668. 7-4c

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PERSONALS

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I WILL NOT be responsible for any debts other than my own. Carlos Edwards, Shamrock. 8-3c

NOTICE

OUR GRAY COUNTY officials have been asked to make a decision on whether or not to allow the opening of a Private Club near the city limits of McLean. This is not a "wet" or "dry" issue! This decision will be made largely on the strength of the wishes of the people of McLean. Our officials need to hear from you

on this matter before Tuesday, March 10th. Please write to County Judge Carl Kennedy, Box 496, Pampa, Texas 79065.

All correspondence will be kept strictly confidential. This is not a "vote" and will not necessarily be decided on a majority vote basis. Those responsible for making this decision would like to know how you feel about this subject. Thank you
The Management of the Dixie Restuarant

We would like to express our appreciation for every act of love and kindness shown to

us during the illness and death of our father and grandfather, Phillip Bentley.
The W. A. Bentleys and families
The Arlie D. Bentleys and families

Loose Marbles

by Lisa Patman

Last week in this column I gave you a puzzle, now known as "Lisa's Filthy Swine of a Riddle." I loved the response on it. There were people screaming at me in cafes, hollering at me across the street, and in general threatening my life if I ever pulled a stunt like that again. At least I know you were paying attention.

The riddle was this: *A man is running home as fast as he can, when he sees another man who is holding something in his hand. When the first man sees the object, he turns around and runs back the way he came, also as fast as he can. What is the second man holding in his hand?*

The answer to this terrible question is (heh, heh, heh...you're really going to hate this)...*a baseball.*

What do you mean you don't understand it? If you were running for home, and you saw the hindcatcher with the ball in his hand, wouldn't you run back to third base as fast as you could?

Speaking of baseball, and in keeping with general meanness, Warren Hasse, who owns KPND radio in Pampa, and is known for his very fine sports announcing, sent me this mini-teaser: *The bases are loaded, bottom of the ninth, two out, and the batter hits a home run over the centerfield fence. Still, not a man scored. Why not?*

This is almost as mean as last week's. You can dub this "Hasse's Filthy Swine of a Riddle." But since Mr. Hasse is an all-around nice guy, and a new grandfather on top of that, I'll give you the answer to his riddle.

The reason not a man scored was...*It was a girls' game.* (If it bothers you too much, call Warren Hasse, that's Warren Hasse, folks, at KPND Radio in Pampa, and holler at him!)



NOTICE OF CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION DE FUNCIONARIOS DE LA CIUDAD)

City of McLean
Name of City (Nombre de la Ciudad)

Notice is hereby given that a City Officers' Election will be held on the 4 day of April 81, in the above named city for the purpose of electing the following officers for said city: Mayor, 1 Aldermen, 1 Councilman. Said election will be held at the following polling places in said city:

Election Precinct No. 1 at City Hall Building;
Election Precinct No. at Building;
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The polls at each of the above designated polling places shall on said election day be open from 8:00 lock a.m. to 7:00 o'clock p.m.

The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at City Hall Building, in said city, and said place of absentee voting shall remain open for at least 8 hours on each day of absentee voting which is not a Saturday, Sunday or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8:30 o'clock a.m. and 5:00 o'clock p.m.
Dated this the 23 day of February, 19 81.

(Se da aviso por la presente que se llevará a cabo una Elección de Funcionarios de la Ciudad el día CUARTO de abril de 19 81, en la ciudad arriba mencionada para el propósito de elegir los siguientes funcionarios para dicha ciudad: Alcalde, 1 Concejales, 1 Councilman. Dicha elección se llevará a cabo en los siguientes lugares de votación en dicha ciudad:
Precincto Electoral Núm. 001 en el Edificio ciudad ayuntamiento;
Precincto Electoral Núm. en el Edificio;
Precincto Electoral Núm. en el Edificio;
Precincto Electoral Núm. en el Edificio.

Los sitios de votación arriba designados para dicha elección se mantendrán abiertos en el mencionado día de elecciones de la 8:00 a.m. a las 7:00 p.m.

La votación ausente para la elección arriba designada se llevará a cabo en el Edificio ciudad ayuntamiento, en dicha ciudad, y dicho lugar de votación ausente se mantendrá abierto por lo menos ocho horas en cada día de votación ausente no siendo sábado, domingo o día festivo del Estado, principiando 20 días y continuando hasta el cuarto día anteriores a la fecha de dicha elección. Dicho lugar de votación se mantendrá abierto de las 8:30 a las 5:00 p.m.
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MISS CONGENIALITY, JAMIE Glass receives a silver tray and a kiss from senior David Day at the Miss McLean beauty pageant Saturday night. (Photo by Linda Haynes)



MISS McLEAN 1980, Rhonda Woods, performs her final duty before relinquishing her crown to the new title holder. (Photo by Linda Haynes)

County Ag News by Joe VanZandt

FRUIT TREES NEED ANNUAL "LUBE" JOB:

Have you given your fruit and nut trees their annual "lube" job? This refers, of course, to an application of dormant oil to control scale insects.

Why control scale insects? The answer is simply to save the tree. If a scale insect such as the San Jose scale or which peach gets started, it could kill your tree.

Dormant oil can be purchased at many different

stores where garden supplies are sold. Be sure to follow all label directions and apply the mixture when the temperature is between 40-70 degrees F. Do not apply if a freeze is likely within 48 hours after application, and do not apply after the tree has budded out. Dormant oil is applied when the tree is dormant. Spraying flowers and leaves could cause leaf burn and flower drop.

Birthdays

Feb. 27
Mrs. Forrest Switzer
Mrs. Howard Williams
James Lloyd Todd
Joe Graham
Susan Simmons

Feb. 28
Mrs. Keith Teeple
Mrs. Phynelpha Rhoades
Mrs. Harris Howard

Feb. 29
Mrs. P.L. Ledgerwood
Mrs. Pearl Mercer
Mike Harkins

March 1
Mrs. George Orrick
Dennis Kevin Roan
Jennifer Rose Hill
Shane Coleman

March 2
Rosie Lee Smith
Sylvia Irene Smith
Judy Lynn Watson
Robin Lean Smith
Mrs. Lillie Pickett
Eric Jayson Windom

March 3
Ronnie Lee Walker
Charlie Vineyard
Dale Glenn Gipson
Lana Dunivin

March 4
Norma Sue Hill
Frances Morgan Sprong

March 5
Mrs. H.V. Ballard
Mrs. Troy Corbin
Trudy Stewart
A.R. Clawson
Connie Renee Lee

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BRIEFS

Marvin Rawlings underwent major surgery in Pampa hospital last week.

Visiting the Dick Dragons during the weekend were Mrs. and Mr. James Armbrister and children of Pampa.

Don Horn was sporting a broken foot Sunday, as a result of a fall from a windmill he was repairing.

Polly Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Davis, and Lena Carter were in Pampa Monday where Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Carter attended Homemakers Council. Mrs. Harrison is a delegate, and Mrs. Carter sat in for Nell Keese who is unable to leave her ill husband alone.

Buddy and Willie Montgomery visited with Pitt Rawlings in Pampa hospital Monday and reported him much better.

Mrs. Vera Cooper (Mrs. Sonny Bryant's mother) recently underwent major surgery in Amarillo hospital, but was reported as doing fine.

On the sick list last week were Marie Baker, Dorothy Daniels, and Dan Fish.

The David Armbristers are making plans to move to Oklahoma.

Faye Conner of McLean visited her parents here Monday after returning from a painting class in Amarillo. Her dad, Mr. Keese, is slowly improving from a long illness.



Gone Fishin

by Jeanette Fish

We have a ringside seat at some spectacular sky shows, living here in the sparsely populated, dimly lighted Texas Panhandle -- dimly lighted compared to large metropolitan areas. During the seven month period from Dec. 31, 1980 to July 23, 1981, Jupiter and Saturn will pass with one degree (two moon-widths) of each other--not once, but three times. This is known as a triple conjunction. Saturn and Jupiter are the two slowest-moving of the bright planets. They don't pass each other very often.

This event is also called a Great Conjunction. The first pairing occurred Dec. 31. The second conjunction will take place on March 4, 1981. The pair will rise in the east within two hours after sunset, and remain visible the rest of the night. After this, the planets will separate until mid-May when they will be nearly three degrees apart.

On the evening of July 23 (which is coincidentally the twelfth birthday of the amateur astronomer at our house), Jupiter passes Saturn for the third time--a momentous occasion. Such a series occurred in Pisces in 7 B.C. Now in 1980-81 for only the eleventh time since then, we have another triple conjunction. Talk about being born in the right place at the right time! The next triple conjunction between Jupiter and Saturn will not occur until 2238-2239, more than 2 1/2 centuries from now.

The night time Texas sky is breathtaking. Don't miss the big events March 4 and July 3.

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