

PLAIN TALK

By BILL PERKINS

McLean now has the most beautiful bank building we've seen. We've seen larger buildings in the big cities but none of them were prettier.

There is something about the color scheme that just seems inviting. It is similar to talking to a friendly person, or an early morning on a bright spring day. Early in life we somewhere got the mental picture of a bank as a cold, damp place with marble floors and heavy doors ruled over by a Scrooge-type person.

The American National Bank in McLean is just the opposite of what we had always imagined years ago.

It will be worth your while to attend the open house Sunday afternoon from 2:00 to 5:00.

Five of the new homes at El Paso Gas Company's compressor station are filled now and all 12 will be filled within a very short time. The Braun Construction Company is winding up their operations here temporarily but they will be back early in January for additional construction work for El Paso.

Sign on a winding highway: "These curves are different; they get more dangerous after you pass 65!"

MARSHALL FUNERAL SATURDAY

Mrs. L. R. Marshall, 64, of Shamrock, died Thursday at 7:20 a. m. at the Shamrock General Hospital.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 Saturday afternoon in the First Baptist Church in Shamrock with the pastor, the Rev. J. E. Byers, officiating. Interment was in the Shamrock cemetery.

Mrs. Marshall was born May 5, 1893, in the Indian Territory and had lived in Wheeler and Gray counties since 1927. She moved to Wheeler County from Pampa in 1946. She was a member of the Shamrock Baptist church and a teacher in the adult department of the Sunday School. Survivors are her husband, L. R. Marshall of Shamrock; one son, Forrest Hupp of McLean; three grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. J. D. Teagus of Cullman, Ala., and Mrs. C. O. Parker of Samnorwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall lived in the Kellerville community before moving to Shamrock.

FUNERAL HELD THURSDAY FOR E. L. BRYANT

Edgar Lee Bryant, 65, died in St. Joseph's Hospital in Wellington Tuesday, Sept. 24, at 12:45 a. m. following an illness of about 10 days.

Funeral services for Mr. Bryant were held at the Church of the Nazarene in Wellington Thursday, September 26, with the Rev. John Ferguson, pastor, officiating. Military services were conducted by Legion members from McLean and the National Guard of Wellington.

Burial was in the Shamrock cemetery.

Mr. Bryant was born February 22, 1892, in Howard County, Ark., the son of Mrs. D. W. Bryant of Wellington and the late Mr. Bryant.

He was a veteran of World War I and a member of the American Legion.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Dicie Bryant; four daughters and three sons: Mrs. Dicie Mae Pool of McLean, Mrs. Annie Mae Nation of Friona, Misses Edna Faye and Lela Bryant of Wellington, Everett Lee Bryant of North Hollywood, Calif., Johnny R. Bryant of Whittier, Calif., and Junior Ray Bryant of Fort Sill. Other survivors are his mother, three brothers, a sister, 13 grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

Two children, a son and a daughter, preceded him in death.

Andrew Jackson's home was called "The Hermitage."

LOCAL AND HOME NEWS

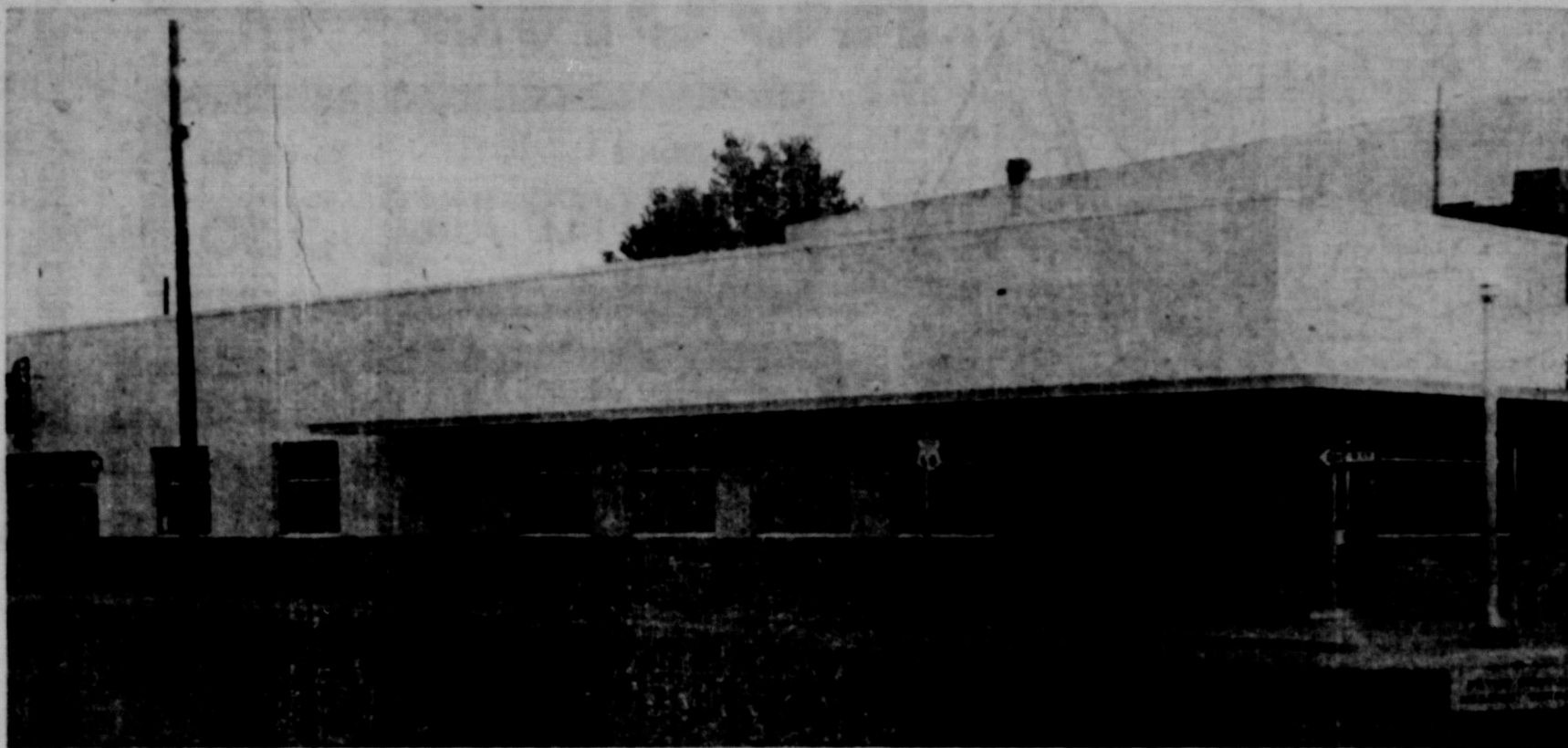
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Bank Open House To Be Held Sunday



THE AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK IN McLEAN calls this beautiful building at Main and First Streets home now and invites all of the people in McLean and the trade territory to be its guests at Open House Sunday, October

6, from 2:00 to 5:00 p. m. Covered in Colorado pink stone and Texas shell stone, a \$50,000 remodeling job has been completed, making the bank modern and convenient in every respect.

When the American National Bank in McLean observes open house in its beautifully remodeled building Sunday it will mark another forward step that has been characteristic of the institution since its founding in 1909.

Organized as the American State Bank in August of 1909, the local bank was converted to a national bank in 1917.

R. H. Collier served as the first president of the then American State Bank. Some of the other organizers and early stockholders included A. P. Clark, D. B. Veatch, T. J. Bailey and J. T. Foster.

George W. Sitter became a director of the bank in 1912 and served until his death as a director and as president.

The original building which housed the American State Bank and later the American National Bank in McLean was erected in 1911 at a cost of \$3,908.28. The recent remodeling job was completed at a total cost of near \$50,000.

Featuring new vaults, safety deposit facilities and a complete air conditioning system, the remodeling was under the supervision of John H. Jones, building contractor, of Clarendon. Architects were Short & Boren, and interior decorating was by Mrs. Blanche Anglund, James Hinton and Bill McAllister.

Outstanding features other than the modern design, convenience, and general attractiveness of the building, are the vinyl floor covering, the Colorado pink stone and Texas shell stone exterior.

Present officers and employees of the American National Bank in McLean are:

J. L. McMurtry, president. Clifford Allison, executive vice president.

J. L. Hess, vice president. T. Elmo Whaley, cashier. Donald Cunningham, assistant cashier.

LaVerne Hutchison. Grace Glenn. J. Alfred McMurtry. Milton Carpenter.

Clifford Allison has been an active officer in the bank since 1931.

J. L. McMurtry has been an officer and director since 1924.

J. L. Hess was elected a director in 1915. E. L. Sitter in 1917, and J. M. Carpenter became a director in 1924, also serving as president at the time of his death.

The following persons, among others, have served as officers or directors with the institution since its organization:

E. R. Eakins, W. C. Cheney, Ross Biggers, C. L. Cooke, E. M. Rice, W. N. Holt, Clay Thompson, Raymond Howard, Mrs. Ethna B. Clark, F. H. Bourland, John C. Haynes, Wesley Knorpp, Nona Cousins Dougherty, Fern Upham Boyd, Reuben R. Cook, R. L. Harlan, D. N. Massay, T. A. Massay, J. B. Hembree, vice president 1933 to 1954, now retired and living in Honey Grove.

WHITE DEER BUCKS TO PLAY TIGERS HERE FRIDAY NIGHT

Coach Jack Riley's McLean Tigers face another tough team when they meet the White Deer Bucks at Duncan Field Friday night.

The Bucks have chalked up four straight victories so far this season, three of them over district 2-A teams. After winning their season's opener over Groom by a 26-7 score, the Bucks knocked over Clarendon 28-26, Lefors 20-7 and Canadian 20-14.

White Deer's lineup Friday night will have a lot of familiar faces to McLean fans with 11 lettermen back from their strong 1956 squad, including ace quarterback, Don Essary.

Coach Otis Holladay will field a speedy team with better than average weight. The Bucks average 170 pounds per man.

Game time will be 8:00 o'clock at Duncan Field.

McLean Methodist To Observe World Wide Communion

The McLean Methodist Church will observe World Wide Communion Sunday, October 6, led by the Rev. H. A. Longino.

The Rev. Jack Riley, pastor, and family left on vacation this week.

L. T. Goldston Gets First Bale Cotton To McLean Friday

L. T. Goldston, who farms 7 miles northwest of McLean, near Alanreed, delivered the first bale of cotton here Sept. 27.

The 2,000-pound load of cotton produced a 520-pound bale which graded middling 7/8 staple and will market for about 30 cents a pound.

The load also produced 780 pounds of seed.

B. F. Holland, manager of the McLean Gin, said the cotton and seed would be worth about \$200. The bale was processed free of charge.

Merchants in McLean donated \$76 in cash and \$3 in merchandise to Mr. Goldston.

The first bale of 1957 was ginned 23 days later than the first bale in '56. The first bale last year was delivered by B. J. Shaw, whose farm in the Alanreed vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Studer and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fuller of Pampa visited their daughter, son, and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fuller, Craig and Carla, Sunday.



David M. Fultz, minister of the church of Christ, moved from Omaha, Nebr., to McLean the first part of September.

The Fultz family consists of three daughters, Donna, Trudy and Beth. Both Mr. and Mrs. Fultz are graduates of Oklahoma State University at Stillwater, Okla. Mr. Fultz lacks only a thesis of completing work on his master's in counseling and guidance from Wichita University, Wichita, Kans. He also took a year in Bible at Freedman-Hardeman College, Henderson, Tenn.

Although born and reared in Oklahoma, most of the work in preaching the gospel has been done in Kansas and Nebraska. Mr. Fultz worked with churches in Winfield and Wichita, Kans., before going to Omaha. This is their first place to live in Texas and they are looking forward to a very pleasant work here.

VILLAGE



GOSSIP (More or Less)

The Stevens children held their annual family reunion Sunday, Sept. 29, at Saint Jo, in the home of Mrs. L. Shannon. About 30 were present.

Teen Town will be held Friday night immediately following the ball game.

STINNETT STOPS McLEAN 45-7 FOR EIGHTEENTH STRAIGHT WIN

By JIM VINEYARD

P-TA Members Have Get-Acquainted Party Monday Night

The McLean Parent-Teacher Association met Monday night in the grade school cafeteria for a get-acquainted party. The president, Mrs. Naomi McCarty, welcomed the new people and introduced the new officers: Mrs. Cecile Parvin, vice president; Mrs. Loree Brown, secretary; Mrs. Lynn Reeves, treasurer; Mrs. Barbara Richards, reporter; Mrs. Sinclair Armstrong, parliamentarian.

The grade school principal, Dale Parvin, introduced the teachers, and Supt. Freeman Melton made a talk on the importance of P-TA. Mrs. Paul Kennedy's first grade won the refreshments.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Georgia Beasley, Mrs. Betty Bunch and Mrs. Martha Parker. Sixty-four membership dues have been paid.

The Stinnett Rattlers stopped the McLean Tigers 45-7 at Duncan Field last Friday before an estimated crowd of 1,000. The Rattlers, behind the hard running of 157-pound fullback, Roy Reger, shocked the Tigers early in the game for 13 points in the first quarter, 12 in the second period, and had their big quarter in the third when they got 20 points. Reger, scoring four touchdowns for the Rattlers, was their big gun.

The Tigers received the opening kick on their own 10 and failed to move the ball in that series of downs. The Tigers, using the punting of Billy Crockett, punted out to the Rattlers on the Tiger 35. The Rattlers went the distance in 11 plays with Reger going over from the 9. Bains extra point kick was good and the Rattlers led 7-0 with 5 minutes and 40 seconds left in.

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LIONS SEE FOOTBALL FILM AT REGULAR TUESDAY MEET

McLean Lions Tuesday saw a 16-mm film feature of the McLean Tiger-Panhandle Panther football game, when one of their newest members, Coach Jack Riley, brought the program for the regular Tuesday meeting.

Several guests were present, including J. D. Roach who was a guest of Hickman Brown; Patrolman Dwyane Capps, a guest of Louis Martin; David Fultz, a guest of George Saunders; Eddie Conner, guest of Freeman Melton; Cloyce Bench, a guest of John C. Haynes; and Lion Ralph Thomas of Pampa, who was a guest of the club.

CUBS OF MONTH

David Woods, Lion cub of the month for September, and Eddie Brown, the new cub for the month for October, were present.

Coach Jack Riley was introduced into the club as a new member by his sponsor, Lion Freeman Melton.

The club welcomed another new member sponsored by Johnny M. Haynes, Lion Harvey Taylor.

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Lion Boss Amos Page called on John C. Haynes, who gave details concerning the membership drive which got underway Tuesday.

Haynes is membership chairman. The club was divided into two teams for the drive with L. K. Fuller in charge of one group and W. C. Simpson heading the other. The losing team will be required to furnish a T-bone steak feed for the entire club plus a 24-space bicycle rack for the grade school.

Eddie Conner announced that West Texas State and Mississippi Southern football squads would play in Amarillo Saturday night and advised the group where tickets could be obtained. He reported that McLean's own Ricky Mantooth was the most promising quarterback the Buffs have.

Boss Page gave a report on the successful drive for the scoreboard recently erected here by the club and other groups and individuals.

Lion Boyd Mendor announced that Christmas cards would be available through the club this year, with a portion of the proceeds going to the Kerrville Camp for Crippled Children.

Lion Hickman Brown, program chairman, then introduced Coach Riley who presented the filmed football game and narrated it for the group, which proved to be very interesting.



At Home—

NEW BOSS

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jack Bailey are the parents of a new daughter born Monday, Sept. 23, at the Suderman Clinic. The new arrival weighed 5 pounds and has been named Pammy Lynn. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ross Cullie and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey.

Personals

Jim and Gene Farren of West Texas State College in Canyon spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Farren.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Barrett of Amarillo attended the ball game here and visited their daughter, Mrs. Harold Butrum, and family Friday night.

Miss Mauree Miller of WTSC in Canyon spent the week-end in McLean with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Miller.

Mrs. Laura Stratton is in Amarillo visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Vina Meier, who recently underwent surgery at Northwest Texas Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Ballard and Mrs. J. N. Smith, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Horton and son of Pampa visited in Deward, Okla., last week-end with Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. John L. Pulliam, and her brother, C. C. Pulliam.

Harl Moore of WTSC in Canyon visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. McCarty of Phoenix, Ariz., Claude Price of Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs. R. L. Price of Hollis, Okla., P. B. Price of Lubbock, and Mrs. F. L. Billingsley of Commerce spent the week-end in the E. L. Price home.

Mr. and Mrs. Scotty McDonald and children of Pampa were in McLean Friday night for the ball game and to visit relatives.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Scott over the week-end were Mrs. A. L. McCarroll and son, Scottie, of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rigdon and daughter, Rosemary, of Borger, and Mrs. Mary Whitsitt of Amarillo.

Wayne Woods and friend, Jim White of Victoria, spent the week-end with Wayne's parents, Mr. and Mrs. June Woods. Both boys are students at Texas A&M College.

Mrs. J. J. Railsback and daughter, Margie Ruth, attended a birthday dinner Saturday at Phillips Camp in honor of Ed Railsback.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Anders returned home Monday after spending the week-end in Ardmore, Okla., in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Mackey. They attended a family reunion in Sulphur, Okla., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Smith were in Colorado several days last week on business.

Bob Stubblefield of Texas Tech in Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stubblefield, over the week-end.

Monta Jean Kennedy of WSTC in Canyon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kennedy, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty were among those who attended the annual meeting of the North Fork Baptist Association in Shamrock Thursday night and Friday.



"Dad," said mother, "Junior's teacher says he ought to have an encyclopedia."

"Encyclopedia, my eye," snapped father. "He can walk to school just like I always did."

The bullfrog was making a speech at the bullfrogs convention. Suddenly his voice cracked. "Excuse me, gentlemen," he said. "I must have a man in my throat."

Colder weather is coming on and you will want a good battery to see you through the winter months. Come in and let us tell you about our Atlas batteries.

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ODELL NANTOOTH

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Randolph of Paris, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Randolph of Elkhart, Kans., visited Mr. and Mrs. Nevile Beck last week. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Richards and attended the McLean-Stinnett game Friday night.

There is something that is much more scarce, something finer far, something rarer than ability. It is the ability to recognize ability.—Elbert Hubbard.

In the Editor's Mail

Las Cruces, New Mexico
Route 1, Box 18 1/2
Sept. 26, 1957

Mr. Bill Perkins, Editor
McLean News,
McLean, Texas

Dear Sir:
My family and I have recently moved to Las Cruces, N. M. In this strange new place where

we have moved we have no relatives or close friends, but we are meeting some very friendly people daily. We hope to establish many friends here.

It is always a pleasure to have a home town paper so that we can read about the doings and happenings around our home town and to keep up with what our old friends are doing.

Will you please transfer our subscription to our new address. Thanking you very much,

Most sincerely,
PIERCE CASTLEBERRY

Tax-Man Sam Sez:

Education is a wonderful thing, but most of us don't remember a lot of the things we learned while we were going to school. The main reason we don't remember is that we never used the knowledge. Where we started what we learned, we still know it even if we don't remember that Mrs. Beck taught it to us in the fifth grade. A lot of high school and college students are going to

learn about income taxes from the Internal Revenue Services' "Teaching Taxes" program being offered in most high schools and colleges. Contrary to what a lot of us would think, a large part of the young men and women learn that by filing an income tax return they will get a refund on the income tax withheld on their summer employment. They find out early in life that reading the instructions on income tax saves time, trouble, and cuts down the amount of tax you owe. It's hard to teach an old dog new tricks but it still pays

an old taxpayer to study his tax instructions. "Chances are that our future leaders will remember their income tax lessons well and profit by their knowledge."

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Provision for Feed Wheat Is Outlined

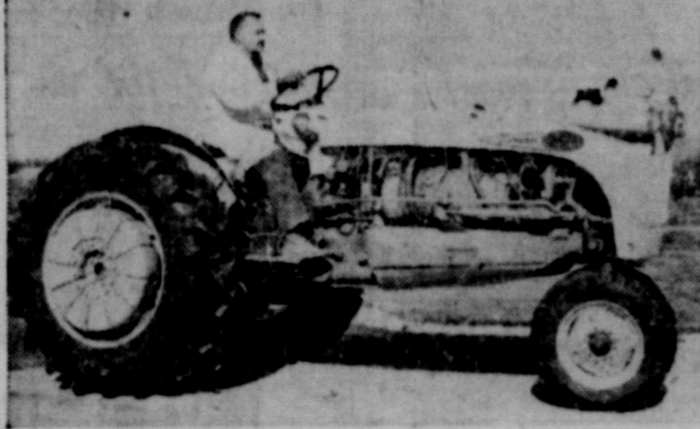
The general provisions of recent legislation permitting farmers whose wheat acreage allotments are less than 30 acres to grow up to 30 acres of wheat for use exclusively on the farm where produced are as follows: These provisions will apply only to 1958 and future crops and do not apply to the 1957 and prior wheat crops.

A number of limitations are placed on the production and use of wheat under the new provision. Producers, to be eligible to grow up to 30 acres without penalty for the 1958 crop, must sign an application prior to planting time on the farm, or October 15, 1957, whichever is later, and the application must be approved by the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation county committees. If at all possible, producers should make application at the county office in order that no misunderstanding will occur.

The application, which sets forth the conditions of the program, must show the expected disposition of the wheat. An application may be cancelled at any time at the producer's request, but marketing quota provisions will then apply.

If the producer signs up for the feed wheat exemption provision under the law, the entire crop of wheat must be used on the farm where produced for seed human food, or livestock and poultry feed. Not more than 30

Revolutionary New Tractor At Fair



This revolutionary new tractor utilizing a unique free piston turbine engine will be featured in the Stewart Company exhibit of farm machinery at the 1957 State Fair of Texas in Dallas, Oct. 5-20. The tractor is an experimental model and will require further development before it becomes a practical farm machine.

acres of wheat may be grown on the farm and none of the wheat may be sold, bartered or exchanged, except under certain conditions, nor will it be eligible for price support.

The livestock and poultry fed must be owned by the producer, or subsequent owner or operator of the farm. None of the wheat may be removed to another farm for any use on such farm.

If the wheat is to be ground into feed or flour at a mill, all

of the processed product and by-products must be returned to the farm. The producer may not pay for the service of grinding by giving the by-products or any of the grain to the mill.

Producers participating must permit inspection of the wheat crop and records relating thereto by representatives of the county committee or secretary.

No marketing card will be issued for farms covered by the feed wheat exemption provision,

since none of the wheat from such farms may be sold. If the conditions on which the exemption are granted are violated, the exemption becomes null and void and the producer will be subject to penalties under wheat marketing quota regulations.

Producers who participate in this program must maintain adequate records of the disposition of the crop of wheat produced on the farm and of any other wheat acquired and used on the farm. A disposition report of the 1958 crop must be filed with the ASC county office not later than Sept. 1, 1959, or within one year after such crop is disposed of, whichever is later.

Producers who participate in this program for the 1958 crop of wheat will not be eligible to vote in a referendum of 1959 wheat marketing quotas, if quotas are proclaimed.

The provision in effect under past programs permitting produc-

ers to market wheat without penalty where harvesting are 15 acres or less regardless of the size of the wheat allotment will still be available to producers on farms which are not participating in the feed wheat exemption provisions. However, any producer who elects to participate in the feed wheat exemption provision of the program will not be eligible to market any of his wheat and the 15-acre provision will not apply to the farm.

The exemption relating to the feed wheat provision is not automatic and only those producers who execute a proper application by the fiscal sign-up date and such application is approved, will be eligible to use this exemption.

A producer who participated in the 1958 wheat acreage reserve of the soil bank will not be eligible to use the provisions of the 30-acre feed wheat allotment. A producer who wishes to participate in the feed wheat provision

will have to cancel his wheat acreage reserve agreement prior to the closing date for cancellation of wheat acreage reserve agreements.

A basic provision of the acreage reserve program requires that a producer must comply with all acreage allotments on the farm to receive a payment under the soil bank. However, under provisions of the feed wheat amendment, producers who sign an application which is approved and harvest not more than 30 acres of wheat for use on the farm will be eligible to participate in the acreage reserve program for other commodities, such as cotton, corn, rice and tobacco, even though their wheat acreage allotment is exceeded.

ONE FOR THE BOOKS

Baytown—A man in a foul temper was hauled into jail in his "birthday suit." Deputy Sheriff J. C. Bickerstaff said he found

the man wandering around without his clothes, on Highway 73.

He seemed to be more mad than drunk, Bickerstaff said, but never could discover the reason for his anger, nor where his clothes were. As a result he was charged with drunkenness and given a cell to hide in.

"It's one for the books," Bickerstaff said, "and it went into mine!"

HORSING AROUND FATAL

San Antonio—A horse lost in an encounter with an automobile.

It happened like this: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kohler were driving on Palo Alto Road about 5:30 a. m. when they saw a horse galloping toward them.

Mrs. Kohler, who was driving, slowed down, but the horse hit the car and straddled the hood. The impact drove the horse's head through the windshield.

The horse died, and Kohler's dentures were damaged, but neither he nor his wife was injured.

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By Hugh Williamson

An outdoorsman, as you would expect, is more sensitive to the weather than other folks. And that doesn't merely mean that he is interested in whether it's hot or cold, wet or dry.

He watches the fishing calendar, the solunar tables, the barometer, and the weather predictions. He is aware of water temperatures at various depths, and he looks for the signs of nature.

All this goes for the hunter as well as the fisherman. As the dove hunter contemplated the season opening in the South Zone Oct. 1, for example, he recalled heavy rains in the area late in

September, and he thought about cooler weather.

His conclusions were that dove hunting around tanks would not likely be productive because there's water everywhere for the birds. And he figures that doves would be migrating southward in search of warmth.

Weather Signs

Old timers were keen about the weather. Far more so than moderns who live in conditioned air and don't depend directly on agriculture for their livelihood.

The old folks didn't depend on gadgets to know whether the fish were biting. They understood that there is a rhythm in nature, and they watched for signs that

they knew were reliable.

If the old cow rested quietly under a shady tree, if the dog slept by the front steps, if there were no birds singing or flying—if all nature seemed at a standstill—that was no time to go fishing.

But when the cow got up and started grazing, the dog stretched himself and dug up a bone, and the birds suddenly appeared in the sky—that was fishing time.

The system still works. One friend of mine keeps a bowl of goldfish and can tell by their action—or inaction—whether to head for the creek or not.

Solunar Tables

Another fellow tells me that by watching the solunar tables he can tell when the workers in his office are going to be the most alert, active, and industrious. These times coincide with the best fishing hours as indicated by the tables.

It has long been known that the weather affects the way we feel. Benjamin Franklin advised that we "do business with men when the wind is out of the northwest." That's because a northwest wind is a sign of fine weather.

Thus it's not surprising that anglers say "fish bite best when the wind's from the west."

Barometer Readings

Many salesmen refuse to call on customers when the barometer is low. They know that the prospect is likely to be feeling depressed at such a time. Likewise, old fishermen know that the fishing is best when the barometer is high or rising.

September rains were good for the angling situation. They washed food from surrounding land into the lakes and streams for the fish to eat.

Some big fat bass are going to be caught in Texas during the next two months!

Incidentally, the better the land along the shore line, the more good washed into the water by rains. No lake surrounded by poor land can be rich in fish. Consequently, your earnest angler is a booster of soil conservation.

System for Bass

Getting back to black bass fishing for a minute . . . there's a fellow around here who catches them regularly from the Colorado River lakes. He gave me his system the other day, and I'll pass it on for you to try:

He gets in a boat at daybreak and moves slowly along, casting a surface lure to the edge of the weed beds, and into pockets among the weeds. He gives the lure plenty of time, twitching it ever so slightly at long intervals. Recently he has scored one 5½ and two 4 pounders. His favorite bait is a Heddon SOS Silver Flash, a wounded minnow type with a spinner front and back. He ties on a red and white buck-tail.

It's Exciting

Many's the black bass that has been caught by similar means—and many more will be. To most fishermen, there's nothing like a big black exploding out of the water, hitting the bait as if he were angry with it.

And that is his state of mind, sometimes. He stakes out an area and defies anything to trespass on it. Particularly is this true during the spawning season when he is guarding his nest. (That's right. It's the male black bass that makes the home.)

At other times the bass is just plain hungry—but you can't tell the difference by his charge. He always hits surface lures with the same ferocity. Usually he leaps two or three times before you get him to the boat, trying to throw the lure. And while under water he tugs hard and runs fast.

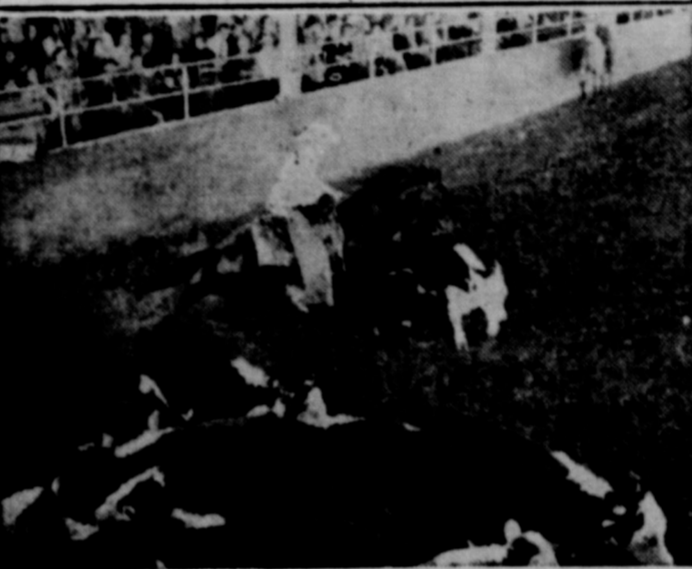
It's an old story to bass fishermen. But they never tire of it.

ROLLER SKATES IN BANKS!



"Texas Style" banking—with showmanship—is in practice at Texas Bank & Trust Company of Dallas where blue-eyed blonde Miss Wanda Barker, on roller skates, greets drive-in customers. The bank's skating hostess, who started her duties Monday, answers customers' questions, gives candy and balloons to their children and acts as good-will contact with the automobile public using Texas Bank's drive-in facilities.

Cutting Horses To Cavort At State Fair



Cutting horses, like this fine animal, will add to the excitement of the horse shows at the 1957 State Fair of Texas in Dallas, Oct. 5-20. Horse shows are scheduled all three weekends of the Fair, including shows for Quarter horses, Palominos, Shetland ponies and the Open Cutting Horse Contest.

Try Under Trees

A bass will often make his home under trees along the bank. He likes the shade and the food that occasionally comes dropping down from above. Woe to the baby bird that drops out of the nest, or the mouse that tumbles into the water, or the grasshopper that makes a careless jump—if the bass is there.

An old trick is to cast a lure over a low-hanging tree branch, let it dangle down and splash lightly on the water, then let it rest on top, and after waiting a while, splash it again.

Once I had a bass strike three times on a lure worked that way. Missed it every time. Or maybe he was just bumping it with his snout for pure cussedness.

ANOTHER VICTIM

Fort Worth.—Police were called to a Southside intersection where an elderly man was annoying motorists by stopping them and asking for cigarettes.

The car given the call radioed headquarters: "I've talked to this man before, after receiving complaints. What can I do? He's 85 years old . . . and he mooched me for two cigarettes before I could get away."

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GIRL TROUBLE

Brownsville.—A couple of young Mexico City girls who wanted to tell their boy friends that they had arrived in Brownsville safely, sent fire equipment scurrying to E. Sixth and St. Francis

streets.

Police said the girls were attempting to mail post cards when they mistook a fire alarm box for a mail box.

"No damage other than the girls' embarrassment," police said.

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THE GERMAN MIRACLE

The economic resurgence of Western Germany has been one of the authentic miracles of this chaotic age. She suffered almost unimaginable physical destruction, followed by years of occupation by the victorious military forces. Yet today Germany's industry is booming; the country is extremely prosperous by European standards, her trade balance is favorable, and her currency is remarkably stable. Incredible as it seems, Joseph Alsop writes that Germany is likely to supercede Britain as the world's third power, after the United States and the Soviet Union.

Mr. Alsop gives several reasons for the German miracle and two of them are of great significance. First, is the "toughly conservative economic policies" of Konrad Adenauer—policies largely based on maintaining and strengthening a true free enterprise system. Second, is the awareness of the powerful German labor unions that "... living standards must only rise as output rises." In other words, these unions believe in doing more and better work—and thus earning higher wages and other benefits.

There is a great lesson in this for every nation of the Western world—the United States included.

EMPLOYMENT IN RETAILING

The food chains—those with two or more stores—operate 27,216 outlets in this country, according to Chain Store Age. It takes more than 500,000 people to man them.

Significantly, close to a third of that number—150,000—are teenagers. And almost half of the women working in the food chains fall into the part-time or teenage classification.

A break-down of the employment statistics for other kinds and branches of retailing would probably produce comparable results. And certain interesting conclusions follow. For one thing, retailing offers tremendous employment opportunities, not only to the skilled person, but to the young and the inexperienced. It gives them a chance to get training that can lead to more responsible and better jobs.

For another thing, the facts, in themselves, do much to show how unwise it would be to extend the federal minimum wage law to retailing which, along with certain other service industries, has been exempt ever since that law's beginning. A high percentage of retail employees have little in the way of experience and skill. Their value to the store owner is rigidly limited. If an arbitrary law demanded that the pay of these people be abruptly hiked, he would have no choice but to pare this kind of employment as far as possible. Then great numbers of people would be denied the opportunity to learn that leads to advancement.

ECONOMY FOR THE OTHER FELLOW

During the last session of Congress, Senators and Representatives from all parts of the country reported an unusually large amount of mail in which stringent government economy was urged and demanded. There was a real "grass-roots" movement in favor of reduced appropriations. And that pressure produced some result. According to a Newsweek tabulation, new appropriations were \$6,200,000,000 below the President's proposed budget.

However, there is another side to this coin. It is described in a brief article in U. S. News & World Report which says, "Washington is beginning to hear from people back home who are being hurt by cutbacks in government spending." Individuals and organizations are vigorously protecting economy moves that affect their interests—though, no doubt, they endorse economy as a general and abstract principle with equal vigor.

Ironically, a large share of the complaints has come from local chambers of commerce. That includes the chambers in large cities and small. And these chambers are always among the first to demand government economy—again as a general and abstract principle. But it's something else again when it is felt in their communities.

In other words, a good many of the groups and people who preach economy want to limit it to the other fellow's interests. The last thing they want is

WORLD WIDE COMMUNION



First Sunday in October

WORLDWIDE COMMUNION SUNDAY will be observed in Protestant churches throughout the world on October 6th, 1957. Those churches participating in this world-wide service of worship and commitment invite you to be present and to join with millions of Christians around the world as they gather together to commune at the Lord's Table.

economy that touches her pocketbooks. This attitude deserves the description "disgraceful." It explains why so much waste and avoidable spending still goes on. Long ago, it was said that a people get the kind of government they deserve. That is 100% true.

40 Years Ago— IT HAPPENED HERE

Taken from the Files of The McLean News, 1917

Work to Start on Elevator

The News understands that work is to begin in a few days on the new elevator, and that it will be finished in time, if possible, to handle the fall harvest of grain.

Mr. Flint, who operated the new Jericho elevator during the Pan-handle wheat harvest, will be manager of the McLean elevator. We understand he has a family which he will move here as soon as he can secure a house to live in.

An elevator is a much needed addition to the business enterprises of our town, and we are glad to see one being installed.

School Honor Roll

The following 6th and 7th grade students were on the honor roll for last week: Gladys Holloway, Elsie Gracey, Imogene Moreland, Velma Williams, Odessa Skidmore, Inez Shaw, Velma Lance, Myrtle Biggers, Estelle Cooper, S. B. Morse, Douglas Wilson, Arlie Grigsby, Charlie Sims, James Jackson, Elmer Free, Homer Cash, Victor Back, Jack Back.

Enjoyable Party

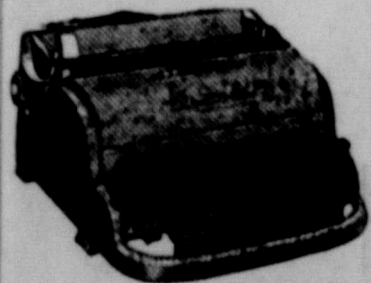
On Saturday night of last week a large crowd of young people enjoyed a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Veatch, the occasion being complimentary to Miss Annie Dalrymple, and the hostesses being Misses Ruby Cook, Pearl Gull and Vida Montgomery. Only the members known as the "old crowd" were present, Mel Davis of Pampa and Miss Dalrymple being out of town members. Numerous contests and games furnished an entertainment, one of the most enjoyable features being old songs with Miss Ethel McCurdy at the piano.

Each girl had been asked to bring a pie and when the time for refreshments came, the boys were given the opportunity of selecting the pie that looked best to them which carried with it the girl who made it as a partner.

Personals

Clark Gracey left Saturday for Chillicothe, Mo., where he will enter a business college.

Sam Hodges spent Sunday in Memphis. He was accompanied on his return by Mrs. A. H. Newton of that place, mother of Mr. Hodges' wife, who will visit



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From the State Capitol HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS

By Vern Sanford Texas Press Association

Demos Have Choice

In some areas people contributing to the Oct. 11-12 Dollars for Democrats drive can choose where they want their money to go.

One set of fund-seekers will be working at the behest of the official Texas organization, the state Democratic executive committee. In accordance with a formula set up by national officials, they will keep two-thirds of what they collect for Texas work, send one-third to national headquarters.

Workers for the liberal-minded Democrats of Texas, at odds with official party leaders, say they'll turn no money over to the state office. All DOT collections are to go to national.

Push for Water

Activity toward a statewide water development program moves forward.

Members of the governor's citizens water planning committee are receiving information kits. Material is to be used in a campaign for adoption of the \$200,000,000 water bond amendment.

Governor Daniel also announced the three representatives who'll be in charge of getting water planning legislation through the House during the special session. They are Reps. W. N. (Bill) Woolsey of Corpus Christi, Leroy Saul of Kress and Bill Shaw of Forney.

At the third annual water conference at Sollege Station, Gibb Gilchrist, conference founder, called creation of one central water agency as the state's greatest need.

More Appointments Governor Daniel's appointment list grows. Recent additions to state government:

A. H. (Kerry) Knippa of San Antonio to the building and loan section of the state finance commission.

E. L. Jackson of Cisco and John E. McKelvey of Electra to the state veterans affairs commission.

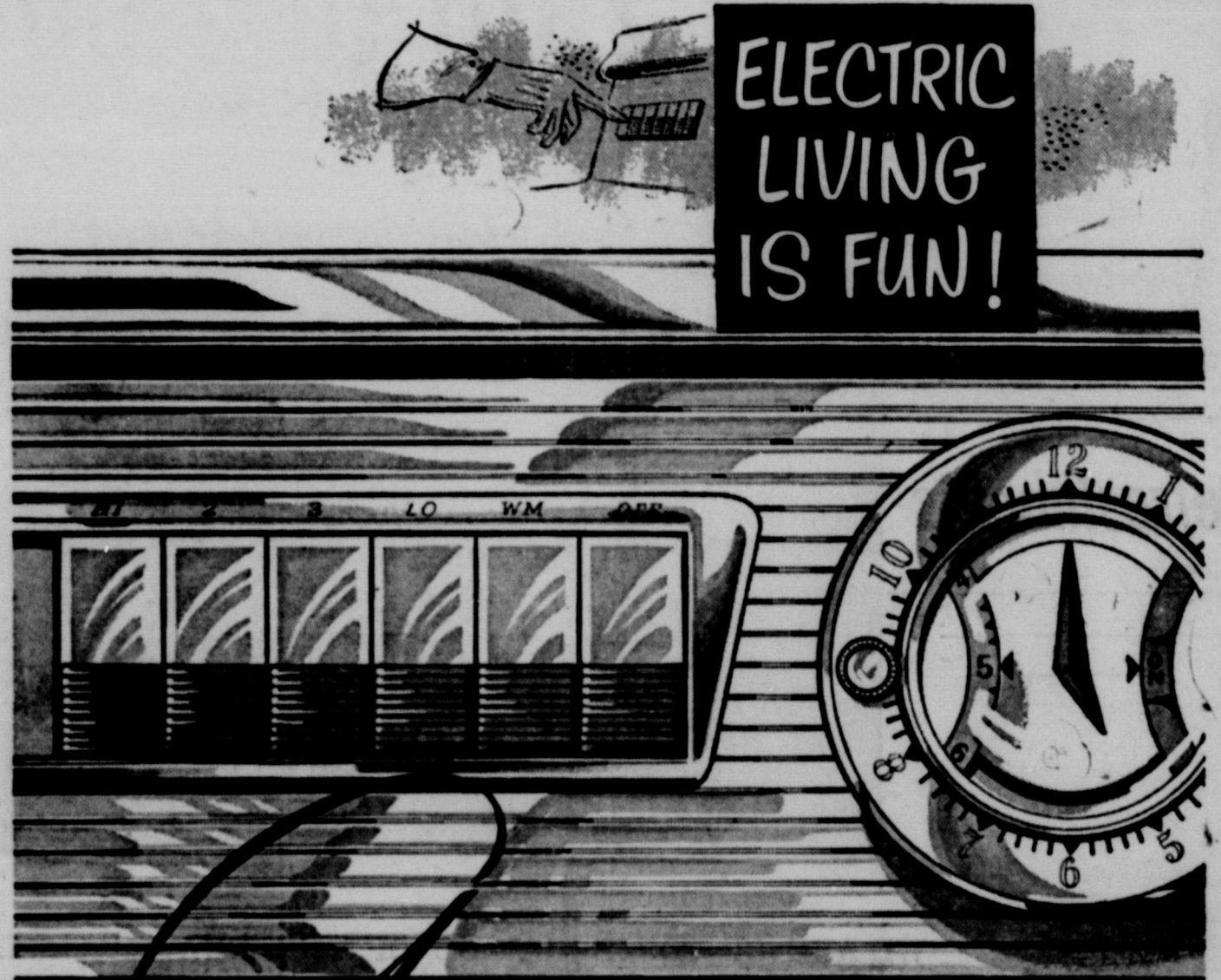
John E. Lowe of Vidor, B. B. Rabb of Point and Carroll Swearingin of Quitman to the Sabine River authority.

Raphael Wilson of Austin and Dr. Paul C. Witt of Abilene to the board of examiners in basic sciences.

Mrs. Marie Hudson of Austin to the firemen's pension commission.

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Society

Baptist WMS Has Closing Meeting Of Year Tuesday

The Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church held the closing meeting of the year Tuesday night in the church parlor with 24 present.

Mrs. R. L. McDonald, retiring president, had charge of the business. Mrs. Raymond Smith was added as chairman of community missions; Mrs. Frank Simpson, YWA director; Mrs. Chester Bohlar and Miss Barbara Brown as Sunbeam workers instead of Mrs. Morris Brown and Mrs. Troy Corbin.

Installation of officers was conducted by Mrs. Jesse Leonard, who used the subject, "We Follow in His Path." During the installation, the thoughts of the path were strewn with joy, humility, truth, knowledge, faith, service, peace, wisdom, fellowship, and love. Mrs. Leonard sang "Take up Thy Cross," and Mrs. McDonald offered the dedicatory prayer.

The new president, Mrs. Homer Abbott, then took charge and names were drawn for new circles which will meet in homes next week.

The Royal Service program, "An Open Door," was conducted by Mrs. Leslie Giesler who gave a synopsis of the subject with sub-topics of "Keeper of the Doors," "A Cobbler's Shop," "Door of Heritage," "Present," and "Opportunities."

Mrs. Joe Suderman, secretary, recognized Mrs. Howard Williams and Mrs. Luther Petty as having perfect attendance for the year, with Mrs. Petty 100% on all points.

Those present were: two visitors, Mrs. W. C. Miller of Lawton, Okla., and Miss Barbara Brown; and members, Mesdames Abbott, McDonald, Giesler, Petty, Leonard, Suderman, Williams, J. Boyd Smith, Leo Gibson, Chester Bohlar, Raymond Smith, Frank Simpson, Lona Jones, Joe Taylor, George Colebank, O. L. Tibbets, Clarence Voyles, W. N. Pharis, Frank Howard, Gene Herron, Paul Miller and Oba Kunkel.

Refreshments of ice cream, cookies, doughnuts, cocoa and coffee were served by the brotherhood group who met in the church auditorium at the same hour.

Mrs. Boyett's Music Pupils Meet Friday

The Double Sharp and the Musical Dozen clubs of Mrs. Willie Boyett's music class met in joint session at 4:00 o'clock Friday in the Boyett studio with Margie Railsback, president, and Alta June Watson, secretary, in charge of the meeting.

Martha Drum, Sharon Hicks, Debra Denise McClellan, Linda Smith, Paula Stewart, Gary and Glenda Turner, and Shirley Bybee were welcomed as new members. Joyce Saunders and Marilyn Williams renewed their membership after a prolonged absence.

Elaine Baker, Sandra Baker, Sara Coleman, Nancy Dickinson, Betty Ruth Dilbeck, Martina Giesler, Nancy Jean Hess, Margie Railsback, Janie Saunders, Laura Mae Switzer, Bobby Jean Turner, Alta June Watson and Eddy Windom played piano solos. Betty Dilbeck and Martina Giesler played an accordion duet.

Eight grade students, Nancy Jean Hess, Margie Railsback, Betty Dilbeck, Dixie Jo Burroughs and Alta June Watson, were transferred from the Double Sharp Club to the Musical Dozen Club.

Janice Saunders made the highest grade for the month, with Sara Coleman and Laura Mae Switzer second and third.

The A honor roll: Sandra Baker, Sara Coleman, Debra Denise, McClellan, Janice Saunders, Laura Mae Switzer and Gary Turner.

A—roll: Elaine Baker, Dixie Jo Burroughs, Douglas Crockett, Beth Dalton, Nancy Dickinson, Betty Dilbeck, Martina Giesler, Martha Drum, Judy Glass, Nancy Jean Hess, Joyce Saunders, Linda Smith, Margie Railsback, Bobby Jean Turner, Glenda Turner, Alta June Watson, Eddy Windom.

Officers elected for the Double Sharp Club are: Nancy Dickinson, president; Janice Saunders, vice president; Linda Smith, secretary; Shirley Bybee, assistant secretary; and Mrs. Bernard McClellan, reporter.

Officers for the Musical Dozen Club are: Laura Mae Switzer, president; Betty Dilbeck, vice president; Bobby Jean Turner, secretary; Sandra Baker, assistant secretary; and Dixie Jo Bur-

roughs, reporter. Punch and cookies were served to 45 members and guests.

Wesleyan Service Guild Meeting Held Tuesday

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the McLean Methodist Church met Tuesday night in the church parlor for the first lesson on the study of Japan.

Mrs. H. A. Longino is teaching the study. Her subject Tuesday night was "Land and People." Naomi McCarty told of "Culture of Japanese People." Loree Brown reviewed an article, "Why I Like Japan." Billie Brown told about festivals in Japan, and Erma Hester, dressed in Japanese costume, told a story.

Others attending the study were Odessa Gunn, Isabel Cousins, Ruth Magee, Fern Boyd, Bonnie Fabian, Frances Kennedy, Lois Page and Sinclair Armstrong.

The Guild will meet every Tuesday night during the six weeks study.

Liberty HD Club Meets Tuesday With Mrs. Bailey

The Liberty Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Walter Bailey.

Election of officers was held. Officers elected were Mrs. O. O. Tate, president; Mrs. Walter Bailey, vice president; Mrs. Wallace Rainwater, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. J. J. Railsback, reporter; Mrs. Walter Evans, council alternate.

Hallowe'en decorations were used throughout the Bailey home. Delicious refreshments of cake and coffee were served to Mesdames Tate, Evans, Rainwater, Railsback, Olen Davis and Roy McCracken.

DOODY'S EGG

Doody, a little black bantam hen, was the talk of the neighborhood when she laid a tiny heart-shaped egg.

She surprised her owners, Mr. and Mrs. Al Jones, and their seven children, and a poultry store owner, who said they never saw or heard of an egg like that.

The only one around who was unimpressed was Doody's red bantam spouse, Elvis, who was merely indifferent.

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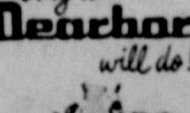
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CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this method of expressing our sincere thanks to the members of the McLean Fire Department, our neighbors, and Lonnie Day for the fast and efficient service rendered us during the fire at our place at Alanreed last week. To all of our neighbors, McLean's fine fire department, and to Lonnie Day, who got the water to us in record time, we want to publicly express our sincere thanks.

Beulah Lee Fish
Roy Fish
J. D. Fish

IN THE NAME OF JUSTICE

San Antonio.—A tamale salesman who can't speak English had a driver's license finally after justice went out of its way to help him.

The salesman, Fabian Hernandez, 29, was hauled into court for the fourth time for driving without a license. Asked, "Why in the world don't you get a license?" Hernandez replied that he had been to the state highway license department several times, but no one there could understand what he wanted.

Arresting Patrolman Raymond Church offered to go with Hernandez to get the license—but Church couldn't speak Spanish.

A Spanish-speaking secretary solved that problem, and the tamale salesman passed the test

with flying colors. Judge Harold Hall was so pleased he dismissed the last two tickets against the man.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank each and every one of my friends for all the lovely gifts, flowers, visits and every card that you sent me while I was in the hospital. May God bless you as He has me.

Maybell Nash

Only free peoples can hold their purpose and their honor steady to a common end, and prefer the interests of mankind to any narrow interest of their own.—Woodrow Wilson.

The ablest men in all walks of modern life are men of faith.—Bruce Barton.

Post Offices Will Observe National Fire Prevention

The Post Office Department plans to observe wholeheartedly the President's declaration of National Fire Prevention Week, the week of Oct. 6-12, 1957.

In conjunction with the Post Office Department's efforts during National Fire Prevention Week, the following check list of possible fire hazards is being sent to the family of each of the local post office employees.

Do you have one or more of these fire hazards in your home?

1. Curtains near gas stoves and kitchen ranges that can be blown into the flame by the wind.

2. Rags soiled with furniture

polish, wax, etc., thrown in a pile under the sink or in the bottom of a broom closet.

3. Junk of a flammable nature stored in an attic or garage.

4. Matches within reach of small children.

5. Overloaded electric outlets.

6. Extension cords, lamp, electric iron, toaster and similar item cords in frayed or rotted condition.

7. Storage of paints and flammable solvents in such a place that could be subjected to high temperatures or open flame.

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ESTATE OF HARRIET E. WATKINS, DECEASED
 IN THE COUNTY COURT OF GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS
NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF HARRIET E. WATKINS, DECEASED
 Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the estate of Harriet E. Watkins, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 23rd day of September, 1957, by the County Court of Gray County, Texas.
 All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and Post Office address is Box 95, McLean, Gray County, Texas.
EVAN L. SITTER, Independent Executor of the estate of Harriet E. Watkins, deceased

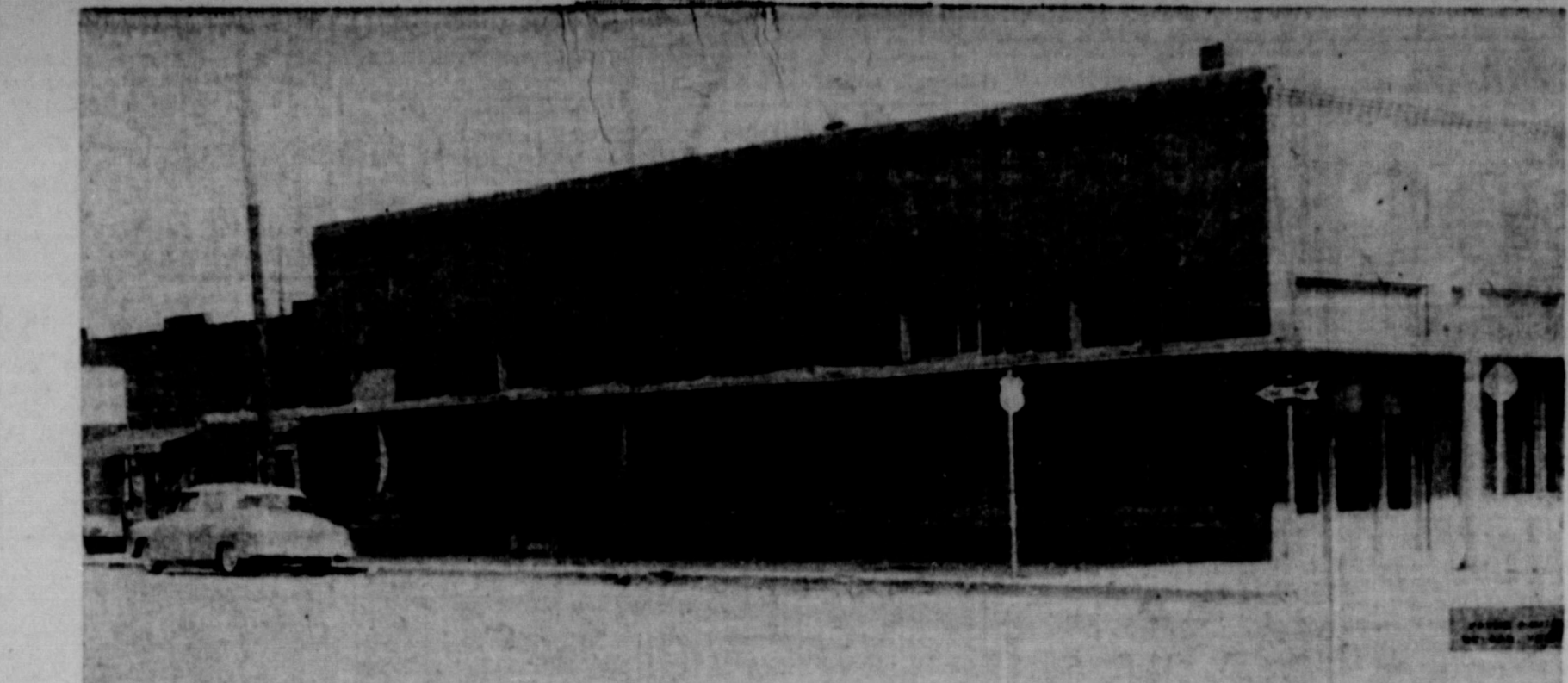
STATEMENT REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF AUGUST 24, 1912, AS AMENDED BY THE ACTS OF MARCH 3, 1933, AND JULY 2, 1946 (Title 39, United States Code, Section 233) SHOWING THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, AND CIRCULATION OF THE McLEAN NEWS
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 Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of September, 1957.
(SEAL) EUNICE STRATTON, Notary Public
 (My commission expires 6/1/59)

Area Boy Scout Finance Drive Plans Underway
 Comanche district finance chairman, Grainger McElhany, announces the final composition of the Adobe Walls Council, Boy Scouts of America, finance drive for 1957. Wheeler-Gray Counties Chairman Harry Wofford has named the following community chairmen: George Saunders, McLean; Curby Morris, Kellerville; Thurman Rives, Wheeler; Milton Finsterwald, Briscoe; Gene Shaffer, Kellon; and Clyde Dukes, Allison.
 These chairmen are now making plans in their communities for the finance drive which is to be held in conjunction with the state coordinated campaign October 8.
 This annual drive of the Boy Scouts goes to finance the program of the Adobe Walls Council of which Wheeler and Gray counties are a part. The many friends of scouting are looking forward to the drive and the furthering of scouting in this area.

Future Teachers Have First Meeting Of School Year
 The Future Teachers of America held their first meeting of the school year Tuesday, October 1. The meeting was opened by Jimmy Vineyard, last year's president. Officers and sponsors were elected.
 Officers elected are Jackie Bailey, president; Benny Woods, vice president; Elizabeth Boston, secretary; Lester Sitter, treasurer; Eddie Brown, sentinel; and Linda Grimsley, reporter.
 The sponsors for the ensuing year are Mrs. Carl Dwyer and Harold Bunch.
 There were approximately 50 present for the first meeting. A meeting will be held at least once a month.

Cub Scout Directors Meet Monday Night
 A Cub Pack directors meeting was held Monday night and a Cub Scout Pack meeting was planned for next Monday night, October 7, at 7:30 at the grade school cafeteria. It was stressed that it is very important that all leaders be present at the meeting next Monday night.
 The proposal of Cub Scouts selling Christmas cards was presented before the official board and approved by them. Cards will be ordered for the youngsters to sell.
 In further business Clyde Magee was elected to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of J. B. Waldrop.

M'Lean Young People Have Social Friday At Butrum Home
 Several McLean young people met in the Harold Butrum home Friday night after the ball game. The group made candy and played table tennis.
 Those attending were Flo Nell Crockett, Linda Grimsley, Verlene Tinkler, Adella Vineyard, Charlene Hall, Billy Crockett, David Woods, Clarence Pierce, Melvin Butrum, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dwyer and David Fultz.



THIS BUILDING GAVE WAY TO PROGRESS after serving as the home of the American National Bank in McLean since its construction in 1911, just two years after the bank was organized. Built when McLean was young, the building housed an institution that has been the center of business activity here for nearly half a century.

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS SET TO OPEN GATES SATURDAY

The 1957 State Fair of Texas will open Saturday, Oct. 5, for 16 days and will run through Sunday, Oct. 20.
 The traditional opening day parade through downtown Dallas will start at 10 a. m. Saturday and will be led by Gov. Price Daniel, who will then officially open the fair.
 The opening day will be Rural Youth Day, and more than 100,000 4-H club boys and girls, Future Farmers and Future Homemakers are expected to attend from every corner of Texas.
 Top entertainment attractions of the fair this year include "My Fair Lady," the Ice Capades, the Art Swenson Thrillade, the free Aztec-Mayan Spectacular, the Jimmy Savo Show, and of course the million-dollar midway.
 A total of 4,813 head of livestock from 20 states have been entered in the Pan-American Livestock Exposition and the Junior Livestock Show. The beef and dairy cattle, swine, sheep and goats entered in the Pan-American will be on display throughout the first week of the fair, and the steers, dairy heifers, lambs and pigs of the junior shows will be brought in during the second week. There will be horse shows all three weekends of the fair.
 Unusual things to see at the fair will include the "miracle" kitchen that performs household tasks electronically, a replica of the earth satellite, the army's newest guided missiles, Santa Fe Railroad's antique Cyrus K. Holliday train, free home-sewn fashion shows, the futuristic "idea cars" in the automobile show, the big food show, the international center with exhibits from many foreign countries, the latest farm machinery, the agriculture show and its bounteous product displays, and literally a thousand-and-one other free exhibits.

McLean Cubs Play Clarendon Colts Here Tonight
 Coach Bill Adams' Junior High School Cubs will meet the Clarendon Colts here tonight (Thursday) at 7:00 at Duncan Field in their first junior conference game.
 Principal Dale Parvin reports that the McLean youngsters have been working hard preparing for their first conference encounter and that they would show the Colts a hard time.
 Admission prices are 25c for students and 50c for adults.

West Texas to Play Mississippi Southern In Amarillo Saturday
 Canyon (Special)—When West Texas State and Mississippi Southern meet in Amarillo Stadium Saturday night, it will be a rematch of the 1957 Tangerine Bowl in Orlando, Fla.
 After great records in 1956, these same two clubs were matched in the Jan. 1 classic and the Buffs staged a brilliant last half rally to win, 20-13. Florida fans, more than 13,000 of them, called it the greatest of all Tangerine Bowl games.
 West Texas officials last week accepted an invitation from the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce to move the game from cramped Buffalo Stadium to 15,000-seat Amarillo Stadium. It will be the first appearance of the Buffs in Amarillo since 1951.

BIRTHDAYS
 Oct. 6—Mrs. Faris Hess, Mrs. K. W. Hambright, Forrest Saitzer, Mrs. Buster Sublett, Mrs. Eddie Mac Stewart, Ruth Cooper.
 Oct. 7—Mrs. James Massay.
 Oct. 8—Bobby Jean Turner, Joy Richardson, Roy Richardson, Mrs. George Humphreys, Mrs. Kenneth Simpson, B. W. Duncan.
 Oct. 9—Mrs. Chas. E. Cooke, Noah Smith, Jerry Smith, Dickie Crockett, Debra Kay Callahan.
 Oct. 10—Mrs. F. E. Stewart, Mrs. Elizabeth Major, Robert Lewis McDonald, Mrs. Minnie Erwin, Linda Patterson, Renee Chilton.
 Oct. 11—Mrs. E. L. Peirce, Mrs. Jesse Coleman, John Evans, James Jolly.
 Oct. 12—Elaine Baker, Vickie Sue Kunkel, George Melton Burrow, Raymond L. Smith.
 Virginia Clemm was the wife of Edgar Allan Poe.

Stinnett--

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McLean went to the Stinnett 33 before the ball changed hands on downs. Then on the first play, Bain went to the Tiger 35 on a rollout. On the next play, Reger went the remaining 35 yards for the T. D. Bain's kick was no good.
 McLean failed to move the ball after receiving Stinnett's kick and the ball changed hands again. Stinnett went 60 yards to paydirt in 5 plays with Reger going over from the 14. Bain's kick was no good and Stinnett led 19-0 with 10 minutes and 43 seconds of the second quarter remaining.
 Stinnett kicked to the Tiger 20

McLean	STATISTICS	Stinnett
5	first downs	16
72	yards gained rushing	318
22	yards lost rushing	28
20	passes	5
95	yards passing	0
145	net yards	290
5	fumbles	7
2	opponents fumbles rec.	3
6	punts	1
25	punt average	37
4	penalties	10
33	yards penalized	80

and Jim Rice returned to the 30. The Tigers couldn't move the ball so it changed hands on the Tiger 42. Stinnett failed to move the ball, though, and they punted to the Tiger 3. The Tigers moved out to the 11 where a host of Rattlers hopped on Rice's fumble. Then Young got 5 and Bain picked 5 to the Tiger 1. Bain went over for the T. D. on a quarterback keeper play. The try for the point was no good. Stinnett now led 25-0 with five minutes and 32 seconds remaining in the first half.
 McLean received Stinnett's kick and moved to the 50 yard line where they were forced to punt. Bill Crockett punted out of bounds on the Stinnett 20. The Rattlers moved to the McLean 34 where the ball changed hands on downs. Rice attempted a pass to Bennie Woods. David Crockett lost 3 on a fumble. Then Rice threw a 37 yard pass to Bennie Woods and the first half ended.
 The third was the big period in the Rattler scoring. Young got one T. D. off left tackle as he went two yards. Bain's kick for the point was no good. Reger got the next Rattler touchdown on a 15 yard scamper. Bain's kick was good and the Rattlers led, 39-0. Macky Brown got the last Rattler score on a 2 yard drive. The try for the extra point was no good.
 In the fourth quarter the Rattlers drove to the McLean 3 where the ball went over to the Tigers on downs. The Tigers got a touchdown drive started here. The plays were in this order. Rice attempted a pass and the Rattlers were penalized 5. David Crockett picked up 8 and a first down. Bill Crockett got 4 off left tackle. Rice threw a screen pass to David Crockett for 20 yards. David Woods' pass to Bill Crockett was incomplete. Rice picked up 1. Rice passed to Bennie Woods for 13. David Woods passed to Kent Wiggins for 20. Rice to Bill Crockett pass incomplete. David Woods to Bill Crockett pass incomplete. David Crockett drove to the Rattler 10. Rice passed to Bennie Woods for 5. David Woods passed to Rice for 1. Then Rice went the remaining 3 yards for the touchdown. Jackie Bailey's kick was good for the extra point. Reger, the Stinnett fullback, carried the ball for 181 yards in

From the State Capitol HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS

By Vern Sanford
 Texas Press Association

Farm Situation
 How much will Texas' drought-shocked farm economy be able to come back, thanks to 1957 rains?
 U. S. Bureau of Crop Estimates says Texas' 1957 cash income, from all farm and ranch products, may be as much as \$200,000,000 higher than last year.
 Actual statistics now in are not so rosy. Reports from the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research show cash income, as of July, down 13% from July of last year. Farm income for July is 70% of the 1947-49 average.
 "Farm income," says a BBR analyst, "is still the most depressed sector of Texas economy, although rising prices and a better outlook for crops give some grounds for optimism."
 Some attribute the poor cash showing in reports thus far to the lateness of crops in areas where continued spring rains delayed plating.
 Whatever final statistics show, most farmers and farm observers seem to regard 1957 as the beginning of better things. It rained. And though the rains may have washed out cotton, rotted melons and mildewed grain, it "put a season in the ground."
Little Rock Repercussions
 News from Little Rock, Ark., brought expressions of concern and disapproval from the Texas Capitol.
 Gov. Price Daniel, on hearing the President had sent in federal troops to enforce school integration, fired off a telegram to the White House. Such action, said Daniel, was "reminiscent of Reconstruction Days."
 "Does this mean you will occupy with troops every non-integrated school in the south?" the governor asked. "If so, your action will destroy the public school systems and good will among the races which most of us in the south have labored so hard to preserve."
 U. S. Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson, who was in the State Capitol at the time, for a Democratic women's gathering, said he was concerned and disturbed.
 "I think there should be no troops from either side patrolling our school campuses," said Johnson.
 Alaska once was known as "Seward's Folly."

Fire Prevention Week Observance Plans Announced

Fire Prevention Week observance plans in McLean were announced this week by Fire Chief Boyd Meador.
 Awards for the best posters will be given again by the Lions Club and the cup presented by the Meador Insurance Agency will be awarded to the grade school room selected as most outstanding in the observance of fire prevention.
 A program will be held at the school October 15.
 Fire Chief Meador said that all first graders and the winners in the poster contests would be given a free ride on the big red fire trucks. This, in the past, has always proved the highlight of the week for the youngsters.

Local Presbyterians Will Observe World Wide Communion

The First Presbyterian Church will observe the sacrament of Holy Communion Sunday, Oct. 6, joining with millions of Christians throughout the world, in the special services of World Wide Communion Sunday.
 The churches of all nations will meet together at that time to share with their fellow Christians this high point in the Christian year. It is the purpose of this observance to remind us that Christ came to and for the world, and that in meeting Him through communion, we gather with the entire Body of Christ, sharing the purpose of witnessing with the entire church.

Seniors Net \$588 From Magazine Sales

McLean High School seniors sold \$1,718.90 worth of magazine subscriptions in a recent drive to raise money for their class fund. The seniors netted \$588.00.
 Top four magazine salesmen were:
 Jimmy Vineyard, \$259.00.
 Oran Durham, \$171.5.
 Janiece Magee, \$132.00.
 Molly Miller, \$115.50.

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14 tries for a brilliant average of 13 yards per try. Kent Wiggins and Bennie Woods, the Tiger ends, played good ball for McLean on the line. Billy Crockett, who played alert defensive ball, and Jim Rice, the McLean quarterback, turned in good play for the Tiger backfield.

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