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Sallie McAllister Buried Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. Sallie McAllister of N. Gray, who died Friday, were held at 2 p.m. Monday at the First United Methodist Church with Rev. Harmon Meixner, pastor, and Rev. Herman Hill, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery under the direction of Lamb Funeral Home.

Mrs. McAllister was born at Johnson Station in Tarrant County in 1895. She moved to McLean from Hollis, Okla. in 1910. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include one son, Ishmael Swafford McAllister of San Jose, Calif.; and one brother, Henry Swafford of Amarillo.

Roderic Fabian on Dean's Honor Roll

Roderic Fabian was named one of the 200 McMurry College students on the fall Dean's List released by Dr. Allen Cordts, vice president for academic affairs and dean of the college.

Roderic had a 4.0 grade point average for the fall semester at McMurry College.

Roderic's parents are Dr. and Mrs. H.F. Fabian of McLean. Roderic graduated in 1972 from McLean High in McLean. Roderic is a senior student, majoring in chemistry and minoring in biology.

School activities include Chi Omicron social club, Chemistry student of the year for sophomore class, Gamma Sigma Epsilon, and Chemical fraternity ACS student affiliate.

Heart Fund Drive Nets \$600.46

The Heart Fund drive was held Sunday, February 29th. Pat Guill, chairman, with her workers collected \$600.46. Those helping with the drive were Virginia Tate, Laine Brooks, Lois Myrtle, Ruth Lowary, Ruth Geagee, Christine Winehart and the young people from the Assembly of God Church, Leland, and Roger Myers, Donna and Sandra Peterson, Perri Conklin, Carla Ennis and Beckie Feder.

If you were missed and wish to donate mail your contribution to Gray County Heart Fund, %Bob Finley, Pampa, Texas 79065, or any of the names listed above.

McLean Schools Have Open House

Open house was held Tuesday, March 2 for the McLean schools as part of Public Schools Week of Texas. Both buildings were opened at 6:30 p.m. The parents of high school students went to the high school at 7:15. They followed their children's schedule, going to each class for five minutes with two minute breaks in between.

A contest was held between the four grades in high school. The class with the biggest number of parents coming to go over their schedule had \$10 added to their class fund. The sophomore class won the contest.

Following open house was a concert given by the McLean High School Band. They played "Suite in Minor Mode" by Dmitri Kabalevsky, "La Banda Nascete" arranged by R.E. Brittain, "Suite for Band" by Merle E. Hogg, and "Chester" by William Billings. "Chester" was arranged for band by Gerald Tolmage.

Dr. Kit Show This Thursday

This Thursday, March 4, in the McLean High School Auditorium will be the Student Council sponsored Dr. Kit Show. The show starts at 8:00 p.m. Be sure to come out and see the fantastic magician and hypnotist Dr. Kit.

Jubilee is canceled Until later date

The Derby Town Jubilee which had been set for this coming Saturday night has been postponed until a later date, due to the large number of flu cases.

Sgt. Kenneth Gibson Stationed in N. D.

U. S. Air Force Staff Sergeant Kenneth A. Gibson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip M. Gibson of Alanreed has arrived for duty at Minot AFB, N.D.

Sergeant Gibson, a fuels supply specialist with a unit of the Strategic Air Command, previously served at Seymour Johnson AFB, N.C.

The Sergeant is a 1956 graduate of McLean High School. His wife, Linda, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elro Holtz of 208 Eighth St., Breckenridge, Minn.

Seven File for School Trustee Posts

A school board trustees election has been set by the McLean Independent School for Saturday, April 3 in the elementary cafeteria.

There are three openings on the school board. Trustees who will go off the board are Bob Sherrod, Delbert Trew, and Butch Turpen.

As of Wednesday afternoon seven had filed for these positions, six men and one woman. They are Joe Billingsley, Bryan Parker, W. C. Stokes, Charlene Pierce, Steve Brass, Butch Turpen, and Gerald Tate.

Gregory Fabian on Dean's Honor Roll

Greg Fabian was named one of the 200 McMurry College students on the fall Dean's List released by Dr. Allen Cordts, vice president for academic affairs and dean of the college.

Greg had a 4.0 grade point average for the fall semester at McMurry College.

Greg's parents are Dr. and Mrs. H.F. Fabian of McLean. Greg graduated in 1973 from McLean High in McLean.

Greg is a junior student, majoring in chemistry and minoring in biology.

School activities include: Freshman chemistry student of the year, and 1974 Dean's List three semesters.

Former Resident Buried in McLean

Funeral services for R. L. "Ray" McDonald, 81 of Pampa, were held at 2 p.m. at Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel with Rev. Claude Cone, pastor of First Baptist Church officiating. Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery.

Mr. McDonald, who died Monday, was born in Louisiana and married Georgia Jones in 1922. He had been a resident of Pampa since 1958 and was a former resident of McLean. He was a member of First Baptist Church and Masonic Lodge of McLean.

He is survived by his wife; two sons, one daughter, two sisters, and nine grandchildren.

Shirley Stokes is Breath of Life Campaign Chairman

Shirley Stokes of McLean, has been named chairman of the Cystic Fibrosis Spring "Breath of Life" Campaign to fight children's lung diseases, according to Chuck Laurent, President of the Loe Star Chapter, Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

This Spring, Mrs. Stokes will lead local volunteers to support research and care programs for children affected by lung-damaging diseases like cystic fibrosis, severe asthma, chronic bronchitis, bronchiectasis, and a condition called "childhood emphysema".

Cystic Fibrosis, an incurable genetic disease, is inherited when both parents carry the recessive gene for C/F. It is believed that one in twenty persons or 10 million Americans may carry the C/F gene, usually without knowing it. Current research funded by the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation is seeking a practical test to identify these carriers.

Because of improved therapy and constant research, many C/F patients are living longer and hoping for the future. This kind of therapy is relieving and often curing children suffering from other respiratory afflictions whose symptoms resemble those of C/F. Through campaigns all over Texas the goals of education, research and patient care are reached.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shelton of Weatherford, Okla. visited in the W.C. Simpson home on Sunday. They are the former owners of the McLean News.

McLean Stock Show Saturday

The McLean Stock Show is this Saturday. The stock show will begin at 10:00 a.m. All livestock should be weighed in at the rodeo arena by 6:00 p.m. Friday. Todd Darsey is the General Superintendent. He will be the man that will be weighing the livestock. All people that are showing an animal can take their animals to be weighed after 12:30 p.m. The McLean FFA and 4-H will be the only ones that will be showing an animal in the show. There will be refreshments at the stock show. The public is invited to come.

Three File for City Aldermen

The city election for selecting three aldermen has been set by the City of McLean for April 3 and will be held in the city hall.

Absentee voting will begin on March 15. The three aldermen that have terms running out are Wilson W. Boyd, W.C. Kennedy and Miro Pakan. As of Wednesday afternoon these three are the only ones that have filed.

4-H Scholarship To Be Given

By Marilyn Shirley

The Gray County Home Demonstration Council has set guidelines for giving a Gray County Home Demonstration Association scholarship. The scholarship is to provide educational opportunities in the form of one scholarship to an outstanding 4-H club girl or boy each year. The scholarship is for \$200.

Any 4-H club boy or girl who has completed or is enrolled in their third year of 4-H club work and plans to attend college during the fall and spring semesters following the year of the judging and has not passed their nineteenth birthday as of January 1 of the year when records are submitted is eligible.

The applicant must submit a 4-H record book that includes a special story and a transcript of high school grades to the county extension office by March 15. County winners will be announced April 1.

If anyone is interested they can contact the county extension office or Mrs. Jim Hollingwood, chairman of the 4-H scholarship committee, for further information.

Mrs. Ada Lee Day Funeral Services Held Wednesday

Funeral services for Mrs. Ada Lee Day, who died Monday, were held Wednesday, March 3 at 11:00 a.m. in the United Methodist Church.

Officiating was Rev. Harmon Meixner, pastor. Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery by Lamb Funeral Home.

Mrs. Lee was born in Haskell County in 1890. She was married to C.H. Day in 1909 at Abilene. The couple moved to McLean in 1950, from Valley Mills. She was a member of the United Methodist Church.

She is survived by her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Jean Horn of Coleman and Mrs. June McGahey of Pampa; four sons, Charles C. of Port Lavaca, Ben Ro of Plainview, Fred of Las Cruces, N.M., and Bill of Comanche; one sister, Mrs. Marie Oldham of Plainview; two brothers, Hollis Wingo of Phoenix, Ariz., and Charles Wingo of Clyde; 12 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Donations for Vernie Anders Fund Being taken

A fund has been established for Mrs. Vernie Anders who has been hospitalized for four months in an Amarillo hospital by her friends in McLean.

Donations will be taken from the downtown area this week. Anyone who would like to share in this is asked to leave your donation at the American National Bank or contact Jay Thompson. The Anders' hospital and doctors bills are very large and continue to grow. They would appreciate any help, small or large from the townspeople.

Alanreed School to have Election

The Alanreed School has set their school board election for April 3 with two positions open on the board.

Filing for these two openings are Don Wilson, William Bradley and Dick Bode.

Brad Dalton and Cecilia of Pampa visited his mother, Virginia Dalton over the weekend.

Brother and Mrs. John Thames of Pampa visited F.B. Carter in McLean Hospital Sunday.



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Market Report

Beef and dry bean prices are two items on the move in Texas grocery stores currently--with beef prices steady, slightly higher and dry bean prices lower. Beef specials are scattered, but they primarily concern chuck roasts and steaks, sirloin and T-bone steaks and liver," Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt said.

Certain classes of dry beans are in excessively large supply this year--into beans, pinks, small reds, kidney beans.

Mrs. Clyatt is a consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University system.

At poultry counters, some stores are featuring fryer chickens--and turkeys have attractive prices. Large-size turkeys (16 pounds and up) are the best value.

Fish is a 'good-value' item to look for at frozen food sections--it has less fat, less saturated fat, more polyunsaturated fat, less cholesterol, and it is a good source of numerous minerals.

In produce departments, grapefruit and oranges continue in good supply with reasonable prices and excellent quality--while apples and lemons are economical.

Vegetables in good supply at the most economical prices are cabbage, carrots, hard-shell squash and turnips--along with broccoli, cooking greens and rutabagas.

Also, some stores are offering "fine values" on canned fruits and vegetables, Mrs. Clyatt added.

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Stock show draws near

By LAYTON BARTON and MARILYN SHIRLEY
Asst. County Extension Agents
Gray County 4-H'ers are busy preparing for stock shows, judging contests, and food shows to be held throughout March.

Gray County 4-H'ers in McLean will be competing Saturday at the McLean Stock Show in a warm-up for the Gray County and Top O' Texas Shows.

Several food groups have been preparing for the Gray County Food Show set for 1:30 p.m. March 7 at the Courthouse Annex. Winners of the county food show will attend the District Food Show March 13 in Amarillo.

Feb. 23 was the deadline for

entries in the Gray County and Top O' Texas Stock Shows. The Gray County Show will be March 13 and the Top O' Texas Show March 15-17. Gray County 4-H will be well represented in both shows. Gray County 4-H will have 28 steers, 53 barrows, and 3 Junior Heifers at the show.

The Gray County 4-H Horse Club has been meeting Wednesday evenings at the Clyde Carruth Livestock Pavilion, preparing for the district horse judging contest in April. The group will travel to Dumas March 20 for a practice session.

For additional information regarding any activities or 4-H, contact the Extension Office at 669-7429 or 669-7420.

Cowbelles Style Show Tickets on Sale

The Top o' Texas Cowbelles are now selling Style Show on March 27 Sat., at 3 p.m. at M.K. Brown Auditorium in Pampa. Tickets can be purchased at Behrman's in Pampa, from any Cowbelle or call 669-3663. The ticket includes a champagne buffet, the style show and entertainment by Sharon Garrison Combo of Perryton.

The Cowbelles were told at their recent meeting about the Real Beef Rip off by the labor unions according to Bill Fleming in the magazine, "Beef". "In every Chicago supermarket, at 6 p.m. a union butcher pulls a cover over the fresh beef case. And the hapless shopper who walks in at 6:20 finds he can't even buy a pound of hamburger. He's stuck with cold

WORDS: In deciding on purchase of "institutional" or "restaurant-size" No. 10 cans of many fruits and vegetables,

in some stores, consider immediate needs--and price" versus that of regular household-size containers.

For feeding the Boy Scout troop or making a church supper, the No. 10 can may offer a savings.

Economy ceases, however, if a large can means enlarging servings for the family or if part of the food is wasted.

cuts! Why no beef? Simply because union butchers in Chicago have a contract that forbids stores from selling fresh meat unless a union butcher is on duty. And union butchers refuse to work after 6 p.m.--or on Sunday or holidays. They've turned beef into strictly a weekday, 9-to-5 business, in Chicago. That labor contract is one of the most dramatic examples of a problem that's causing growing concern among beef industry leaders. They feel that organized labor, by blocking every effort at streamlining the beef business has been creating a giant "rip-off" in the beef business. It hits both sides--with consumers paying needlessly high prices and cattlemen being cheated out of fair profits--simply because labor unions won't allow beef to be handled and sold in the most efficient way. It's obvious that many beef sales are lost in Chicago every day--simply because the late shopper must settle for Spam instead of steak! And economists agree that such a cut in demand eventually gets reflected in terms of a little less money for the beef he produces.

News From ALAN REED

Mrs. Bert McKee received word Sunday Feb. 29 of the death of her cousin, Mrs. W.S. Sibley of Amarillo. Also a cousin, Hugh Palmer passed away Friday Feb. 28 in Van, Texas.

Mrs. Lena Carter spent Monday with Virginia Dalton in McLean and visited with F.B. Carter and Beth Leathers in McLean Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A.H. Moreman were in Pampa Sunday with the Ralph

Palmer. Mrs. Palmer underwent surgery last week.

Betty Finley was ill in Groom Hospital this week.

Visiting the Robert Bruces Sunday was Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bruce and Shawn of Pampa.

Mrs. Jewel Warner was in Amarillo on business last week and for medical attention.

Visiting here Sunday was Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bruce, Danny and Shelby and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hawkins and sons, of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Carter, Vicki and Jerri Ann of Pampa.

Visiting here and with F.B. Carter in McLean Hospital this week are Mr. and Mrs. Lester Carter of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Burr were in Clarendon on Monday.

Mrs. Bill Beck and children were in Pampa on business Tuesday.

Lucille Keller was in Pampa on business Monday.

Mrs. F.R. Crisp returned home here last week and is doing well after a long stay in the Groom Hospital.

Jack Standish is home and doing well after recent surgery in a Pampa Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill

Crisp returned grandson Chad to his home in Lockney over the weekend.

The Alanreed Home Demonstration Club met Feb. 26 in the home of Anita Bruce. The business was attended to and a demonstration was given by agent Elaine Houston on slow cooking. A spiced salad was slow cooked the night before and heated and served with other refreshments to the following: Anita Bruce, Mae Moreman, Mary Davis, Lucille Keller, Barbara Bode, Claudia Cooke, Sue Crisp, Omie Gibson, Lucy Goldston, Elaine Houston, Vickie Mose of Pampa, Eva Emmet and Laverne Farren of McLean.

Young At Heart Have Meeting

The Young at Heart Club met Friday night at the usual meeting place enjoying playing 42 and 88.

Those present were Mesdames Isabel Petty, Ruby Hill, Myrt McCoy, Vela Corcoran, Verna

Dorsey, Ruby Boyd, Eula Morrow, Bertha Smith, Ruby Tibbets, Allie Mae West, Lena Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCracken, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fulbright, Mr. and Mrs. Enloe Crisp, Raymond Lane, Vernon Rice, Ed Haynes and Oscar Tibbets.

Saturday night, February 15, the same group was present to play games.

A.C. to Have Leather Tooling

A beginning class in leather tooling will begin Monday, March 1, 1976 in the Saddle and Tack area located on the campus of Texas State Technical Institute. The class will meet each Monday evening from 7-10 p.m. for a period of 10 weeks. Tools will be furnished.

My Neighbors



"Out, out, out, out... out, out, out..."

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CAPRICORN
Dec. 22-Jan. 19
You will be befriended by a vending machine.



SAGITTARIUS
Nov. 22-Dec. 21
Your foot problems could be helped by a walk in the surf.



SCORPIO
Oct. 23-Nov. 21
This week your most wild dreams could come true. Be nice to your mother-in-law.



LIBRA
Sept. 23-Oct. 22
You'll find romance in the library.



VIRGO
Aug. 23-Sept. 22
Don't forget to send for your seed catalogs soon.



LEO
July 23-Aug. 22
If you skip seven meals this week you'll have seven weeks of extremely good luck.



MOONCHILD
June 21-July 22
Persons born under the sign of the crab should not go barefooted this week.



GEMINI
May 21-June 20
This week a high position will be offered to you. Refuse it--there is no future in flagpole sitting.



TAURUS
Apr. 20-May 20
If you visit the country this week beware of cattle guards.



ARIES
Mar. 21-Apr. 19
Converging influences make it imperative you stay out of turnstiles and revolving doors.



PISCES
Feb. 19-Mar. 20
Your electric blanket is shielding your body from the Universe's healthful vibrations. Get rid of it.



AQUARIUS
Jan. 20-Feb. 18
Beware of long trips this month--chances are you could be caught in a flood.

Isn't He Hypocritical Too?

The person who says that he is kept out of the church by hypocrites is a strange character, to say the least. Why?

Business is full of them, but if he sees where he can make a bit of money, he lets no hypocrite in business keep him from it.

Society is crowded with them, yet he would not think of becoming a hermit because of this fact.

Married life is marred by hypocrisy, but does this make a man or woman decide to remain unmarried?

Hell is "running over" with hypocrites, but still he is doing nothing whatsoever to keep from going there.

He makes you think that he is trying to avoid hypocrites; however he isn't on the road that leads to the only place where no hypocrites can go -- HEAVEN.

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**Some new boats
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Title Certificates**

Late winter is usually the time of year when hundreds of prospective boat owners wander through boat and travel shows, starry-eyed with check-books in hand.

Purchasers of new boats and motors are reminded by officials at the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department that some new vessels require certificates of title.

As of Jan. 1, 1976, an amendment to the Texas Water Safety Act requires new or unregistered motorboats in excess of 14 feet to have a certificate of title from the P&WD. New outboard engines of 12 or more horsepower must be titled separately by the department.

As passed by the recent Texas Legislature, the new titling laws aim to give Texasboaters added protection in recovering stolen property and may serve as collateral for financing and insurance purposes.

P&WD license officials say, as with any new law, there is some confusion on what is required.

Registration of motorboats for "TX" numbers is still required by the Texas Water Safety Act, regardless of boat size as long as the crafts are powered by an engine.

All Texas retail boat dealers are aware of the new titling requirements and should be able to assist the new boat owner in completing paperwork.

Marine dealers must furnish the purchaser with a "Manufacturer's Statement of Origin for a Motorboat and/or Outboard Motor." The statement is a very important document and must accompany application for

certificat. It is proof to the department that a legal transaction took place.

Manufacturer's Statement of Origin, certificates of title and registration form must be completely and accurately filled out since they are the basis for legal title to boat and motor.

The department must return them to the owner if not correctly completed and a large percentage of applications have been returned. P&WD officials say it is cheaper to process a completed application then to return it for more information. Marine dealers and local offices of the Parks and Wildlife Department can handle most questions in completing forms.

Boats sold between private individuals present special problems.

The department cannot accept an application for transfer of ownership of a boat more than 14 feet long unless it is currently registered. Registered boats sold but untitled must be titled upon transfer of ownership.

Purchasers of "second hand" boats (more than 14 feet long) must obtain a title from the seller or a bill of sale if the boat was previously untitled. Either the bill of sale or title is proof of a legal transaction. Bills of sale for boats in excess of 14 feet must be notarized.

The bottom of the department's application for "TX" numbers can also serve as a bill of sale, but it too must be notarized.

If in doubt on how to complete forms or which forms to use, contact a marine dealer in the instance of a boat purchase or a P&WD office in the case of selling old boats.

BIRTHDAYS

- MARCH 5
Mrs. H. V. Ballard
Mrs. Troy Corbin
Trudy Stewart
A. R. Clawson
Connie Renee Lee
- MARCH 6
Jimmy Hill
Alta Lee Fish
Warren Smith
- MARCH 7
Mrs. C. E. Corts
Mrs. Jim Rice
Mrs. Cecil Carger
Murrell E. Hill
Mary Davis
- MARCH 8
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Patricia Middleton
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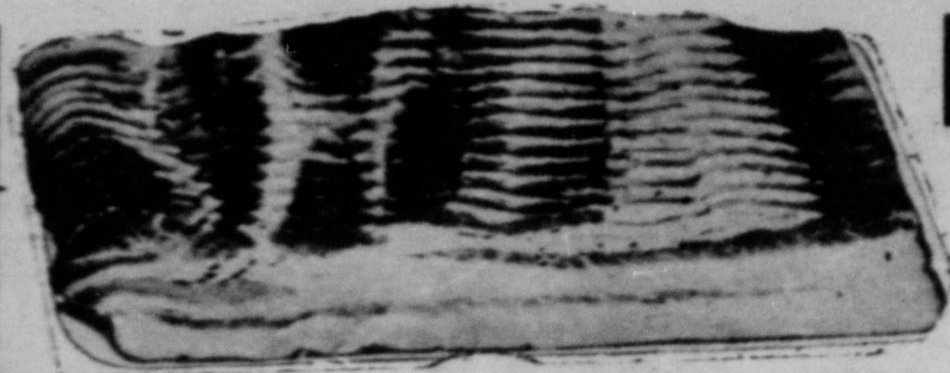
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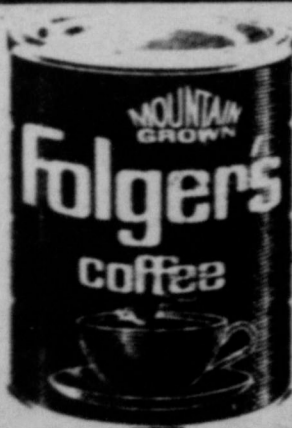
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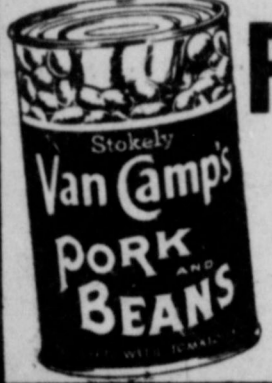
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Uncle Zeb

March 6th 1946 - March 4th 1976
 A long time... But, it has gone by so quickly... Uncle Zeb's 30th birthday.

To look at me now you may doubt it, but I was once a little boy. Even then I loved to write... After I learned to spell and write a bit I would sit on the wood box by the kitchen stove and with a stub pencil and a piece of scrap paper would dash off some great work. I would ask my mother to listen, and would read back, hoping for her compliment. Later in high school we would turn out a master piece and hope that the teacher would look over my bad English and pay me a compliment. Bless their loving hearts they would do just that.

It seemed so suddenly I was grown up, then married in 1927. Soon there was a little family, and then right off in 1930 there was a big depression. Just a living was hard to dig out in those days. But, when the old Model D was running good, and the mellow windblown soil was turning over so beautifully, I could, even out there on the tractor put together thing I wanted to write. Once in a great while we wrote a letter to the Editor, or a poem on the back of a blank check.. of these we kept.

World War II finally passed. Prices had gone up a little, and we had things a bit better financially. Then Bryan and Cecil Waggoer came back from the Service anxious to get about their life's work again. They were taking over their Dad's Claude News and so hopeful of having some new things for their readers.

I had talked with them about my secret love for writing. They invited me to write a column of Farm news. The happenings were far apart and I started filling up the space with things from out heart..You, their readers seemed to respond, and I was getting to try out. Finally we decided the column needed a special heading, and a name to sort of cover up my mistakes.. We jotted down a page full of names and headings and came out with Plowing' Out The Corners by Uncle Zeb. To please some of the City Slicker papers we have tried some changes but you readers always brought us back pretty close to the starting point. Thank You..

A little bit later the Clarendon paper began using it, and I would not rest until my hometown of Shamrock joined in.. In all some dozen papers

used it at times. I still have the faithful three. Southwestern Crop & Stock were special customers for a dozen years. Cotton John Smith would open up this nice magazine on his noon Sunday program and read from our column. We owe him a great debt. Until this day folks in the area remember Uncle Zeb from his program. To all these we owe such a debt, But most of all to You Our Readers, we say Thank You, and God Bless You. You, are the dear ones.

4-H Food Show

by Susie Billingsley
 On Feb. 24 the McLean 4-H'ers had a Food Show at the grade school cafeteria. Those participating were Deb Crockett, Mike and Dudley Reynolds, Margaret Horn, Debbie Hutchison, Candy Carpenter, Iersa and Rhonda Woods, Susie Billingsley, Beth and Brian Smitherman, Allen Patman, Eddie Brooks, Mark Tate, Robert Swanner and Lance Gable. There was a lot of good food exhibited. The Adult leaders were Cindy Carpenter, Rita Crockett, Carolyn Gable, LaVerne Brooks and Myrtle Billingsley. Our thanks to them for all their help.

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Band Members Go to Contest

BY Maridale Glass
Saturday many members of the McLean High School Band will meet in Canyon for the U.I.L. solo and ensemble contest. They will leave at 7:30 a.m. to be on time for the first solo at 10:00. The contest will be held in the Fine Arts Building on the West Texas State University campus.


The solos are divided into three classes: class I, class II, class III. The class of competition depends on the grade the student is in and if he has competed before, and what score he received in the past.

Those competing are Glenda Pharis playing a class III trumpet solo; Brad Melton and Trudy Stewart each playing a class III trumpet solo; Tammy Pierce, Cathy Estes, Robbie Turpen, and Jamie Trew all playing a class II saxophone quartet. There will be a class II clarinet quartet played by Judith Bentley, Cynthia Morris, Jodette Swamer, and Sherry Glass; a class II flute solo by Maridale Glass, and a class II trumpet solo played by Roger Myers. All solos have a piano accompaniment and these will be played by Mrs. Bonnie Fabian and Mrs. Jeannie Kirby.

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Sociology Being Taught at MHS

BY Denise Lamb
The health classes are no longer that for the last quarter. The class had changed into psychology the first six weeks and sociology the last six weeks. In this class we will all be learning because no one knows anything about either subject. So don't be surprised if you see a lot of psychologists and sociologists walking down the streets these days in the future.

Picture Day Is March 11

Thursday, March 11, we'll hear the clicking of cameras at McLean High again! We'll also see everyone running around trying to get ready for the right pictures. The photographers will be here to take basketball, track and favorite pictures. Everyone remember to bring the appropriate clothes for your pictures.

Seniors Finish Term Papers

All over McLean Sunday night, in the homes of seniors, lights were burning till the hours of the morning. Monday morning found many sleepy-eyed seniors laying on the steps in the english room, sleeping during class, and some not even making it to school first period. What caused this new epidemic? Was it a sudden at-

EMT Classes Being Held in Shamrock

by James Thompson
Eight members of the McLean Area Ambulance Service are attending EMT (Emergency Medical Technician) classes in Shamrock.

Training includes instructions on the emergency care of such things as pulmonary arrest, cardiac arrest, hemorrhaging, shock, fractures and other types of emergency situations.

A great deal of time will be spent in learning proper technique of performing CPR (Cardio-pulmonary Resuscitation). This is an all important function of providing artificial ventilation and closed heart massage for victims of cardiac arrest or pulmonary arrest.

Included in training will be 128 hours of classroom instruction and 40 hours of practical experience received at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. Of the 40 hour hospital duty a minimum of 16 hours must be spent assisting the emergency room staff at the Amarillo emergency receiving center.

Upon completion of training, skills tests will be given by the Texas State Department of Health. Those successfully completing these tests will be certified by the State of Texas.

Those attending from McLean are: Jim McDonald president of the local ambulance service, Thacker Haynes, Ronnie Heasley, Clifford McDonald, Bryan Parker, Jay Smith, Jay Thompson, and James Thompson.

These trained Emergency Medical Technicians will prove to be of vital importance in the life saving attempts by the local ambulance service. The people of our area and along our highways; or other emergencies should call 779-2226 for assistance.

These classes are presented by Amarillo College and the State Department of Health.

The Federal Aviation Administration has again found O'Hare Airport in Chicago to be the busiest airport in the U.S.

tack of senioritis? No, it was just the seniors working on their rough draft of their term paper that was due Monday morning. Due to a freak case of laziness some seniors were forced to wait until the last minute to start their papers. They only had two weeks and a three day epidemic vacation to write the whole thing.

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Back to the Grind for Students

It was back to the old grind Monday after nearly two weeks of sleeping late and doing what you wanted to, except for when parents had big plans for getting things done that had been left undone for months.

The strangest thing is that the kids are always complaining of going to school; however, they ended up being bored after being out of school for the end of quarter and for the flu epidemic. Deep down they were all ready to return and listen to the teachers give their speeches as usual and do their homework.

H. S. Rodeo Club Is New Organization

by Todd Darsey
The Tri-State High School Rodeo Association is one of the newest organizations at McLean High School. The organization was started about six years ago and at that time there were four approved rodeos. The Association has grown to more than 2,000 members across the Texas Panhandle.

The Tri-State High School Rodeo Association is very similar to the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association. The high school rodeos must have all of the approved events. For the boys there are bull riding, bareback riding, tie-down calf roping, ribbon roping, and team roping. For the girls there are steer riding, barrel racing, pole bending, and goat tying. Judges must be approved to judge a rodeo. Stock producers and clowns must pay a fee to join the Tri-State Association.

This year there are 22 approved Tri-State Rodeos. The members must buy their own equipment and horses. They must furnish their own transportation to and from the rodeos. The school doesn't help the members in anyway.



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One-Act Players are chosen

Recently One-Act Play try-outs were held at McLean High School in preparation for U.I.L. contest.

The play is a comedy by A.A. O'Keeffe and is entitled "Ringing in the Groom". It has eight characters and they are: Grandmother Harrison played by Betty Holmes, Bertha played by Beckie Henley, George played by Roger Myers, Ruth Hubbard played by Halcyon Back, Wilbur played by Dave Jefferson, Mildred played by Connie Cunningham, Aunt Ella played by Natalie Morris, and Harriet played by Janet Smith. The alternate is Teresa Rollison.

Rehearsals began Monday after school in preparation for U.I.L. contest which will be held April the first at Clarendon College. The play will then be put on for the public later that month.

F. B. L. A. Members Go to Dallas

The McLean FBLA Chapter 2099 left for Dallas at 8:30 this morning to attend the state convention. The members will be spending tonight and Friday night at the Baker Hotel in downtown Dallas, where the convention will be held. They will return Saturday night about 10:00.

On this trip, the FBLA-


Tri-State Rodeo State Finals

by Todd Darsey
The Tri-State Finals will be in June. Cowboys and cowgirls earn points toward the finals. A 1st place ranks six points, 2nd place gets five points, 3rd place gets four points, 4th place gets three points, 5th place gets two points and 6th place gets one point. The points will be added together. The fifteen people with the highest points will go to the finals so it is very important to be every rodeo.

The next rodeo is a week, at Gruver, the 6th, and 7th. There will be a Tri-State Rodeo on by the McLean High School Rodeo Club March 19th, 20th and 21st.

ers will have plenty to do. There will be a talent show, a dance, contest and an awards banquet. FBLA. As outside activities the members will go to Love Field, where there is an amusement center, and to a dinner theatre.

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Congressman Jack Hightower Reports

Congressman Jack Hightower said that misleading and inaccurate information concerning the proposed Child and Family Services Act has generated a tremendous amount of concern among his constituents.

"I have responded to more than 40 constituents who have communicated their deep concern to me," Hightower said, "and the volume of mail I am receiving on the bill continues to be heavy."

The Congressman said most of the concern has been created by false information and information taken out of context in a leaflet that has received wide distribution throughout the 13th Congressional District and other parts of the nation. He noted that the leaflet contains no attribution to any source.

"I have read the leaflet," Hightower said, "and I can fully understand why anyone who reads it would be upset. It implies that the federal government would take over the God-given right of parents to raise their children as they see fit."

Hightower said such charges are totally inaccurate.

"There is nothing in the bill that relates to religious preferences or religious instruction," he said. "There is nothing that relates to or alters the existing relationship between parents and children. Nothing that provides for compulsory preschool service or compulsory service of any kind."

The Congressman said the bill actually states that certain programs such as day care centers or food and nutritional programs would be made available, strictly on a voluntary basis, to children whose parents request such specific services.

He noted that some of the same sources have referred to a Charter of Children's Rights, which would remove the right of parents to provide for their children's religious or political indoctrination. It implies that such language is a part of the bill.

"Such implications simply are not so," Hightower said. "A group organized in England, the National Council of Civil

Liberties, is the alleged author of the charter. The charter's provisions were printed in the Congressional record in 1971 by an opponent of a similar bill. It was intended to show an extreme example of what has happened in other countries."

He said the leaflets also cite a message President Nixon sent to the Congress in vetoing a more costly but similar bill. "I believe he was correct in vetoing the measure, but it should be emphasized that participation in programs authorized in that bill also would have been entirely voluntary."

Hightower said that even though the bill has been badly misrepresented, he would not support it. "I do not feel that any money spent to implement the bill's proposals would represent a wise investment of the taxpayers' dollars," he said.

Easter Seal Drive Stepped Up

Because of the steady growth in numbers of crippled children and adults in Texas, the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas has stepped up its rehabilitation services.

Mrs. Betty Casey, who is the Easter Seal Representative for the County, said 10,768 handicapped Texans received Easter Seal treatments during 1975.

"Despite medical scientific advances," Mrs. Casey explained, "the rank of the crippled are growing. This is because of population growth, increased number of accidents and medical treatment which saves victims of crippling disease who might not have lived in past years."

The largest group served includes those with major deformities of bones and joints, severe speech defects cerebral palsy, arthritis, muscular dystrophy and multiple sclerosis and stroke. The Easter Seal Campaign, which provides funds for continuation of these services, begins March 1, and continues through April 18, Easter Sunday.

Science Class Use Slide Rules

The physical science class is at it again. If you go to town in the next few days looking for a slide rule and are unable to find one, it is because we have bought them all. For the next few weeks the science classes are studying how to use slide rulers. They will learn to multiply, divide, square, cube, extract the square root and cube roots of any numbers given to them. This will aid many of them in their future math. They are already beginning to realize that this really isn't going to be as hard as they thought.

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If you're in a club or neighborhood group, start your meetings with a swap session, or have a swap coffee each month. If you don't belong to a group or club, why not start your own coupon swap club? It really doesn't take much effort to round up the neighborhood for coffee and coupons, and remember it's for a good cause—your pocketbook!

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SKATEBOARDING REVIVED

California school-age kids are once again gliding the sidewalks of the Golden State; running down little old ladies, crashing into garbage cans and breaking legs—at speeds up to 35 miles per hour.

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1976 MARKS CENTENNIAL OF TEXAS A&M AND LAND-GRANT SYSTEM

by Joe Van Zandt
Texas A&M University, the state's oldest public institution of higher education, is observing 100 years of service to Texans in 1976, and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, a part of the A&M University System, is joining in the Centennial celebration.

Texas A&M owes its origin to the Morrill Act, approved by Congress on July 2, 1862. This act provided for donation of public lands to the states. The land was to be sold at auction, and the proceeds set aside in a perpetual fund.

The act further directed that interest from this fund "be used to support a technological college whose objectives must be -- without excluding other scientific and classical studies, and including military tactics--to teach branches of learning pertaining to agriculture and the mechanic arts in order to promote the practical education of the industrial classes in the various pursuits and professions of life"

Texas, by resolution of the state legislature in November 1866, agreed to provide for a college under the terms of the Morrill Act, but no such institution was organized until the establishment of the Agricultural and Mechanical College on April 17, 1871.

The same act appropriated \$75,000 for erection of buildings and bound the state to defray all expenses of the college exceeding the annual interest of the endowment. Proceeds from the sale of the 18,000 acres of land script received under the Land-Grant College Act were invested in \$174,000 of gold frontier defense bonds of Texas, forming a perpetual endowment for the college.

A commission created to locate a site for the institution accepted the offer of 2,416 acres of land from the citizens of Brazos County in 1871. Instruction at Texas A&M began in 1876.

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An early warning system against influenza has been put into operation in Texas through the Texas Department of Health Resources.

Dr. M.S. Dickerson, chief of the TDHR's Bureau of Communicable Disease Services, says outbreaks of influenza can have traumatic effects on a community, cutting sharply into school attendance and the ranks of the working public.

"The severe and disruptive effects of epidemic influenza on a community can be mitigated, however, by the early detection and early diagnosis of an outbreak," said Dr. Dickerson. "This is accomplished by a thorough surveillance system that is presently operational throughout the state of Texas."

Influenza is being monitored through 19 school systems, 12 industries and 13 large hospitals. These monitoring units are distributed in such a way as to detect illness in any part of the state at any time. Weekly data is regularly communicated to the Bureau of Communicable Disease Services.

Selection of schools, hospitals and industry for reports wasn't just by chance. When influenza enters a community, one of the first changes noted, says Dr. Dickerson, is an appreciable rise in the number of patients seen in outpatient clinics and emergency rooms. "Daily and weekly changes will be watched," he said.

"Although influenza affects all age groups," said Dr. Dickerson, "age-specific prevalence rates are highest among primary and secondary school children at the onset of an epidemic. Thus, this population serves as a good index for influenza activity."

School and industrial absenteeism and hospital emergency room visits give a quantitative estimate of current influenza activity.

The Department of Health Resources utilizes its Public Health Region operation and big city health departments in channeling information into Austin. Through

are now offered in both undergraduate and graduate studies through Texas A&M's 11 academic colleges, including the College of Agriculture. Today, Texas A&M has established itself as a leader in many of the newer technological areas, such as marine resources, space, computer, nuclear and others. It has placed added emphasis in such areas as agriculture, the liberal arts and business administration fields, and enhanced its prominent role in many other traditional fields.

them, local doctors and hospitals have been alerted to look for influenza symptoms in patients.

Just appearing to have influenza isn't good enough for the Department. Laboratory confirmation is necessary for influenza, as well as the particular strain. Proper testing equipment for throat swabs and blood serum specimens have been provided to reporting points around the state. The specimens taken may be tested in regional laboratories or the main laboratory in Austin.

"If we can get an early alarm, we can pinpoint the outbreak and individuals can set up certain safeguards. Those with upper respiratory infections can stay home and not spread the infection. The success of the program is tied in with early detection and prevention," said Dr. Dickerson.

As the New Year got underway, Dr. Dickerson said there had been no outbreaks of influenza in the state.

"But," he added, "it may be coming." Influenza of the A-Victoria strain has been isolated in Hawaii. Since there is heavy traffic between Hawaii and the mainland, it can be expected to be brought in, Dr. Dickerson said.

Health departments in Austin, Fort Worth, Houston, Dallas, Waco and Amarillo, together with Public Health Region headquarters in Harlingen, Abilene, El Paso, Lubbock and Tyler, are primary reporting points. They receive reports from other towns and from hospitals near them. These hospitals are: Hendricks in Abilene; Shannon in San Angelo; Medical Center in Tyler; Memorial in Corpus Christi; Mercy in Laredo; R. E. Thomason in El Paso; Providence and Hillcrest in Waco; Methodist in Lubbock; Northwest Texas in Amarillo; Parkland in Dallas; Brackenridge in Austin; John Peter Smith in Fort Worth; and Ben Taub in Houston.

Dr. Dickerson said this reporting system can be used also for reporting other communicable diseases and is another way in which the Department of Health Resources is working for a healthier Texas.

F. P. Nursing Graduates Rank In Top 10%

Frank Phillips College School of Vocational Nursing has again achieved distinction by ranking in the top ten percent of LVN schools in Texas according to results issued recently by the Texas State Board of Vocational Nurse Examiners. FPC graduates compiled one of the best cumulative scores of all competitors in the State Board Licensure Examination given in Austin in October 1975. This is the second consecutive year FPC graduates have received such distinction.

Mrs. Ella Weeter, R.N., said, "I know I speak for Frank Phillips College and the entire community when I say how very proud we are to have our students achieve at this level of excellence." Mrs. Weeter, a graduate of Northwest Texas Hospital School of Nursing, is Director of the LVN School and also serves as a member of the Board of Directors of North Plains Hospital in Borger.

Mrs. Marilyn Vermillion, R.N., nursing instructor, received her training at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock and supervises the clinical training of FPC students at Highland General Hospital in Pampa. Both instructors are pursuing further degrees at the University of Oklahoma School of Nursing.

The 23 LVN students making up the school's second class scored well enough as a group to finish among the top 22 schools out of the 140 who sent candidates for the qualifying examination which licenses them to practice nursing in the state of Texas. Of the 2,434 candidates taking the exam, the 22 top schools sent 263 students which registered no failures.

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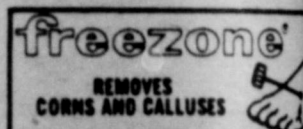
Chairman of 1976 Heart Drive Is Named

Bill Slaughter, president of Mid West Chemical & Processing Company, has been named chairperson of the 1976 Heart Fund Drive in Gray County. As head of the campaign, which will take place in February, Slaughter will coordinate the efforts of community volunteers who will visit all residential areas during the month to distribute heart-saving information and collect funds to support research, educational and community service programs sponsored by the Gray County Heart Association.

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