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Girls Track, Tennis Teams Qualify Athletes For Regional Competition



TENNIS REGIONAL QUALIFIERS



REGIONAL TRACK QUALIFIERS

Mens, Womens Doubles Win District Championship

McLean High School's tennis teams won the right to represent the district at the regional playoffs. Men's doubles of Darin Corley and Chris Fontaine beat Hortley in the finals of district competition at the Amarillo Town Club April 6 in a two-set match, 6-4, 6-0 to take the title. Stefanie Houdyshell and Eva Anderson beat Hartley in straight sets, 6-4,

6-2, to take the championship in the women's division. McLean's other doubles team of Jana Harris and Karen Wilson lost to Hartley in the semi-finals, 6-2, 7-5. Harris and Wilson beat, Adrian 6-0, 6-4 to take, third place.

The boys will compete at regional in Levelland May 5 and 6, and the girls will compete April 21 and 22 at Levelland.

Sprint Relay Team, Quarter Miler Gain Regional Berths

"We lost points because we didn't have girls for every event, but those we participated in, we did well." Coach Frank Purcell said this week following the district track meet at Groom. Although officials feared that the meet might be cancelled because of a freak spring snow storm, events were held as scheduled, and McLean qualified four girls for the trip to regional competition. McLean's girls scored 61 points to follow Claude with 139 and Groom with 101. Others in the district were Lefors with 37 points, and Texline with 30.

Outstanding freshman Kristi Thompson won the 400-meter run in a time of 66 to qualify for the regional meet. Miss Thompson, who moved to McLean from Paducah last summer, posted a three-second faster time in the preliminaries. She also anchored the 400-meter relay team which posted a 55.2 to take second place. Others on the spring relay team who will go to regional are Maria Eck, Candi Carpenter, and Lee Ann Tate.

Miss Tate, another freshman, missed a trip to regional in the 100-meter dash by a few centimeters when she ran a 13 for third place. Maria Eck, a junior, was fourth with a time of 13.4.

In other events, Candi Carpenter was fifth in the 110 hurdles with a time of 19.2. Melanie Billingsley

was fourth in the 800-meter run with a time of 2:54. Maria Eck was third in the long jump with a leap of 13.6 and was sixth in the triple jump with a jump of 27'.

In the junior high division, McLean was third with a score of 99 points. First in the district was Claude with 223 points, followed by Groom with 102. Lefors had 67 and Phillips had 19 points.

The Cubettes garnered two first-place ribbons when Deidra Watson put the shot for 24.6 feet to take first, and Angie Purcell threw the discus 65.4 feet for first. Shawn Crockett was second in the triple jump, and the sprint relay team picked up second place with a time of 57.9. Running for McLean were Jen Ann Rice, Cindy Hembree, Shawn Crockett, and Angie Reynolds. The same quartet placed third in the 800-meter relay with a time of 2:15.

Colleen Orrick was third in the 200-meter run. Fourth place ribbons were given to the 1600-meter relay team (Le Milam, Angie Glass, Tanya Cummings, and Colleen Orrick with a time of 5:15); Angie Reynolds in the 100-meter dash; Jen Ann Rice in the 110-hurdles and in the triple jump; Tanya Cummings in the 400-meter run and Le Milam in the discus.

Fifth-place ribbons See TRACK, Page 2

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Local Talent Show Will Be Staged Saturday

Oklahoman Escapes Harm In Accident

Herman Brown of Oklahoma City escaped injury April 5 when the 1979 Mack Transcon truck he was driving jackknifed on slick roads. The accident occurred two miles west of McLean on the one-lane construction section of Interstate 40. The truck was pulling a partially loaded trailer. The driver lost control on the icy roads. There was minor damage to the truck and no injury to the truck driver. Department of Public Safety trooper John Holland worked the wreck.

Preschoolers Should Attend Free Clinic

All preschoolers are invited to attend a free shot clinic Monday, April 18 at the McLean Elementary school. Children who have not had their shots to start school may obtain them between 10 a.m. and 10:15 a.m. For more information, contact Dorman Thomas at McLean Elementary.

Kids Playday Is April 26

McLean Elementary students in kindergarten through the sixth grade are getting in shape this week for their chance at glory. The annual McLean Elementary Play Day has been set for April 26, weather permitting, according to principal Dorman Thomas. Every youngster in school will participate in at least two events, and each participant will receive a ribbon. The events include the hurdle run, running events, and various jumping events. Thomas said that the McLean school cafeteria will fix each child a sack lunch for the day. Events begin at 9 a.m. at Duncan Field.

McLean and area residents will be offered a treat Saturday evening with the McLean 66 Talent Revue. The talent

show, sponsored by McLean Area Ambulance Association will spotlight local talent. Among the groups performing at the event will

MHS Students Listed On Honor Roll This Week

The fifth six-weeks Honor Roll for McLean High School students was reported this week by principal Ron Cummings. Seniors making the lists were, 90 and above, Debi Hutchison and Teresa Woods, and 80 and above, Eva Anderson, Kevin Nicholson, Robbin Skinner and Stacie Smith. Juniors Allen Patman, Kevin McDowell and Bryan Smitherman were on the 90 and above roll, while DeWayne Adamson, Angie Wilson, Don Bode, Jana Harris, Tommy Milam, Terri

Pipes, and Sharla Todd were listed on the 80 and above roll. Scott Seiler was the only sophomore on the 90 and above list, and those qualifying for the 80 and above were John Glass, Von Holwick, Sherry McLain and Patricia Rodgers. Freshmen Wendy McDowell and Jim Ridgway led their class with 90 and above grades, and David Adamson, Melanie Billingsley, Russell Littlefield, Bob Patman, Ford Smith and Kevin Tate made up the 80 and above roll.

Top Honor Students Named At McLean Junior High

The McLean Junior High Honor Roll was announced this week by principal Dorman Thomas. Eighth graders Colleen Orrick and Kim Wiginton were the only students on the Junior High 90 and above list. Those students on the 80 and above roll were sixth graders Skyla Bryant,

Dollie Haynes, Daria McAnear, Misty Magee, Karen Williams and Ronna Young; seventh graders Jim Anderson, Stacy Jackson, Terri Lee and Angie Reynolds; and eighth graders Tanya Cummings, Angie Glass, Corrie Green, Samantha Harris, Mark McCarty, Le Milam and Angie Purcell.

Elementary Honor Students Listed On Scholastic Roll

McLean principal Dorman Thomas announced the honor rolls for elementary students, grades 1 through 5. The students have now completed the fifth six-weeks. Those on the 90 and above roll are, first grade, Joetta Bailey, Valerie Cole, Mindy Magee and Erin McCracken; second grade, Peggy Adams, Patsy Barker, Rhonda Glass, Holly Hefley, Becki McCarty; and third grade, Dale Cole, Cody Gabel, David Johnson and Missy Young. Neither the

fourth or fifth grade had any students on the 90 and above roll. Students on the 80 and above list were, first grade, Vance Coleman, Carrie Middleton, Tommy Pennington, Doug Purcell, Will Shaw, Christy Steward, Jeremy Thomas, Michael Young and Denise Wilson; second grade, Michael Barker, Jeanette Cornet, Lee Hill, Katricia Littlefield and Chris Ramos; third grade, Daniel Harris, Tanner Hess, Chris Littlefield, Destry Mc-

be the McLean Youth Choir; the Methodist mens' Quartet; and Darryel Herndon's group, Western Bound. Individuals performing include Gay Hill and Ramona Jones. Others are expected to perform at

the fund-raising event. Sam Haynes will be emcee for the show. Proceeds from the talent revue will go toward the purchase of a new ambulance cot for the McLean Ambulance Association. Cost for the

new cot is expected to be about \$1500. The McLean 66 Talent Revue is scheduled for Saturday night, April 16, at 7:30 p.m. at McLean High School Auditorium. Admission is \$1 per person.

Baptists Begin Revival

First Baptist Church will be the site of a week-long revival beginning April 18. Services are set for noon and 7 p.m. daily through April 24. Jim Green, pastor of First Baptist Church of Jal. N.M., will conduct the revival. The local church's new youth leader, Scott Raley,

will conduct the music and direct the youth activities during the week. A youth breakfast is set for 7:30 a.m. each morning. A nursery will be provided for each service, according to the Rev. Buell Wells, pastor. Raley began as youth and music director for the local church Sunday. He is from Colorado and is a recent graduate of Hardin-Simmons University.



REVEREND JIM GREEN

Vera Back Nominated For Honor

Vera Back of McLean is among the 108 nominees for the Eighth Annual Texas Panhandle Distinguished Service Awards which will be presented at West Texas State University.

Back, who lives at 319 North Commerce, has been nominated by Alanreed-McLean Area Museum, Pioneer Study Club and Church of Christ.

Recipients and nominees See BACK, Page 2

Junior High Plans Tour

The McLean Junior High will tour the Discovery Center in Amarillo and the Panhandle Plains Museum in Canyon Monday on a field trip, according to sponsor Sharon Lofton. The youngsters will leave from the school, and will take sack lunches. She said that each child should bring \$2.70 for admission fee to the center, and enough money for soft drinks during the day.

from the distaff side

by Linda Haynes

"Getting and spending we lay waste our powers..." the English poet Wordsworth said in the late 1800's. That line kept flitting through my head Saturday afternoon when my family and I spent an hour or so in the giant new Westgate Mall in Amarillo. After I finished attending the Panhandle Press Convention in Amarillo, we decided to take the children out to see the new shopping center.

There were hundreds of people milling around, looking at displays of merchandise, eating snacks from the fast food places, visiting with friends. After watching the crowd for awhile, I decided that the huge malls are the big cities' answer to the old-fashioned town square. Few people were buying anything. Most seemed to have come to the Mall just to be sociable. Jeans-clad young mothers were dragging their children through the

crowd; senior citizens sat on the benches watching the parade walk by; pseudo-Valley girls flashed their fancy stickers and perky pony tails at passing boys; middle-aged men stopped in the middle of the mall to discuss a tool display.

I felt a great sadness when I realized that most of the people were in the shopping mall because they were bored. What a comment that is on our culture when we have allowed ourselves to reach the point where we "go shopping" because there's "nothing else to do."

If we could go back to the nineteenth century England, and compare Wordsworth's day to ours, I wonder how much stronger the poet's words would have been in 1983. If he thought people wasted their lives making money and spending it, then, imagine how distressed he would be today! How much of your

waking hours were spent last week earning a living? How many hours did you spend dispensing money at the grocery store, the gasoline station, the clothing store?

Subtract those from the total number of hours in the week, and then count up the number of hours you spent playing with your children, listening to good music, reading a book, discussing ideas with your friends, learning anything new? (Don't count the hours you spent mindlessly watching television.....

Wordsworth surely would have believed that the one-eyed monster "wastes our powers"!!

Are you wasting your life with the trivialities? Although I realize that it is necessary to spend a large proportion of our time working to make a living, is it really mandatory to make money the central theme of our life? When you are dead and gone, will your grand-



children look back in fond remembrance and say "Granddad was sure a great money-maker, wasn't he?"

I think it was the American writer Thoreau who told us that we don't own houses and material possessions - they own us. The man who owns nothing, has nothing to lose. He needs no locks on his doors, and has no fears. Perhaps we need to go back to that simpler way of life, and rediscover our "powers" of imagination, creativity, and sensitivity.



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4-6-83	41	29
4-7-83	42	29
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4-8-83	45	31
4-9-83	58	28
4-10-83	72	39
4-11-83	82	41
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OPINIONS

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Gather a group of journalists together and sooner or later the talk will get around to the Open Meetings Law. This is the law in Texas which requires various governing bodies to conduct their meetings in public. The law allows governing bodies to meet in executive session (with the public excluded) for certain important functions, but all votes and decisions must be made in public.

The press has been so concerned about violations of the Open Meetings Law that the public seems to have the idea that the law is for the convenience of the press only. But that is far from the truth.

The law is designed to protect the taxpayer, and most community newspapers have taken the responsibility of seeing that the law is obeyed out of a sense of duty to those taxpayers. Troy Martin of the Canyon News said it best: "I'm a hired hand for each of my subscribers. They pay me good money (in subscriptions) to attend all those meetings that they don't have time to attend. They depend on me to see that they get all the information that they need to have."

When any group of elected or appointed officials meet and decide public policy, make decisions that affect public employees, and spend your tax money, then those meetings should be open to the public, and fully reported in the local press.

So we will continue to attend as many meetings as we possibly can, and we will continue to report to you what occurs at those meetings. And if we think that public officials are closing their meetings illegally, we will scream loud and long...for you, because like editor Martin, I consider myself your hired hand, paid to protect your interest.

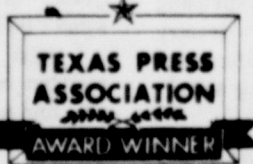


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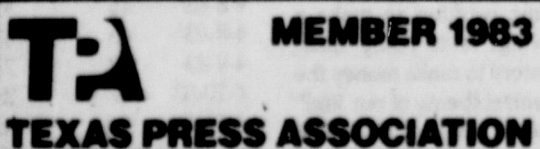
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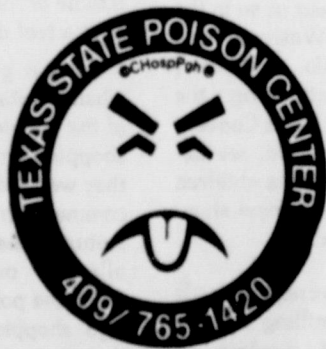


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12. Raising the legal drinking age to 21	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Vera Back Nominated For Honor

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nees will be honored during the awards luncheon from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday, April 16, at the WTSU East Dining Hall.

Colette Dowling, author of the bestselling "The Cinderella Complex," will address the luncheon theme "Women -- Aware." Music will be provided by members of the Harrington String Quartet who will play Puccini's "Chrysanthemums."

Tickets to the luncheon which is hosted by the WTSU Returning Student Program are \$10 each and must be purchased from the Returning Student Office by Monday, April 11.

Women have been nominated by individuals and organizations for contributions to civic and volunteer service, career and professional areas. Nominees are from Amarillo, Borger, Canadian, Canyon, Childress, Clarendon, Claude, Dalhart, Dimmitt, Dumas, Floy-



We hope winter's fired it's last shot,
 Though time may just prove it has not;
 We should now have warm spring,
 But the future may bring;
 Us from winter's cold to red hot!

dada, Friona, Fritch, Happy, Hereford, Kress, Lockney, McLean, Memphis, Muleshoe, Pampa, Panhandle, Perryton, Phillips, Plainview, Spearman, Stratford, Tulia, Turkey and Wheeler.

Contributors to the Speakers Endowment fund also will be recognized.

During the past 89 years, Back has contributed to the history and the present of McLean. She has been a McLean resident for 70 years and spent 30 of those years teaching English until her retirement in 1967. She also taught at the Amarillo Air Force Base where she took a quick, thorough course in airplane mechanics. She also has owned an insurance agency in McLean.

In 1969, the Alanreed-McLean Area Museum

opened after years of work by Back and several other residents. She began the idea of a memorial album to hold cards which accompanied museum donations. The museum has been cited by the Texas House of Representatives.

She has been active as a contributing columnist to the McLean News, authored the 1964 non-fiction book "Feathers" and pens poetry. She has been a member of Order of Eastern Star, Pioneer Study Club since 1931, McLean Library Board, Panhandle Pen Women and has been a member of the McLean Church of Christ since 1927. She assisted local doctors at births and deaths during the 1920s and '30s and is involved in the church Sunshine Project to visit patients at the hospital and nursing home.

Back is the mother of three children.

IT'S ALL IN THE MIND

YOU ARE WHAT YOU THINK

By Dr. Earlene Castellaw
 Have you ever wondered why dreams always seem to come true for some people? They apparently have all the luck in the world, while the rest of us struggle on from day to day and hope for the best.

Actually, all of us have the ability to control our own lives and create for ourselves the happiness that we desire. The key to this control lies in how you use your mind.

To get a better idea of how such control could be possible, consider a basic law of physics. Ever since Einstein arrived at his famous equation E=MC², we have known that matter and energy are interchangeable. Thus a pile of logs becomes a campfire. The physical world that we live in is energy expressing itself in an infinite variety of material forms.

In the same way, energy

is present within us. Outwardly, it is expressed with every word we speak. Inwardly, that energy is expressed in the thought which precedes each action we take. If our thoughts dictate our actions and reactions, and they are under our control, then it must be true that we are in control of our own lives.

Simply put, we are what we think. Remember watching a baseball game where your favorite team was losing until one player hit a home run? Suddenly, all his teammates started hitting and they won the game. What really happened? The players must have had the necessary athletic ability to begin with. But they only started to win the game when they believed they would.

In baseball, one team tries to triumph over the other. But in our lives, all of us can be winners.

HONOR

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gee, Lisa McClellan, Clay McCracken, Janice Moose, Tuffy Sanders, Heidi Syfrett, Windy Washburn and Jason Wheat; fourth grade Sheva Seymour and fifth grade, Donald Harris, Tres Hess, Kim Orrick, Alicia Reynolds, Robert Sanderson and Danna Watson.

TRACK

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went to Deidra Watson in the discus throw and Jem Ann Rice in the long jump and Cindy Hembree in the 800-meter run. Le Milam was sixth in the 200-meter run.

"The silliest of all people are those who do foolish things to show off." Vaudevargues

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By Ace Reid



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Ag Tour Is Scheduled For April 22 In Gray and Donley

A Range, Brush and Weed Tour will be held Friday, April 22 in Donley and Gray Counties, around the Hedley and McLean area.

The tour will start at 9 a.m. at the Jack Moreman Ranch, located ¼ mile west of Hedley on the south side of Highway 287. Work on the control of Gold Aster range weeds will be observed at Moremans.

The tour will travel to the Jerry Waggoner place located 4 miles north of Hedley on the west side of Highway 273. The stop will be about 10 a.m. and will feature control of San Shinoak with Graslan herbicide.

From there the tour will continue north on 273 to the Martinez Beefmaster Ranch and arrive there at about 11 a.m. The ranch entrance is located about 4½ miles south of McLean on the west side of Highway 273. This stop includes another look at Shinoak control with Graslan, a look at a Savory Cell Grazing System which is a new development in rangeland grazing management. Also, discussions on related subjects will be presented by John McNeil, Extension Beef

Cattle Specialist, and Humberto Hernandez, SCS Range Conservationist.

Also featured at the Martinez stop will be a catered B-B-Q lunch courtesy of Elanco Chemical Co. Persons planning on attending the tour and especially the lunch need to call reservations in by noon, Wednesday, April 20, to either Joe VanZandt, Gray County Extension Agent, 669-7429, or Ron and Gooch, Donley County Extension Agent, 874-2141. McLean area residents planning on attending and eating lunch can call Tim Fitch at 779-2395 by Tuesday night and turn in your reservation.

The tour will continue after lunch with a stop at 2:30 p.m. to inspect plots of Gold Aster Weed Control located just north of the McLean Rodeo area on the west side of Highway 273. Dr. J. F. Cadenhead, Extension Range and Brush Control Specialist, will discuss various herbicides used on the plots.

The last stop will be at 3:30 p.m. on Tony Smitherman, 6 miles north on 273 and west 1 mile on the north side of the dirt road. This will be another look at Shinoak

control with Graslan.

Persons may join the tour at any of the stops. Anyone planning on attending the free lunch need to make reservations by Wednesday noon. Also bus transportation may be avail-

able at the start of the tour but will not be able to complete the afternoon portion of the tour after the Martinez lunch stop. They will return to Hedley after the Martinez stop. Anyone wanting to complete the tour north

of McLean will need to furnish their transportation.

The tour is sponsored by the Donley and Gray County Extension offices, and Soil and Water Conservation Districts of both counties.



KAREN WILSON, DAUGHTER of Mr. and Mrs. Don Wilson, was the winner of the John Phillip Sousa Band award. The award is presented each year to the outstanding band student. Presentation was made at the annual band banquet last week at the McLean Country Club. [Photo by Linda Haynes]

McLEAN BRIEFS

Visiting recently with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Windom, Jr. were Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Windom and Amy, from Celina; Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Jay Windom, Eric and Jared from Grapevine; and Clyde Allen Windom, from Richardson.

Jim Wheeler and Dick Sunday.

Attending the Panhandle Press Convention in Amarillo this weekend were Linda and Sam Haynes, Kathy Carter, Lisa and Ed Patman, Dollie Haynes, and Cissy Dalton. Among the highlights of the convention were a wet t-shirt contest, won by Carol Gant Wells, of Wellington, and a pretty legs contest, won by Lynn Brisendine of Brownfield.

Henry Wells of the Wellington Leader, has actually come up with more than one lucrative thought for the McLean News during the past week - keep it up, Henry, the shelter belt is looking better!!!!

Visiting in the Ruth Magee and the Joe and Kay Magee homes over the Easter holidays were Janice Zimmerman of Kalamazoo, Mich., Ron and JoAnn Francisco of Richland, Mich., Marilyn and J. P. Money of El Paso and Donna and David Smith of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Burgin and girls Melinda, Christy and Courtney and Margurite Burgin, all of Groom visited Mrs.

Mrs. Thornton On Dean's List

Rhonda Kay Thornton, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. David L. Woods of McLean, was one of 572 Abilene Christian University students to be named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall semester.

Students named to the honor roll must earn at least a 3.45 grade point and be enrolled in at least 12 hours during the semester.

Mrs. Thornton is a sophomore accounting major at ACU and is a 1981 graduate of McLean High.

ACU is the fourth largest private university in Texas with an enrollment of more than 4,500 undergraduate and graduate students.

Garden Center Hires Only Disabled

BRYAN — A garden center here not only nurtures plants, but also its employees.

The ten employees are participating in a new horticultural therapy program developed at Texas A&M University and supported in part by the Texas Rehabilitation Commission (TRC).

Called Geranium Junction, the business provides responsibilities and the opportunity to be among the public that this group of workers would not otherwise have. Each is handicapped with physical, mental or

Alma Stephens Dies Tuesday

Alma Bertha Stephens, who was a resident of Thomas Nursing Center, died Tuesday at 4:45 a.m. at the Shamrock hospital.

She was born Aug. 30,

1898 in Rising Star. She moved to McLean from Oklahoma City in 1981. She was married to Berricem Stephens in Hedley in 1922. She was a retired school teacher, and a member of the May Ave. Methodist Church in Oklahoma City.


Services are pending with Lambs Funeral Home in McLean.

Survivors include four sisters Beatrice Foster of McLean, Mary Eustace of Claude, Ruby Ratteree of Wichita Falls, and Ima Pearson of Arroyo Grande, Calif.

Sr. Citizens Plan Dinner

The Young-At-Heart senior citizens will have their monthly birthday dinner and blood pressure clinic April 21 at the senior citizens center in McLean.

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Loose Marbles

by Lisa Patman

I am a victim of Selective Recall. For example, I can tell you that on August 19, 1970, in the kitchen of our Fort Worth home, Old Dad told me I had a big mouth. The temperature outside was 98 degrees. We were sitting at the table with two friends, the female on the north side of the table, the male on the west side. The baby was toddling on my right. I was wearing blue slacks and a white shirt with baby drool on the left shoulder. My feet hurt, and the linoleum was white. I can remember the exact conversation before and after the "big mouth" crack, can recall how I threw a raw potato at Old Dad, and that the potato ricocheted out of the sink and onto the cabinet, breaking my good candy dish.

Yet I can't remember where I put my purse last night.

I can give you the correct details of the time twelve years ago when one of my sons poured a bottle of pancake syrup on his head. I remember the old movie I was watching at the time, the sound of the syrup as it chugged out of the bottle (glub, glub, glub), and the silly grin the kid had on his sticky face when I found him. I can even tell you the brand of soap I had to use to get all that goop off of him.

But I can't remember to put gas in my car when the needle hits empty.

Probably, if I took the time to study on it, I could tell you exactly how many times Old Dad has forgotten our anniversary. And I can, for sure, tell you about the time he really believed me when I said I didn't want anything for my birthday.

Yet this morning I couldn't remember where I put the clean sheets.

And while I call this strange ailment Selective Recall, Old Dad calls it Holding A Grudge, which I think is a bit unfair of him. There he was, complaining about all the times I had remembered stuff he would rather forget. Okay, so maybe I did forget to pick up a gallon of milk. But I did remember that the carpet was brown, the time was 3:30, and that he had forgotten our anniversary for the seventeenth time. He made me so mad that I decided to write him out of my will.

Unfortunately I forgot where I had stored the pencils.



The longest golf hole in the world is the 17th hole at a course in North Carolina. It measures 745 yards, and is a par six.


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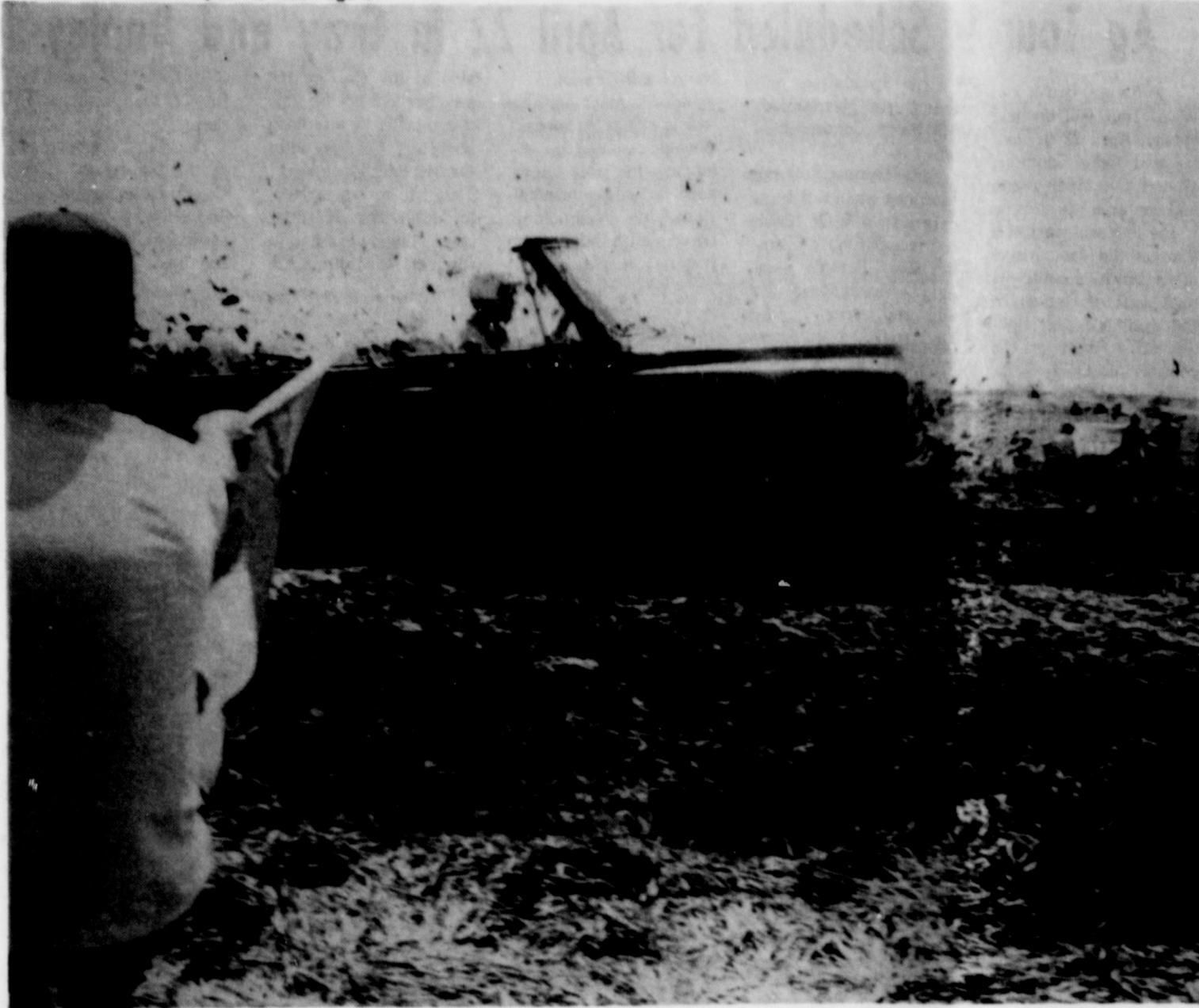
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FLAGMAN SOLLIE MELTON waves in the winner, Ernest Catenhead of Shamrock, during one heat of

the mud drags Sunday afternoon west of McLean. [Photo by Linda Haynes]

Mud Drag Draws Large Crowd Sunday

The roaring of powerful stock and modified motors filled the air Sunday afternoon as McLean saw its first Mud Drags in history.

Britt's 1-40 Mud Drags brought about 800 people out on the warm, sunny day to watch as competitors in several classifications competed for prize money.

Winners in stock (4 cl. and 6 cl.) were Chris Keough, first; Mike Waldrop of Shamrock, second; Tony Sherman of McLean, third. Winning in stock v-8 were Steve Milam of Shamrock, first; Bobby Edwards of Shamrock, second; and Ernest

Catenhead of Shamrock, third.

Super stock winners were Steve Milan of Shamrock, first; Steve Galmour of Shamrock, second; and Jim Barister of Shamrock, third. Pro-stock winners were Kent Gaines, first; Jeff Clark of Pampa, second; and Steve Galmour of Shamrock, third. Winners in the modified division were Jeff Clark, Pampa, first; Mark Galmour, Shamrock, second; and Mike Gallagher of Oklahoma City, third.

In Bogg Pitt competition, Mark Galmour of Shamrock was first; Steven Galmour of Shamrock was second; and

Mike Gallagher of Oklahoma City was third.

Other competitors included Tony Sherman, Jimmy Shipman, Wayne Brown, Mike Reynolds, and Butch Tate of McLean; Bobby Mallanhour of Lefors; Johnny Roads, Teddy Pope, Paul Vinyard, David Vinyard, Bobby Edwards and David Schlegal, all of Shamrock.

The announcer was Jack Aardlow. The meet was sponsored by Britt Hathaway. Monica Shipman said that another mud drag was planned for Shamrock in May, and that another would probably be scheduled in McLean after that.

In The Kitchen

by Linda Haynes



When I was in Amarillo last weekend attending the press convention, we went one evening to Hugo's, which is an elegant dining place featuring fabulous French cuisine. Since we were on a small holiday, I splurged by ordering dessert, which was something called "Chocolate Intemperance." I have no idea how the dish was prepared, but it certainly whetted my appetite for all the chocolate things that I love. According to one recent national magazine, chocolate has become "fashionable" again, and a delicious chocolate dessert is a

status symbol. Here are a couple of my favorites from the Gray County Heritage Cookbook (still on sale at The McLean News)

Bessie's Chocolate Cake
Mary Hess Dwyer
Mix: 1 cup sugar
1 cup shortening
Add: 4 eggs, one at a time
1 16-oz. can Hershey chocolate syrup
Add: 1 cup sifted flour
1 t. vanilla
1 cup nuts.
Pour into greased and floured pan and bake at 350 degrees from 30 to 40 minutes. Frost with your favorite frosting.

Boston Chocolate Fudge Cake

Mrs. Joe L. (Patricia Jamison) Turner
1/2 cup Crisco
2 cups light brown sugar
2 eggs
1 t. vanilla
2 squared unsweetened chocolate
1/2 cup water
1 t. salt
1 t. baking soda
2 1/4 cup flour
1/2 cup sour milk or

buttermilk

Pack brown sugar into cup to measure. Cream brown sugar and shortening. Add eggs and vanilla. Beat on high until creamy. Melt chocolate squares and water over low heat, stirring until melted and smooth. Add to sugar and egg mixture. Sift flour, salt, and soda together. Add to mixture alternately with milk, beating gently after each addition. Pour into greased and floured pans, 3 eight-inch or 2 nine-inch, or one long pan. Bake at 350 degrees until done, approximately 30 to 35 minutes.

ICING:

2 squares melted unsweetened chocolate; approximately 3/4 lb. box powdered sugar; 1/2 t. salt, 1/4 cup oleo, melted; few drops of milk.

Mix all until creamy and easy to spread.

SCHOOL MENUS

BREAKFAST
FRIDAY, April 15
Cold Cereal, Toast, Jelly, Juice, Milk
MONDAY, April 18
Pancakes, Bacon, Juice, Milk
TUESDAY, April 19
Hot Cereal, Toast, Jelly, Juice, Milk
WEDNESDAY, April 20
Creamed Beef on Toast, Juice, Milk
THURSDAY, April 21
French Toast, Juice, Milk

Last time is never found again.
John H. Aughey

LUNCH
FRIDAY, April 15
Roast Beef, Creamed Potatoes, Brown Gravy, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Butter, Syrup
MONDAY, April 18
Pizza, Corn on Cob
TUESDAY, April 19
Chili Dogs w/Cheese, Pork & Beans, French Fries, Cherry Cobbler
WEDNESDAY, April 20
Goulash, Fried Okra, Salad, Biscuits, Butter & Honey
THURSDAY, April 21
Beef Stew, Sandwiches, Crackers, Cheese Wedge, Blueberry Muffin

Beta Sigma Phi Discusses Volleyball Tournament Monday

McLean's Beta Sigma Phi Sorority met Monday night at the American National Bank Hospitality Room. The business

meeting was held, and details on the volleyball tournament held by the sorority this past weekend were discussed.

Appreciation was expressed to everyone for the complete assistance given throughout the tournament. After the

business session, gifts were handed out and secret sisters from last year were revealed. New secret sisters were also

drawn. Refreshments were served by hostesses Donna Hauck and Jan Layfield.

The hostess gift was won by Kathy Reynolds again.

Former Resident Named To PRPC Advisory Board

The Panhandle Regional Planning Commission Criminal Justice Advisory Board recently appointed Jeane Roper, Chief Juvenile Probation Officer and Assistant Chief Adult Probation Officer, for the 31st Dis-

trict, to the Board to serve a three-year term. The primary purpose of the advisory board is to annually prioritize grant applications submitted by Panhandle area criminal justice agencies. The applications include

funding requests for law enforcement projects, corrections projects, court projects, and juvenile projects. After being prioritized on the regional level the applications are submitted to the State of Texas for

final funding decisions. Those projects with a high regional priority ranking generally receive favorable consideration from the state. Approximately \$300,000 is available for FY 1984 projects in the Panhandle.

Donna Hauck was in charge of the program and her guest speaker was Cynthia Hauck, who spoke on beauty tips and presented her "Jafra" line of cosmetics.

Every-one tried the cosmetics and went home with a new face.

Those present were Linda Syfrett, Jan Layfield, Margaret Milam, Jean Smith, Jodi Thomas, Kathy Reynolds, Jacquie Riley, Nancy Billingsley, Mary Lou Glass, Donna Hauck, Linda McAnear, Billie Kingston, Sonie Bybee, and special guest, Cheryl Smith.

Alanreed Briefs

Visiting the Robert Bruces and at First Baptist Church Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bruce, Shawn, Kaye and Paul of Pampa.

Danny McLain brought two of brother Dean's children to church Sunday. They are from Amarillo.

Two houses in town are sporting new paint jobs. Polly Harrison's and Jewel Warner's.

Bradley McLain, who suffered a broken leg recently, is due to get his cast on this week and return to his home on the Johnson Ranch.

Onie Gibson attended a baby shower for grandson Brad's wife in Pampa on Tuesday.

The Leo Keese' entertained their children and some of their neighbors recently with a barbecue in the back yard.

The Elmer Daniels were in Oklahoma recently to attend funeral services for Elmer's cousin.

Visiting Jewel Warner last week were Robert Hall and Ruth Cross of Oklahoma, Linda Hastings and Peggy Leeder.

Betty Finley and Ramona were both in the Pampa hospital this week.

Pat McLain's mother has been in Pampa helping her daughter with Bradley.

Banquet Is Friday Night

The McLean High School Junior-Senior Banquet is slated for Friday night at Coronado Inn in Pampa. Kevin Nicholson will read the senior will. Allen Patman will read the junior class prophecy. Time of the banquet has been changed to 7:30 p.m. to allow UIL qualifiers to return from regional competition at Levelland.

Junior class sponsors are Jan Johnson and Joe Riley.

Senior class sponsors are Virginia Holwick and Carl Dwyer.

True enjoyment comes from activity of the mind and exercise of the body; the two are ever united.
Humboldt



"He won't leave without Sandra."

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HARRINGTON STRING QUARTET

String Quartet To Perform In Pampa

The Harrington String Quartet of Amarillo will be performing under the sponsorship of the Pampa Fine Arts Association April 22 at 8 p.m. at St. Mathews Episcopal Church.

Tickets are \$5 for a-

dults and \$2 for students, and they are on sale in Pampa at Lowrey and Tarpley Music Stores and Hastings Records in the Pampa Mall.

The Harrington Quartet is one of 10 chamber music groups to be invited to compete in the Banff Competition in Al-

berta, Canada, in April, following the Pampa performance. The Quartet was founded jointly by the Amarillo Symphony Orchestra and West Texas State University with a grant from the Don and Sibyl Harrington Foundation. It made its debut in November, 1981.

Services Wednesday For Megan Matthews

Megan Michelle Matthews of Dumas was stillborn at 12:28 p.m. Monday in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Matthews of Dumas.

Graveside services were conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Hillcrest

Cemetery with the Rev. Buell Wells, First Baptist Church, officiating. Interment was under the direction of Lamb's Funeral Home.

Survivors include her parents; a twin sister, Erin; a brother, Christopher; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.

Wayne Matthews of Huttig, Ark.; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Henley of Dumas; and great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Matthews of Huttig, Annie Hendon of McLean, Dick Henley of McLean, and Mrs. Norman Jerry of Huttig.

NEWS FROM COUNTY EXTENSION AGENT

by Joe VanZandt

Farmers are deciding which fields will be planted to summer crops now that the PIK sign-up period is over. Making the most efficient use of the acres you grow crops on is vital this year. Proper fertilization is of utmost importance. Soil tests can be a valuable source of information and a profitable investment.

A soil test is a chemical laboratory analysis designed to provide an index of the available nutrients in a soil. The soil test report includes levels of nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium. In addition, suitable methods have been developed for determining levels of the micronutrients zinc, iron and manganese.

Even though soil tests can be made for other nutrients, results have limited value where deficiencies have not been detected in research studies.

There are two important requirements for getting valid information from soil tests. First, laboratory methods must be correlated with field response data. Second, a good soil sample is needed.

There are many procedures for testing soils and obtaining numerical values, such as pounds per acre or parts per million. However, unless crop removal and response data are collected to establish whether or

not the soil is medium and high in nutrients, expected response results are essentially meaningless. Therefore, a producer should make sure that the laboratory doing his work uses procedures suitable for his soils.

In addition to reliable testing procedures, the soil sample sent to the laboratory must be carefully collected and must be representative of the field on which information is desired.

Two aspects of sampling is emphasized. First, divide fields into uniform sampling units. Each unit should be uniform with respect to color and texture of soil as well as past cropping, and fertilization practices. If samples represent large acreages, results will show only general information. As fertilization becomes a regular practice, more attention must be given to obtaining specific information for each field or subdivision and developing fertilization practices accordingly.

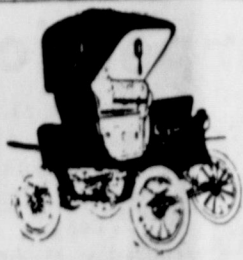
The second point of emphasis regarding sampling is the number of spots at which soil is obtained. Collect soil from at least 10 to 15 spots in each field. Soils vary considerably in nutrients content even though they look uniform. Take a slice or core from the plowlayer at each location, put in a clean bucket, mix thor-

oughly and send about a pint to the laboratory.

Soil tests can provide valuable information for profitable fertilization practices. More information about soil testing is available from the county Extension office.



"If you're going down, Harry, would you mind taking the garbage?"



DOWN MEMORY LANE

Compiled By Sam Haynes From The Files Of The McLean News

10 YEARS AGO... E. M. Bailey, Ed.

Tuesday, April 10, the McLean girl's Jr. High track team went to Clarendon for the District meet. The girls did very good and were proud to bring home the first place trophy.

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The United Methodist Church Women met recently in the church parlor for the installation of new officers. Prayers were said by all members present. Rev. Robert Brown installed the new officers with an impressive ceremony. The new officers for the next year are: President - Betty Husted; Vice president - Barbara Bradley; secretary - Maude Cooke; treasurer and program chairman - Margaret Coleman; Spiritual life chairman - Grace Glenn; coordinator - Mary Brown; Reporter - Mar-

jorie Jones; local church activities - Linda Haynes; Membership - Jane Day.

†††

Area residents took another look at their calendars Saturday to make sure it was really spring as a 4 to 6 inch show hit the area Saturday night and Sunday. High winds caused the snow to drift making the highways hazardous.

20 YEARS AGO...

Jack Shelton, Ed. Keith Goodman of Lubbock, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Goodman of McLean, has been awarded a certificate for making the dean's honor roll at Tech for the first semester.

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The sale of Cliett Cleaners was announced this week by Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cliett, operators of the firm since September, 1947. Jim Hathaway, owner of the

Master Cleaners, purchased the Cliett Cleaners. Hathaway said he plans to move some of the equipment to the Master Cleaners building and dispose of the remainder.

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T. G. Richardson, employee of the City of McLean, suffered serious wrist cuts Monday afternoon when he fell at the dumpgrounds. Richardson underwent surgery on Tuesday at Highland General Hospital in Pampa to repair the ligaments cut in the fall.

30 YEARS AGO...

Lester Campbell, Ed. Funeral services for Albert Lee (Rosie) Overton, former McLean barber, were held Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the McLean Methodist Church. Rites were conducted by Rev. C. W. Parmenter, local Methodist pastor. Interment was in Hillcrest Cemetery under the direction of Claborn Funeral Home.

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Approximately 160 people, including two charter members of the church, attended the 50th anniversary observance of the Heald Methodist Church Easter Sunday. The charter members who attended were: Mrs. Mabel McKinzey of Sunray and Will Haynes of Weatherford, Oklahoma.

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Hershel Nicholson, A. N. of Memphis, Tennessee, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Nicholson. He is en route to the West Coast, where he will be stationed until leaving for duty in Japan.

40 YEARS AGO...

T. A. Landers, Ed. H. Longan, who lives in the Ramsdell community, has 378 hens that laid 178 dozen eggs in eight days, which were sold for \$56.96. The feed bill was \$9.80, leaving a profit of approximately \$5.90 per day.

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Mrs. C. O. Huber and

Mrs. C. C. Cox took their fifth graders for a train ride to Shamrock last Friday. A number of the mothers took cars to Shamrock and met the group for lunch in the park and brought them home. Rev. Huber accompanied the party on the train. Among those taking cars were mesdames Frank Harlan, John Cooper, Lively, Bailey, Geo. Graham, Shadid, Huber, and Lee Wilson.

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Three war planes in flight formation "bombed" McLean with war bond pamphlets Wednesday evening. The bombing was done by Pampa cadets, McLean being one of 35 towns visited simultaneously by plane formations from the Pampa field.

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Robert Sherrod of Alanreed was in McLean Sunday.

50 YEARS AGO...

T. A. Landers, Ed. The McLean Tigers will play the Pampa Harvesters at Pampa on Oct. 6, which will be the second game of the 1933 season.

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Mr. and Mrs. Duke Shaw of Pampa visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Shaw, last weekend.

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Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Batson visited relatives in Little Rock, Ark., last week.

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Cub Post...The 7th grade English honor roll is as follows: Leta Mae Phillips, Willa Mae Gressett, Harry Barnes, Margaret Kennedy, Jessee Dean Cobb, Anna Dell Sligar, R. L. Floyd.

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Donald Beall and Wheeler Foster were in Shamrock Monday. 60 YEARS AGO...

T. A. Landers, Ed. In the trustee election Saturday the old trustees were reelected. There were no names placed on the ticket opposing them.

The men elected were John W. Kibler, J. S. Morse and J. M. Noel.

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Miss Leora Kinard spent the week end with her parents at Gracey.

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Paul Ladd of Granite, Oklahoma, came in Saturday to visit home folks.

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Mrs. J. S. Stephens returned Saturday from Pampa. She was accompanied by Mrs. Emmett Lefors and Miss Pearl Hughes, who spent Saturday night in the C. A. Gatlin home.

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Adv...Good, clean dwarf milo maize seed for sale at three cents per pound. Cicero Smith Lumber co.

70 YEARS AGO...

A. G. Richards, Ed. Classified Ad...For rent - My bath tub... Troy West.

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In the first matched game of the season, played at Alanreed last Saturday afternoon, the local high school baseball team was victorious over the Alanreed bunch by a score of seven to six.

Ross Biggers called the game, and so far as we are able to learn it was a clean exhibition of skill and ability without any resort to brawling and contention which often mars an otherwise good game.

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Lightning Monday afternoon set fire to the house occupied by Jess Mann in the south part of town. There was none of the family at home at the time, but neighbors extinguished the fire before it had gained much headway.

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Adv...See Billy Pennington for tank building and tin work.

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Adv...will stand my Percheron stallion known as Craig Horse one half mile east of Alanreed. He stood at the Russell wagon yard last year. Insure colt for \$10.....C. H. Bostick.

Health Hints

Watch For These Signs Of Ulcer It's estimated that some four million Americans suffer from duodenal ulcers at any given time. These are some of the symptoms:

- The most common symptoms of an ulcer are pain, a burning sensation, or discomfort in the upper abdomen. It's usually felt about two or three hours

after meals or in the middle of the night.

- Sometimes the distress occurs sooner after meals. These so-called hunger pains generally subside promptly upon eating.

- Nausea and vomiting can also occur. Whatever the cause, a duodenal ulcer is a serious problem. If you have chronic stomach pain, see your doctor.

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Students Garner Honors At UIL Competition



UIL WINNERS FROM McLean Elementary posed for this photo Monday. Shown on the back row from left to right are Tina Cummings, Ronna Young, Cissy Dalton and Dollie Haynes; front row,

Colleen Orrick, Sheva Seymour, Tres Hess, and Donald Harris. Not pictured is Calle Holwick who was absent the day this picture was taken. (Photo by Linda Haynes)

McLean students went for their third day of literary competition in the University Interscholastic League events Thursday at Amarillo College.

MHS junior Allen Patman won third in number sense. In elementary competition, the fourth and fifth grade picture memory team won first. Students participating were Tres Hess, Donald Harris, and Sheva Seymour. Calle Holwick won first place in fifth and sixth grade oral reading. Tina Cummings was third and Cissy Dalton was fourth in the event. In fifth and sixth grade spelling, Dollie Haynes was second and Ronna Young was sixth.

High school students who have qualified for regional competition will go to Levelland Thursday and Friday. Angie Wilson will compete in headline writing, Bryan Smitherman in science, and Allen Patman in number sense. In Debate, the team of Allen Patman and Bryan Smitherman will compete, as well as Darin Corley and DeWayne Adamson.

Elementary students do not progress beyond district competition.

Leftovers Win Championship

The Leftovers from Briscoe took the championship bracket in the Beta Sigma Phi Volleyball Tournament last weekend in McLean. Placing second were the Salty Dogs of McLean, with third going to Gangbusters of Shamrock. Consolation in the men's division went to Groom Fumigation in Groom.

In the women's division, Con Chem of Pampa was first, with Rives Insurance of Wheeler in second, the Spikers of Clarendon third, and Ali-cias Salon of Shamrock won consolation.

"Man comes as a novice in to each age in his life."
Nicolas Chamfort

'Angel On My Shoulder' Begins Tuesday in Amarillo

An all-star cast of three -- Patrick Wayne, Mary McDonough and Johnny Crawford -- will bring the light-hearted, romantic comedy "Angel on My Shoulder" to the stage of Amarillo's Country Squire Dinner Theatre for a month's run with opening night scheduled for April 12.

Patrick Wayne, son of the famous Academy Award winning actor, John Wayne, has won stardom in his own right with his performances on television series and in such movies as "The Alamo," "Mister Roberts," "The Long Grey Line" and "The Searchers". He has recently starred in special productions of "The Love Boat" and "Fantasy Island." Last summer he won applause from area audi-

ences with his performance in "The Tender Trap" at Country Squire.

Mary McDonough played Erin, one of the Walton daughters, for the entire run of the popular television series "The Waltons". She also has appeared in "Love Boat" episodes and in NBC specials.

Actor Johnny Crawford received an Emmy nomination for his work with Chuck Connors in the ABC series, "The Rifleman." His film credits include "El Dorado," "The Great Texas Dynamite Chase" and "The Resurrection of Bronco Billy."

"Angel on My Shoulder" will be on stage Tuesday through Sundays with a special Senior Citizen matinee at 2 p.m. April 17.

Kramer Nominated For WTSU Award



SHERRY KRAMER

Sherry Kramer, McLean senior nursing major, is one of 25 students at West Texas University nominated for Woman of the Year, sponsored by the Association for Women Students.

The WTSU Woman of the Year will be announced during the ASW Woman of the Year banquet, 7 p.m. April 14.

Kramer is nominated by the Scribes Honor Society. She serves as

secretary for the organization. She also is a member of Alpha Chi and Phi Eta Sigma honor societies; Sigma Theta Tau, nursing honor society; Tau Beta Sigma, music organization; and Texas Nursing Students Association.

She is listed in Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

Kramer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Glass.

Teams Victim of Redistricting

The redistricting of the district golf competition put McLean against stiffer competition, according to golf coach Joe Riley, and kept the McLean boys' and girls' teams from winning a trip to regional competition in Levelland later this month. The teams played Monday at Panhandle Country Club. The McLean boys shot 424 (top four scores) to take fifth place out of seven teams, while the girls shot 541 to take third place.

In the boys' competition, Phillips was first and Vega was second. Scores for McLean's boys were David Reid, 98; Steven McAnear, 103; Donnie Smith, 109; and Tim Hembree 114. Tom Milam shot 117.

In girls competition, Vega was first and Claude was second. McLean's Maria Eck led the local group with 122; Lee Ann Tate shot 138; Sherry McLain shot 139; Candi Carpenter shot 142; and Melanie Billingsley shot 152.

Methodist Group Meets

The Susanna Group of the First United Methodist Church met Tuesday morning to continue the study of Hebrews.

Present were Fern Boyd, Eva Peabody,

Sophia Hutchison, Isabel Cousins, Betty McCurley, Frances Kennedy, Marty Cabel and Katy Graham.

The next meeting will be April 26.

QUOTABLE QUOTES

Broad minded is just another way of saying a fellow's too lazy to form an opinion.
Will Rogers

Put your trust in God, but keep your powder dry.
Oliver Cromwell

Every tyrant who has lived has believed in freedom for himself.
Elbert Hubbard

Never tell the truth to people who are not worthy of it.
Mark Twain

A vacation is a period of travel and relaxation when you take twice the clothes and half the money you need.
Anonymous

Variety's the very spice of life, that gives it all its flavor.
William Cowper

The best way to keep good acts in memory is to refresh them with new.
Cato

What maintains one's vice would bring up two children.
Benjamin Franklin

Nursing Center News

Sunday, Brother Archie Cooper was here to conduct services.

Evans. Bananas were furnished by our local Lions Club.

Monday, residents playing were Buck Henley, Lula Sheegog, Ruby Bidwell, Ruby Cook, Annie Eudey, Leon Burch, Bill Shaffer, Bernice Adamson, A. L. Welch, Maggie Morris, Ruth Kemp, Lona Jones, Inez Fields, Earl Tolleson and Alma Fandal. Those assisting were Ruby Day, One Vineyard, Bertha Smith, Mildred Giesler, Lena Bailey and Pete

Tuesday morning residents worked on their owl note holders and in the afternoon the ladies quilted.

Wednesday, members of the Pentecostal church were here for a Bible study and returned Thursday for a Sing-A-Long.

Friday Martha Parker was here with her great movies.

Thieves Steal Oil Recently

Thieves apparently took 30 barrels of oil from a Stahl Petroleum oil well tank 10 miles north of McLean recently. The loss was discovered April 3. According to reports, four belts were cut on the machinery. Gray County sheriff's office and the Texas Railroad Commission are investigating the loss.

Thomas Nursing Center will have their Bake sale and Bazaar this coming Saturday starting at 9 a.m., come early for best selection. In the afternoon at 2 p.m. Gib Welch with his seven piece band (Lone Star Band) will be here to play for us, all are welcome to attend.

Tuesday Wreck Damages Two Cars

Two Oklahoma cars were damaged Tuesday at 4:36 p.m. Laura E. Bauer of Oklahoma City, driving a 1979 Plymouth and pulling a U-Haul trailer turned left out of the right hand lane. She was struck by a 1981 Oldsmobile driven by Harold Ray Clark Jr. of Oklahoma City.

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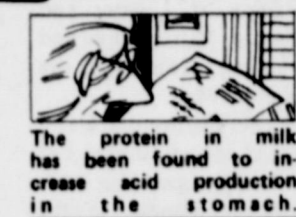
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Surprising to many Americans is that a bland diet of small, frequent meals and lots of milk and cream aren't the best treatment for ulcers. That theory has been disproved by research showing that patients with normal diets healed as well or faster.



The protein in milk has been found to increase acid production in the stomach.

Ulcers—Bland Diet Theory Disproved

Actually, it's been found that frequent eating stimulates acid secretion leading eventually to an overall increase in gastric acidity. Milk tends to stimulate acid production in the stomach and is not recommended in large quantities for ulcer patients.



Let's talk.

Information about your changing telephone service from Gary Stevens, Community Relations Manager

Some telephones now offered for sale

In earlier columns, we've discussed several changes underway within the Bell System and Southwestern Bell. Now, there's one more.

If you are a customer with single-line telephone service, you may purchase certain telephones that before were available only on a monthly lease basis. When you purchase your set, you may save money by eliminating monthly equipment charges on your statements.

Phones for sale include standard telephone sets in both rotary and

Touch-Tone® service (desk or wall units), along with Trimline® and Princess® models.

The offer also includes special feature instruments such as the Touch-a-matic® 12 adjunct dialer, the Touch-a-matic 16 and Touch-a-matic S Series telephone sets, the Action Phone™ and TeleHelper speakerphone, and the TeleHelper answer-and-record units.

FCC regulations prevent party-line customers from purchasing these phones.

Purchase considerations and warranties

Instruments already installed in a customer's home or office will cost less than equipment in our inventory.

Phones sold in place carry a 30-day warranty; those sold from inventory carry a 90-day warranty.

A full text of this warranty is available free upon request by writing to Southwestern Bell Fulfillment Center, 600 St. Louis, Room 619, Springfield, MO 65806.

Purchasing your phone is optional. You may continue to lease set(s) or any of the functional instruments on a monthly basis. When you lease equipment, there's no additional charge for repair work, and you can

get replacement phones whenever you move.

When you purchase phone(s), you eliminate monthly equipment charges on your statement. Over a period of time, this could cost you less. But remember, if you purchase your phone(s), you will be responsible for repairs after the warranty expires.

With credit approval, you may purchase your phone(s) in equal monthly installments (two, three or four months)—all without interest. If you prefer, you can be billed in one lump sum on your next monthly statement.

The following charts compare monthly charges to purchase prices.

Basic Telephone Equipment	Monthly Charge	(in service before 3-5-83)	(in service after 3-5-83; inventory price)
			Purchase Price*
Standard			
Rotary (desk or wall)	\$ 1.25	\$ 19.95	\$ 34.95
Touch-Tone (desk or wall)	1.80	42.95	54.95
Princess			
Rotary	2.50	39.95	59.95
Touch-Tone	3.40	49.95	69.95
Trimline			
Rotary (desk or wall)	2.90	44.95	64.95
Touch-Tone (desk or wall)	3.60	54.95	74.95
Functional Products			
Touch-a-matic 12 (Touch-Tone)	\$ 3.30	\$ 78.95	\$ 83.95
Touch-a-matic 16			
Rotary	13.60	208.95	221.95
Touch-Tone	14.35	220.95	235.95
Touch-a-matic S Series	10.50	179.95	187.95
Action Phone	8.75	126.95	132.95
Telehelpers			
Speakerphone	7.60	105.95	109.95
Answer and record unit	12.00	118.95	125.95

Further information and how to order

Your business office representatives can help provide further information about telephones for sale.

You may purchase telephones at the Bell Service Centers or through a direct mail reply card enclosed with your April statement. Or, order by phone. Shipping, handling and mailing charges will be billed to you.

You also can purchase telephones from inventory for gifts and we will ship these phones to an address other than yours.

These new sale options are a result of our changing industry and environment. They in no way lessen our commitment to provide you the best telephone service possible.

As always, if you have questions or comments, I'll be happy to hear from you.

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GARAGE SALE: SATURDAY, April 16, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. 719 W. Fifth. 15-1c

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INTERESTED IN PURCHASING any vacant lots in the city of McLean. Wayne Bybee 779-2601 or 779-2716. 10-tfc

CARD OF THANKS

Thank you from the Beta Sigma Phi for all the help that we received from everyone during our volleyball tournament.

Mrs. Claude Brooks and relatives wish to express their thanks and

appreciation to everyone for their sympathy, prayers, lovely flowers, food, cards, phone calls and other acts of kindness during the illness and loss of my dear husband, Claude Brooks. They all wish to express their special thanks to Rev. Bill Wilson, the ones who sang the beautiful songs and to Joyce Haynes for playing sweet music at the funeral, and also to Wanda and Creed Lamb for their kindness, and to the kind ladies who prepared and brought food during the family's sad time. May God bless each of you. Mrs. Claude Brooks and Relatives

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NOTICES

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

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF ALMA TURMAN, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of ALMA TURMAN were issued on March 21, 1983 in Cause No. 6113, pending in the County Court of Gray County, Texas, to: LORENE PRICE and MOLITA GREER.

The residence of each such Executrix is as follows:

Lorene Price, 101 E. 26th, Pampa, Texas 79065 and Molita Greer, Clarendon, Texas 79226.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

Dated the 29th day of March, 1983. Estate of Alma Turman, Deceased by Clyde Slavin Slavin Law Firm Attorneys for the Estate

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LOOSE MARBLES LISA Patman poses with her second-place plaque which she won at the recent Panhandle Press Association convention in Amarillo Saturday. [Photo by Linda Haynes]

'Loose Marbles' Wins Second In PPA Contest

"Loose Marbles" by Lisa Patman won a second place award at the annual Panhandle Press Association convention in Amarillo last weekend. The McLean News also received honorable mention certificates in Spot News Photos, Feature Stories, Editorial Writing, Sportswriting, and News Writing.

Weekly and daily papers in the 26 counties of the area participated in the annual newspaper contest. The Lipscomb county *Limelight* took seven first-place plaques in the contest, followed by *The Plainview Daily Herald*, which won four first-place plaques, and the *Hereford Brand* which also won four first-place plaques.

The *Pampa News* won three first-place awards.

The plaques were presented at the Saturday

morning awards breakfast held in the meeting room of the Holiday Inn in Amarillo.

The convention began Thursday evening with an early-bird party, sponsored by the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce. A golf tournament, which was planned for Friday morning, was cancelled because of snow.

The noon luncheon Friday featured Perryton writer John Erickson who read chapters from his latest book *Hank the Cowdog*. The self-published writer spoke to the group in an afternoon seminar explaining the problems of publishing. Several association members travelled to Canyon Friday afternoon to tour the *Canyon News* and see their computer.

The convention closed at a luncheon Saturday at

which John Irish, a publisher from Midland, spoke.

Linda Haynes, editor of *The McLean News*, presided at the convention. Lisa Patman, also of *The News*, was the group's

secretary. New officers include Sandy Woods of the *Lipscomb County Limelight* as president, Ron Filkins of *The Perryton Herald* as vice-president, and Mary Ann Hogue of *The Limelight* as the group's secretary.

Concerning Mrs. Patman's column, the judges said "This has got to be self-imposed required reading for local residents. Especially those with families. That bit on Brick Wall is a screaming jewel!"

4-Clover Horse Club Plans Meeting

All youngsters interested in participating in the 4-Clover 4-H Horse Club should attend a meeting April 16 at 4 p.m. at the Felton Webb Rodeo Arena, north of McLean. Those who are interested should come to the meeting or contact Frank or Jackie Worsham at 779-2044.

Kindergartners Should Contact School Principal

Students who will be in kindergarten next year should contact Dorman Thomas at the McLean Elementary school. Kindergarten children out of the district who want to attend McLean must be transferred by May 1. Thomas said that he had information for the parents of each kindergarten child.

BIRTHDAYS

APRIL 14

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Jonathan Douglas

APRIL 15

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APRIL 16

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