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from the  
 distaff side  
 by Linda Haynes

Instead of waiting to send flowers to her funeral some day in the far distant future, or sending a gift when she is ill, I want to send a verbal bouquet to a very special woman in my life...now, while she is healthy and able to enjoy it.

When I was 16 years old, I became the member of a family which revolved around one of the most wonderful women I've ever known. She welcomed me into her arms and into her family with a generous, warm-heartedness that has typified her whole life. At a time and in a situation which many women would have reacted bitterly to, she loved me and made me feel like a very special person.

This lovely lady not only has a beautiful spirit, but when I first knew her she was one of the most physically beautiful women I had ever met. She has huge brown eyes, rimmed by long, sweeping black lashes, and a broad smile. As the years have passed, and her hair has turned gray and the lines have appeared on her face, she has become even more beautiful.

During those early years, she became almost my surrogate mother, teaching me how to dress properly, how to cook, how to keep house, how to respond to people with a smile instead of a sharp word. For more than twenty years now, she has been an ideal for me and for my children, a model that we have striven to imitate, most of the time without success.

She has lived through tragedy which would have levelled a lesser person, and come through still smiling. As long as I live, I will never forget the serenity with which she accepted the tragic, senseless death of her oldest son. Because of her deep faith and total belief in her religion, she was able to maintain her sanity through that tragic time and many other tragedies that were to follow, including the death of two young grandchildren.

I'm very sure that life has not dealt fairly with her, because if it had, she would be living a life of ease in a beautiful mansion somewhere. However, she has never complained about life's unfairness, as far as I know. She continues to live her life in such a way that she is still an inspiration to all who know her.

I think a friend of mine summed it up best. We were discussing this lovely woman the other day, and my friend said "Do you realize that you always smile when you say her name?" And I know that's true. It's impossible to think of her or to say her name without being a little happier.

So, smiling, I want to say "Happy birthday, Lahoma, and many, many more."

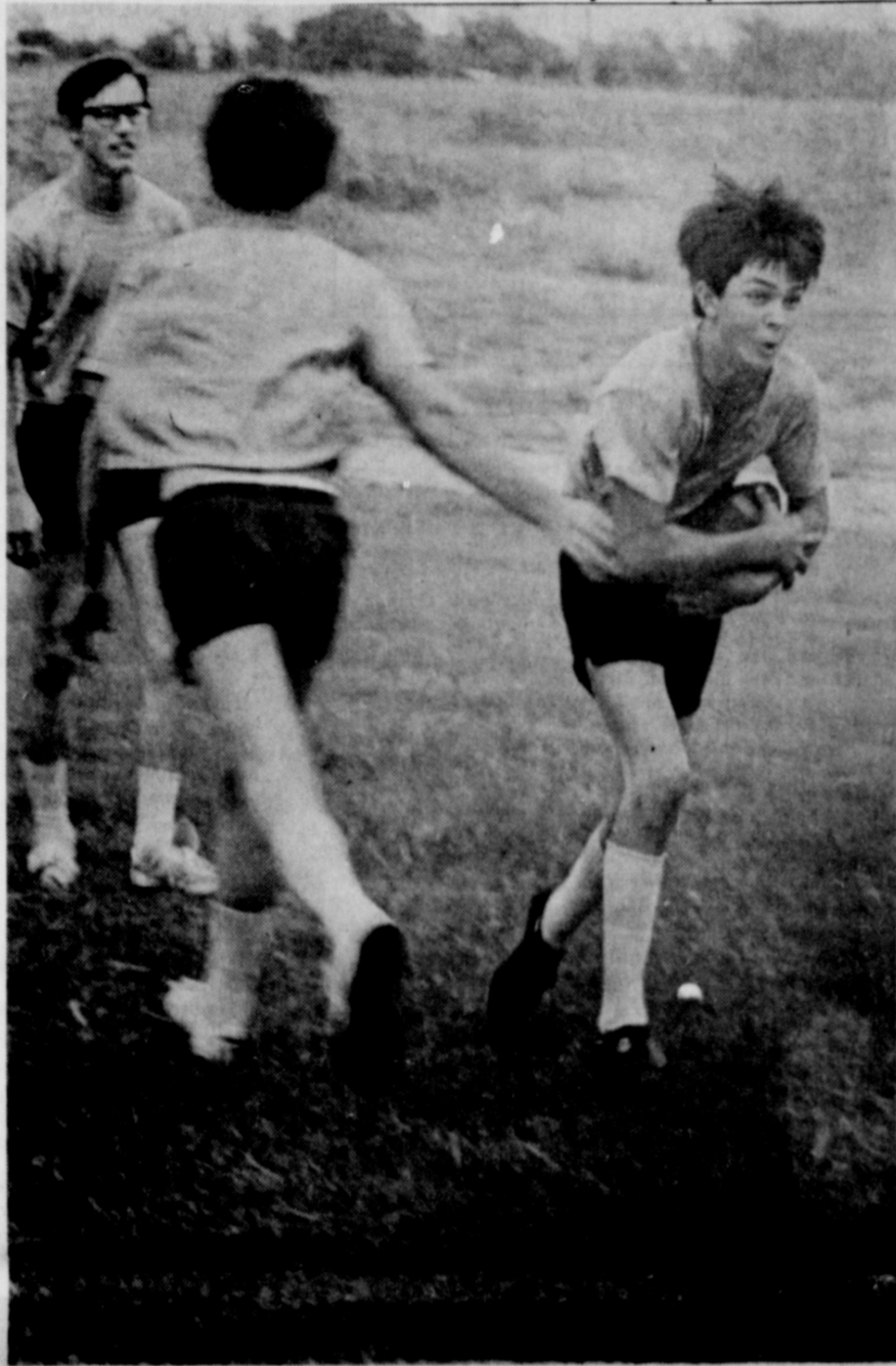
The war memorial is now in place! If you have not seen it, be sure and stop by the American National Bank memorial park and see this beautiful addition to our town. We can all take pride in this great accomplishment. The memorial is designed so that it will last for decades to remind future generations of McLean citizens about the sacrifices of

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## Hand-Off!

LEARNING TO TUCK the ball away is freshman Billy Billingsley as he receives a hand-off in a drill during the Tigers' two-a-day workouts this week. [Photo by Linda Haynes]

## Highway Official Nixes Main Street Interchange

R.A. Barnhart, Federal Highway Administrator for the Department of Transportation, responded this week to a letter from U.S. Rep. Jack Hightower, asking the department's consideration of an extra interchange on the new construction of Interstate-40 through McLean. Officials of the McLean Chamber of Commerce had contacted Hightower in July, asking for help in obtaining off and on ramps at Main Street in McLean. Hightower wrote Barnhart and asked for his help on the problem, and Barnhart responded this week.

In his letter, Barnhart said: "Plans for I-40 through the McLean area call for three interchanges, one to the east of the town, one to the west, and a third at State Route 273 approximately 2,000 feet west of Main Street. Under the present plan, access to Main Street would be along frontage roads from the State Route 273 interchange. With a planned interchange so close, construction of another interchange at Main Street could pose serious safety and traffic operations problems. There is also a question of whether a second interchange so close to the State Route 273 interchange could be justified. These are issues which would have to be evaluated first by officials of the Texas State Department of Highways and Public Transportation. Under established Federal-State procedures, they are responsible for initiating proposals and submitting them to us, along with appropriate documentation, for review."

Barnhart suggested that McLean officials contact State highway officials to discuss access to McLean. Barnhart

also said that the interchange would not be lighted. Barnhart forwarded all the correspondence from Hightower to the regional highway offices in Texas.

Ivan Sinclair, administrative assistant to Hightower, suggested that Chamber officials contact the state highway department, and send copies of all correspondence to Hightower who would contact any state officials necessary.

## Two Wrecks Damage Several Cars

Two wrecks in the McLean area last week damaged several vehicles, and resulted in injuries to an Alanreed man. At 9 a.m. Aug. 6 a rear-end collision occurred 1.1 miles west of McLean in the construction area of Interstate 40 where flagmen were slowing traffic near a large mound of dirt. The mound was placed on the highway to allow heavy equipment to cross the highway. A 1979 Ford pickup pulling a camper and driven by George D. Vaughan of Sand Springs, Okla. was stopped at the location. Behind Vaughan's vehicle was a 1970 Chevrolet driven by Bob Fish of Alanreed, who was slowing for the obstruction when his car was hit by a 1979 Mack semi-tractor trailer truck driven by Kenneth Scott Hengel of Siloam Springs, Ark. The Fish vehicle was knocked into the pickup and camper

trailer. Fish's vehicle was extensively damaged, but the other two vehicles had only minor damage, according to investigating Department of Public Safety trooper R.C. Parker. Fish was injured in the accident, Parker said, but he did not require hospitalization. On Aug. 8 at 7 a.m. the second accident occurred when Quincy Dene Roark of

Oklahoma City, Okla., driving a 1979 Dodge turned left out of the right hand lane at the intersection of Interstate 40 and Rowe Street in McLean. His car ran into the side of a 1981 truck tractor semi driven by Charles Ray Rachell of Oklahoma City. Both vehicles had minor damage and there were no injuries in the wreck, Parker said.

## Laverne Back Named Chairman

The Lone Star Chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation announces the appointment of Laverne Back as Chairman of its 1981 Breath of Life Campaign in McLean.

The Campaign will be held to provide the community with information about Cystic Fibrosis and to raise funds to support research, education and care programs for CF

patients. The number one genetic killer of children, Cystic Fibrosis is inherited and is incurable-claiming three lives each day. An estimated one in 20 Americans is a symptomless carrier of the recessive CF gene. Currently, half of all children born with CF will die before reaching their 20th birthday.

## School Begins For Teachers Monday

Teachers start work Monday, high school students register Tuesday, and all students begin school Wednesday, according to a schedule released this week by the school.

Teachers will report for in-service Monday morning at 9

a.m. with the Lions Club cook out for school employees and spouses scheduled in the city park at 6:30 p.m. Teachers will have another work day Tuesday from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Kindergarten students will register that day at 10 a.m.

High school registration has been scheduled for Tuesday, with seniors registering at 9 a.m., juniors at 10:30 a.m., sophomores at 1 p.m. and freshmen at 2:30.

Students in grades 1 through 8 will register Wednesday, the first day of regular classes. Classes will begin each day at 8:25 a.m.

School holidays for the 1981-82 school year will be Labor

Day, Sept. 7; Thanksgiving, Nov. 26 and 27; Christmas and New Year, Dec. 24 through Jan. 3; and Easter, April 9 through April 14.

Free days for the students, but work or in-service days for the teachers have been scheduled for Sept. 21, Oct. 26, Feb. 15, Mar. 22, Feb. 13, and May 15.

School will end May 14, 1982.

## 'Loose Marbles' Wins First Place At WTPA Convention

McLean News columnist Lisa Patman won first place in column writing in the weekly division of the West Texas Press Association's newspaper contest, and News editor Linda Haynes received a second-place certificate in editorials. The awards were presented Saturday at an awards breakfast during the WTPA's annual convention at Lubbock at the South Park Inn. Mrs. Patman accepted both awards

for the paper. Mrs. Patman's column, "Loose Marbles", originated in the McLean News in September, 1978, when she became the associate editor of The News. The humorous columnist received a third-place certificate in the Texas Press Association contest in 1979, and third place in the Panhandle Press Association contest in 1981. Two columns were submitted to the contest: one concerned the 1980 census, and the other was a tribute to a lowly petunia. In awarding "Loose Marbles" the first-place prize, the judge commented "Because your copy and content is original, humorous, extremely well written. What more can I say?"

Second place in the column writing contest was awarded to the Fredericksburg Standard, and third place went to the State Line Tribune. The second-place certificate in editorials was awarded for two editorials: one concerning the proposed release of two convicted killers, and the other, an imaginative editorial concerning small town gossip in biblical times.

Abilene Reporter News; Congressman Ken Hance of Lubbock; and Speaker of the House Bill Clayton.

Mrs. Patman also attended an impromptu news conference with U.S. Senator John Tower.

## Alanreed Students To Register

All students who will be attending Alanreed School will register Aug. 18 from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. Parents may bring their children to register at anytime during the above hours. The buses will not run for registration day. Parents must bring children in to register.

The kindergarten will be an all-day all-year program. Parents will run at the regular time.

## Susie Billingsley Will Compete In Miss Top O' Texas Contest

Susan Lanette Billingsley, Miss McLean 1981, will be one of the 16 contestants in the annual Top of Texas Scholarship pageant in Pampa Aug. 15. The pageant will be at 7:30 p.m. in the M.K. Brown Auditorium. Other contestants are Andrea Lamb of Groom; Lori White of Canyon; Christi Mosom, Catherine Ratliff and Kim Wilhelm, all of Borger;

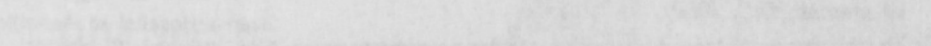
Gretta Mayben, Claude; Julie Willard of Stratford; Connie O'Dell of Perryton; and Bethany Evans of Lubbock. Pampa entrants in the pageant are Carey Franklin, Amy Brainard, Heidi Allen, Misty Neef, Renea Hess and Laurie Comer.

Contestants will appear in talent, swimsuit, and formal

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## Memorial

THE WAR MEMORIAL for McLean was put in place last week. Dedication ceremonies will take place later this fall. [Photo by Linda Haynes]



WINNER OF FIRST place in columns was McLean News columnist Lisa Patman. [Photo by Linda Haynes]

# OPINIONS

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

## Ban Legislative Sessions!

Will Rogers said: "Never blame a legislative body for not doing something. When they do nothing, they don't hurt anybody. When they do something is when they become dangerous." With that thought in mind, we should have all been living in fear and trembling these last few weeks, as the Texas Legislature was re-convened in a special session.

Probably a few months will pass before it is possible to assess all the damage of this last session, but the effects of one bill passed in the Senate Monday will probably be felt immediately.

In a session a couple of years ago, the legislature passed the now infamous Senate Bill 621 (or the Peveto bill) which has left local governments reeling from its effects. This bill, in theory, was to consolidate all taxing units into one body, an idea which sounds good on paper, but whose implementation has caused lawsuits and countless problems throughout the state.

Instead of repealing the obviously unworkable bill, the legislature decided in this special session to "fix" the faulty legislation with a lengthy amendment. The amendments added include allowing taxing entities (under certain restrictions) another three years to implement the rules of the first bill, raising from five percent to eight percent the amount of a tax increase necessary for taxpayers to call elections to limit property taxes, and dropping a number of voters from 15 percent to 10 percent necessary to call a rollback election. The new bill also eliminates the "three-fourths rule" that would have enabled small cities and schools to band together and control an appraisal district over the objection of the dominant city or school district in a county.


Although these changes are complicated, at first glance, I'm convinced that none of the changes will be good for McLean or the small towns and rural areas in Texas. The urban-dominated Texas House and Senate is not particularly worried about the effects of any legislation on us in the rural areas.

Perhaps our best hope of protecting ourselves against this kind of nonsense, is to try to push for a constitutional amendment that would forbid special sessions and allow the legislature to meet only once every four years. Because, as Will said, if they do nothing, they can't hurt us too bad.

## Deaths

**EDWARD E. SHARP** Church of Christ.  
Edward Elmer "Ed" Sharp, 73, died Saturday. Survivors include his wife of McLean; a daughter, Diana Prock of Floydada; a son, Edward Sharp III of Bedford, Tx.; four brothers, V.L. of Amarillo, Sidney of Bushland, Emerson of Lafayette, La., and Carl of Sparks, Nev.; three sisters, Lilly Tidwell of Dallas, Florence Warren of Amarillo and Nellie French of Freedom; and three grandchildren.

**ELIZABETH BLACKWELL**  
M.D.  
The first woman doctor was Elizabeth Blackwell, who graduated MD on January 23, 1849 from the Geneva Medical Institute.



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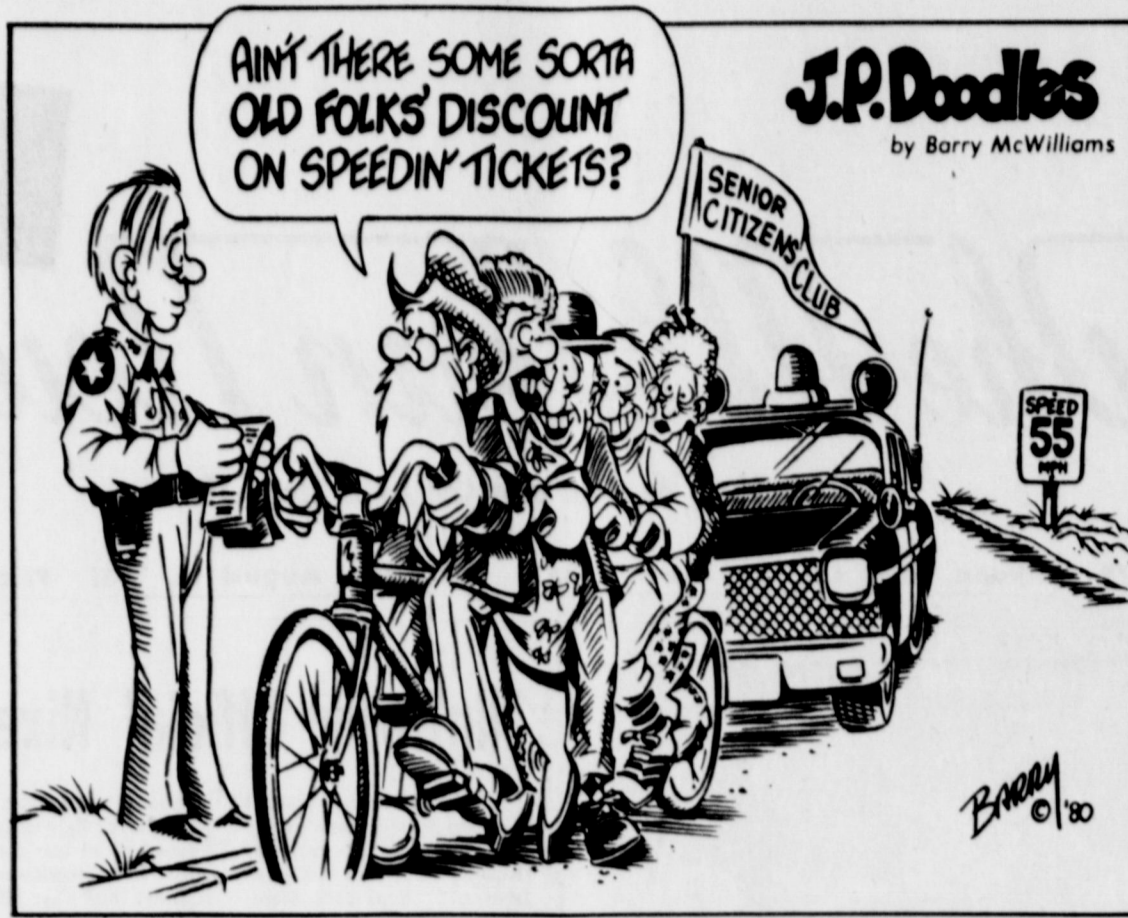
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## LINES by LEM O'RICKK



A pragmatic fellow named Wright,  
Perceived to guide others in flight;  
His job went to his head,  
So he struck for more bread;  
Now to be unemployed is his plight!



Most students believe the Spaniards brought the banana to the West Indies where it has remained as the region became the world's greatest producer of this fruit.

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- Mrs. Betty McCurley
- David and Dixie Jo Crockett
- Woodrow Nelson--  
In memory of Roy J. Nelson

## New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hembree of McLean are the parents of a girl, Rebecca Sue born Monday, August 10, at 4:40 a.m. in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. She weighed 9 pounds, 4 ounces and was 21 1/2 inches long.

Grandparents are Mrs. E.C. Hembree of Lela and Mr. Howard Smith of McLean. Rebecca has one brother Timothy, 15, and a sister Cindy, who is 12.

## CONTEST

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competitions during the pageant. A personal interview with the judges will be conducted during a luncheon Saturday afternoon.

Miss Billingsley, a senior at McLean High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Billingsley. She is sponsored in the contest by the American National Bank of McLean.

The 17-year-old McLean girl will present a disco jazz dance routine in the talent part of the competition.

The pageant is sponsored by the Pampa Chamber of Commerce Retail Trade Committee, and directed by Ron Graves. Mistress of ceremonies will be Dr. Shirley Cothran Barret, a former Miss Texas and Miss America of 1975. The reigning Miss Top O' Texas, Michelle Savage of Borger, will crown this year's winning contestant.

Miss Texas 1981, Sheri Ryman will be a special guest at the pageant.



It took Du Vinci ten years to complete the Mona Lisa.

## capitol comments



By a vote of 78 to 66 the House recommitted the Congressional Redistricting bill to the Regions, Compacts, and Districts Committee. The bill had already passed the second reading and had come up for the third and final reading. The bill was originally passed out of committee on a 10-9 split vote after three days of tough negotiating. The bill paired conservative Republican Ron Paul with liberal Democrat Bill Patman. One amendment approved on the floor of the House separated these Congressmen. In the Dallas area the Blacks and the Mexican Americans were compressed into one district in order to create one or more Republican Districts. This part of the bill was much like the bill as passed out of the Senate. The bill, as passed out of the Senate, was labeled the conservative plan. There was little doubt, however, that the bill had been through the Republican computer. The 38 Republicans on the floor of the House sat quietly and took little or no part in the debate. They voted a solid and unanimous 38 votes against the motion to recommit. The strict discipline as shown by Republi-

can House members to the signals as sent in by quarterback Governor Bill Clements reminds one of the response of Roger Stauback and the Dallas Cowboys to the signal from Tom Landry in a Super Bowl game. Conservative Democrats voting favorably to Governor Clements signals should not feel immune from Republican opposition in 1982. Republicans target only conservative areas. In 1980 The Associated Republicans of Texas targeted ultra-conservative Democrat Dick Slack of Pecos and contributed \$1500 to Slack's Republican opponent. A.R.T. targeted conservative Democrat Tip Hall's district in Denton and contributed \$2750 to Hall's opponent. A.R.T. targeted conservative Democrat Jimmy Mankin's district in Longview and contributed \$1500 to Mankin's opponent. A.R.T. targeted Democrat Bill Caraway's district and gave his Republican opponent \$11,000. A.R.T. targeted conservative Democrat Al Brown's district in San Antonio and contributed \$5000 to his Republican opponent.

Total A.R.T. contributions to Republican House members was \$44,550 in the

1980 campaign. Their contribution to opponents of elected Conservative Democrats should be interesting. Conservative versus Liberals is a transparent smoke screen in the Redistricting battle. General Patton was a master using this decoy. He laid one down on the Rhine River in preparation to making a crossing with his fourth armored division. He continuously bombarded the opposite side with the artillery and bombs for three hours. When darkness fell engineers quickly constructed their pontoon bridge six miles down the river. The fourth armored division crossed without resistance or the loss of man. The German's got hit from the rear.

Committee chairman Tim Von Dohlen said in his final remarks before the vote was taken that his plan was not cherished by conservatives or liberals. Ultra conservative Democrat Carlyle Smith of Grand Prairie made the final and emotional appeal to recommit the bill to committee for revisions. His talk brought the House to its feet in an emotional applause.

The state redistricting map had all the resemblance

of being drawn by a drunk person. The computer can quickly gerrymander Blacks out of one district and place them in another; pull Republican vote out of one District and place them in another. Compactness is one factor left out of the computer. This is why you come up with a map that has all kinds of odd and elongated configurations. I voted for the motion to recommit. Surely, we can do better.

In the Capitol there seems to be general approval of the hard stance President Reagan is taking against the striking air controllers. During the regular session last spring a bill was passed and signed by the Governor to prohibit union dues from being deducted from the payroll of state workers.



In ancient Rome, unmarried girls were prohibited by law from wearing pearls. Instead, the pearls were worn by young men, who placed the pearls in tiny bells which, hanging from their ears, tinkled gaily.



Simmons Watches Signing

GRAY COUNTY COMMISSIONER Ted Simmons is pictured here with several other county officials and Governor Bill Clements. The county officials are watching as Clements signs Senate Bill 150 which will allow counties in the state to retain part of the auto licensing fee. Simmons said that the bill will add around \$200,000 to Gray County's coffers each year. (Photo Courtesy of Sen. Treager's office)

### Oldham Receives Tech Scholarship

Glenn Oldham, senior architect student at Texas Tech University in Lubbock, has been awarded a \$250 scholarship by the Lubbock Chapter of the American Institute of Architects.

Oldham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Trew and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boyd of McLean, applied for the scholarship last spring by submitting a portfolio of work done in the last three years at Tech. The portfolio was then judged by Lubbock architects to determine the winner.

Recognition for the scholarship will be at the AIA golf and tennis tournament this fall in Lubbock.

### MD Telethon Announced

The McLean telephone base for the Jerry Lewis Muscular Dystrophy Telethon Labor Day weekend will be at First Baptist Church again this year, according to spokesman Linda Syfrett.

Anyone who wishes to help in this project should contact Mrs. Syfrett at 779-2577.

### Blood Pressure Clinic Changed To Aug. 18

McLean senior citizens who want their blood pressure checked must come earlier than usual this month, according to a nurse from the Public Health Service. The monthly blood pressure clinic

at the McLean senior citizens center will be Aug. 18 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. instead of the regular date of Aug. 20. On Aug. 20, the senior citizens will have their monthly birthday luncheon.

### Library Party To Be Friday

McLean youngsters who participated in the summer reading program at Lovett Memorial Library in McLean are invited to a party Friday morning at 10:30 according to Lovett librarian Martha Parker. The youngsters will be presented their reading certificates, a movie will be shown, and refreshments will be served, Mrs. Parker said.

### NEWS FROM ALAN REED

Dena Tidwell and children and Nora Dragoo were in Pampa on Tuesday for medical attention for Nora.

Nora Dragoo had been on the sick list these past few weeks.

Visiting the Hartley Davis family last week were Mr. and Mrs. Bishop McKendree of Austin, W.D. McKendree of Pampa and Mrs. Hattie Terbusch of Groom.

Visiting the First Baptist Church Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morris of McLean.

Dan Fish was on the sick list last week after having to cut his vacation short in California due to the threatened strike. Dan had accompanied nephew Tony home after his visit here.

Polly Harrison assisted by Alice French, Ruth McLain, Onie Gibson, and Lena Carter hosted a party Friday at the church for the first two classes of youngsters. Games and refreshments were enjoyed and refreshments of several kinds of cookies and punch were served. We have great plans for the next party.

Mrs. Ora Holloway was honored with a surprise birthday party in her home recently to celebrate her 70th birthday. Attending were Mrs. Florence Walker and sons Clarence, Austin, and Johnny; Mrs. Susie Trout; Mrs. Iva McLain; and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Haire.

Phillip Gibson was in Shamrock last week for some dental work.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Ora Holloway were her sisters Mrs. Nettie Patterson of Amarillo and Mrs. Lonnie Haire of McLean.

Ruth McLain had her sister visiting last week.

Susan and Pat Barker made a business trip to Amarillo on Tuesday.

The P.M. Gibsons had daughter Adella visiting during the weekend.

The Mel Fench's had his sister and family visiting during the weekend.

Jewell Warner visited in Amarillo this week at her niece's.

Former residents of Kellerville will have their annual reunion Aug. 23 in the Lefors Civic Center from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. A pot luck dinner is set for 1 p.m. All former and current residents of the community are invited to attend.

Reflection . . . is wisdom's best nurse." John Milton

### McLean Briefs

Mary and Doug Sobin of Clovis, N.M.; Shelly and Dal Harris of Floydada; and Pat and Carol Clark of Lockney discussed variances of the English language with McLean resident Lisa Patman at Lubbock last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thomas of Conway, Arkansas visited with Howard and Lillie Mae Williams Monday morning. Mrs. Thomas is Lillie Mae's cousin.

Eddie and Tuffy Sargent of Baytown were Friday morning visitors in the Forest Hupp home. Mrs. Hupp and Eddie are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. S.A. Cousins were in Pampa on Saturday.

J. Boyd and Frankie Smith were in Hedley Thursday for the funeral services of Mrs. Fannie Stone.

Taryn and Scott Heckendorn of Garland are visiting their grandparents, Ruth and Leonard Glass.

Lavern Carter and Shandee Ruth Rice spent several days last week in Panhandle with her son, Butch Carter and his family.

Misty Windom of Dallas and Eric Windom of Grapevine are spending this week with their grandparents, Junior and Dorris Windom.

K.W. Larue and Tony Hambricht and Carmel Moore returned Friday from a seven week vacation in San Isabel, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Brad Parker and children, Derek and Mindy of Canyon visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Parker during the weekend. Other guests in the Brown home were Mrs. Jeanette Stuart and daughter, Amy of Wheeler.

Attending the Greenbelt Bowl Game in childress Friday evening were: David, Fern, Rhonda and Kyle Woods, Joe Ray and Jacque Riley, Doyle, Nancy and Melanie Billingsley, Jem Ann Rice, Jack Dorsett, Dusty Sanders, Terry Todd, Tim Killham, Sally Haynes, Joy Rhine, and Susie Billingsley.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Sutton of El Cajon, California are visiting his mother, Mrs. Eula Morrow and her brothers, Tom and Lester Bailey, her sisters, Dora Mae Bailey, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rice.

Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Kinard, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lester and Mrs. Newt Barker accompanied by their sister Leona Rose of Pampa, were in Lubbock Saturday for funeral services for their brother-in-law, Buster Damron. Mrs. Barker remained for a longer visit.

Ada Simmons, Delphia Carpenter, and Sophie Hutchinson were in Elk City, Okla. on business, Tuesday.

Mrs. Joe Magee and children, Misty, Destry, and Mindy spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dent Bradley in Dimmitt.

Buck Lee, Casper Smith, Alvin Danner and Junior Windom played golf in the tournament at Childress last weekend. Junior and Alvin placed third in the tournament.

Visitors in the Howard Williams home Sunday afternoon were, Mr. and Mrs. G.B. Lamb and Guy Pharis of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Elliott of Ft. Worth spent several days here with her sisters, Mae Chilton and Ruth Saye and her brother Jack and Lorena Bailey.

Mary Ann Rice visited in the Butch Carter home in Panhandle on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Clements of Pampa visited in the Ott Davis home on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pierce spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Butch Cline in Goldwaite.

Janice, John and Jason Bible of Colleyville were here visiting friends and relatives over the weekend. Karie Lynn returned home with her parents following a weeks stay with her grandparents, James and Pat Barker.

Fern Boyd and Mary Powell were in Pampa for the Barker-Cowan wedding.

Will and Fran Patman, and their children, Jeremy, Elizabeth, and Natalie, all of Borger were at the Ed Patman home Sunday afternoon.

Ruth Magee and Frankie White of Pampa left Monday morning for Stephenville where they will visit.

First United Methodist Church of McLean hosted a teacher-appreciation picnic in the McLean city park Sunday night. Teachers and administrators were honored guests at the sandwich and watermelon supper.

Mrs. Katie McDonald attended funeral services for Susie Hicks at Lela on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rel spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Eula Morrow, and Molly Jo Gardener of San Diego spent her vacation with her grandmother. Margie Rel's son from Cordell, Don Shannon and wife spent the weekend with her grandmother Mrs. Eula Morrow.

John and Mary Lee Bayless of Borger brought Helen Simmons home Saturday night following a weeks visit in their home with Oma Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hugg from Jal, N.M. visited Mr. and Mrs. Otis Smulcer last week. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hiatt visited them Sunday.

Guests during the weekend in the home of Ruth Pennington were her grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arliss

Molly McDowell vacationed in Alpine last week.

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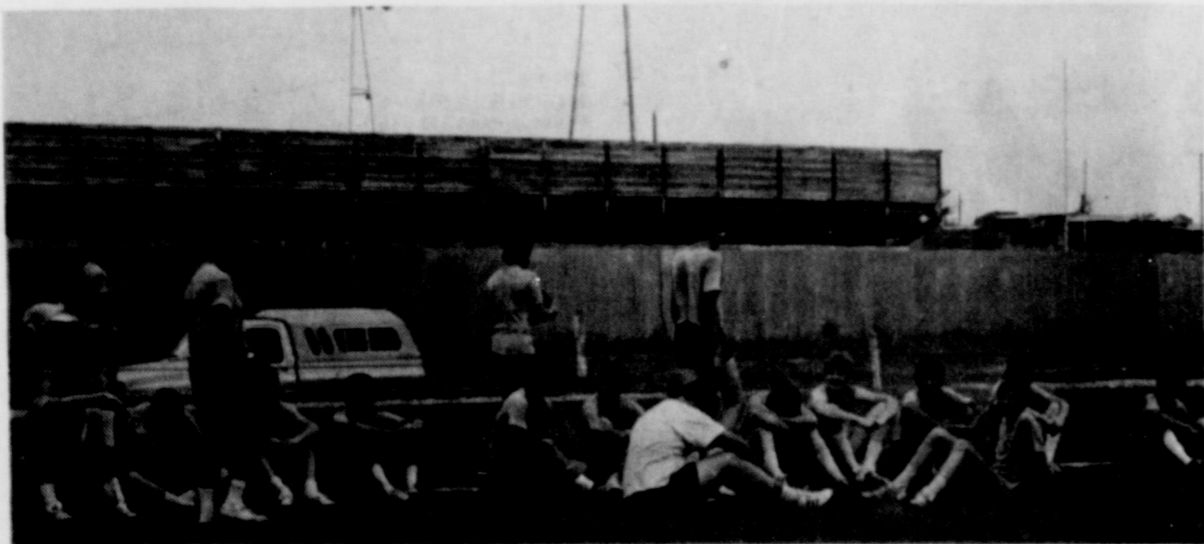
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AGILITY DRILLS ARE a part of pre-season training. Here McLean High School Jack Dorsett puts some of the Tigers through their paces. [Photo by Linda Haynes]



A Perfect Finish

DUDLEY REYNOLDS AND some other Tigers plop down for a few push-ups to finish a drill during two-day workouts at the football field this week. [Photo by Linda Haynes]



Resting Tigers

A SHORT WATER break is enjoyed by the 38 Tigers who began two-day football drills this week at the practice field. [Photo by Linda Haynes]

Early Plans For Fair Parade Announced

Everyone loves a parade, and the Amarillo Tri-State Fair Parade always draws a big crowd. This year will be no exception as the parade kicks off the 1981 Amarillo Tri-State Fair on Monday, September 21. The parade will begin at 10 a.m., according to John Kuhn, chairman of the Parade Committee, and will feature marching bands, military units, floats, horses, clowns--everything you love about a parade. The theme of this year's parade is "America is Good--America is Great." Cash awards of \$250, \$100, and \$50 plus trophies will be given to the top 3 floats which best exemplify the theme of the parade. Trophies will be awarded for best overall entry and for best entry in the following categories: military, equestrian, band, JROTC unit, civic, youth, out-of-town band, and religious organization. Awards will be presented at the outdoor stage on the fair grounds at 6:45 p.m., Monday, September 21. Entries must be in the fair office by September 1. For entry forms and additional information, write or contact the Amarillo Tri-State Fair, P.O. Box 31087, Amarillo, 79120.



LIBRARY NOTES

by Sam Haynes

A Field Guide to the Birds East of the Rockies

Roger Troy Peterson This fourth edition of the field guide is absolutely invaluable to bird lovers living East of the Rockies.

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If you count yourself among the hundreds of thousands of bird watchers in the United States, you will certainly derive enjoyment and perhaps much knowledge from the use of this book, which is generally accepted as the bird watchers "bible."

"A Field Guide to the Birds East of the Rockies," is now available at Lovett Memorial Library.



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4H Corner

by Carl Gibson

The Gray County 4-H Youth Rodeo will be held Aug. 21 and 22 at the Top of Texas Rodeo Arena in Pampa at 7:30 p.m. each evening. The rodeo is for all youth ages 9-18.

Stock producer for the rodeo is Bill Hext of Canadian. B-Bar-K belt buckles will be awarded the top three winners in each event. Boys and girls All Around buckles will be awarded in each age group. Entries are due in the Gray County Extension Office, Star Route 2, Box 33, Pampa, Texas 79065, by 5 p.m. on Aug. 14.

The events include a Heading and Heeling for ages 9-18 to be held Saturday, Aug. 22 at 2 p.m. with an entry fee of \$15 per team. Other events include Breakaway Roping, Barrel Racing, Calf Riding, Pole Bending, and Goat Tying for

ages 9-11.

Events for ages 12-14 include Ribbon Roping, Steer Riding, Breakaway Roping, Pole Bending, Barrel Racing, and Goat Tying. Youth ages 15-18 may participate in Bareback Bronc Riding, Bull Riding, Calf Roping, Ribbon Roping, Barrel Racing, Pole Bending, Goat Tying, and Breakaway Roping.

Boys and girls may participate in any event listed for their particular age group. All Around buckles will be awarded to boys and girls in each age group on points awarded in all events entered.

For ages 9-11, the entry fee is \$8 per event. The 12-14 old age group will have an entry fee of \$10 per event. The older age group of 15-18 will have a \$15 entry fee per event.

Information and entry

blanks can be obtained at the Gray County Extension Office or you may call 669-7429.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Aug. 10-7:30 p.m. 4-H Rodeo concession stand meeting, Courthouse Annex

Aug. 13-2 p.m. 4-H Club Program Planning Meeting, Courthouse Annex

Aug. 15-State Dog Show, Waco, Texas

DISTRICT RECORD BOOK JUDGING RESULTS

Fourteen Gray County 4-H members entered their 4-H record books in the District Record Book judging in Amarillo, July 31.

Bryan Smitherman entered the winning record book in the Senior Home Environment category, and his record book will go to the State Judging.

Other Senior record books included Penny Miller who placed third in the Santa Fe category. Teresa Woods entered her record book in the Achievement category.

Nine Gray County 4-H members received blue ribbons for their Junior record

books. These include Tammy Greene-Beef; Eva Jo Isbell-Swine; Sabrina Parker-Horse; Sarah Miller-Food and Nutrition; Michele Houton-Family Life; Matt Cochran-Dog Care and Training; Sherri McDonald-Bicycle; and Stacey McDonald-Fashion Revue.

Laura McCarty received a red ribbon in the Junior Clothing category.

Each of these 4-H'ers should be congratulated for their time and work to compile their record books and for their work in their 4-H projects.

4-H CLUB PROGRAM PLANNING

All 4-H club presidents, vice-presidents and organizational leaders are encouraged to attend a 4-H club program planning meeting at the courthouse annex at 2 p.m. Aug. 13.

This meeting will be an effort to plan programs for 4-H club meetings during the 1981-82 school year. We would encourage these officers and leaders to bring program ideas and help plan educational meetings for our 4-H clubs this year.

Pampa Will Host Two Evening Courses

WTSU--Pampa will host two off-campus evening courses offered by West Texas State University for the fall semester.

Check With School For Good Beginning

When your child goes off for his first day at school, don't let yourself be caught unprepared. There are school registration forms to be filled out ahead of time. Some school boards also require general health and dental check-ups before the school year begins. Even if your own school district has no such requirements, the Texas Medical Association (TMA) suggests that you take your child for a physical examination if he hasn't had a general check-up recently. Your child may have some special condition, such as poor eyesight or hearing, which could affect his or her work in school.

In addition to making sure that your child is physically ready to start school, the state has certain specific immunization requirements for admission into kindergarten or first grade. According to the Texas Department of Health, beginning school children must have up-to-date polio, DPT (diphtheria-tetanus-pertussis), measles, rubella and mumps vaccinations, and have the immunization form signed either by a physician or by a public health clinic.

Equally important in ensuring your youngster a healthy start in school is preparing him for a safe journey to and from the school. First, decide whether your child will walk or ride. Consider factors such as traffic, distance, and your child's maturity. Is your child old enough to walk to school by himself? Does he know the rules of traffic and safe crossing? If you do decide to let your child walk, you may want to contact other parents in your area and find a "buddy" for your child to walk with.

Select a safe route. Look at traffic flow, crossings, busy parking lots, blind alleys, garage entrances and exits. Choose the least dangerous path, even if it's a little longer. Take the walk with your child at least a few times, to let him learn familiar landmarks. Time the trip so that you'll know when to expect him home. Point out hazards along the way, and explain the dangers to your child. Be sure to tell him or her not to talk to strangers or get into a stranger's car.

If your child is going to school by city bus, take a few rides with him beforehand so that he can become familiar with the route. Make certain that he knows the name of his stop and what it looks like. If he's traveling by school bus, find out the driver's name. It will make your child much more comfortable if the driver is a "real person" to him. And when it's finally time for your little one's first day of real school, be brave!

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## Homemaker News

by Elaine Houston

### PRESSURE CANNER GAUGE TESTING

We will be testing pressure canner gauges Tuesday, August 11 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the County Extension Office. You need to bring only your canner lid for the testing. This is a free service from the Gray County Extension Service.

**HOME RESTORATION: DANGER!** Don't let it be health costly. Along with the joys of saving money and creating beautiful surroundings, the do-it-yourself home restorer faces danger to his health—and even his life in some cases.

**The Finish Line**  
Finish removal is probably the most dangerous restoration activity—posing possible damage to lungs, skin, liver and even the heart, along with fire hazards.

Paint removers and the paints being removed are the culprits in most cases. Prolonged exposures to many commercial paint removers can damage lung tissue. Even

more serious methylene chloride—the active ingredient in many removers—can kill. When inhaled, methylene chloride is broken down in the body to form carbon monoxide, a poisonous substance which can place stress on the cardio-vascular system during prolonged exposure. More culpits are strippers that contain benzene and acetone. Benzene can be absorbed through the skin, and it can cause burns to the skin.

If ingested in sufficient amounts, benzene also can cause central-nervous system depression (respiratory failure), ventricular fibrillation (irregular heartbeats) and bone-marrow damage. As few as 25 parts per million in the air is considered dangerous.

Benzene has been linked to some forms of liver cancer and to bone marrow disorders.

Do-it-yourself renovators can fight back and reduce risks by:

1. having adequate ventilation to avoid breathing chemical fumes, and by 2.

wearing rubber gloves to prevent absorption of solvents through the skin and to prevent burns to the skin.

Special hazards can lead to burning the whole house down if the do-it-yourself renovator fails to take special precautions against fire. Flammable paint removers and organic solvents, such as alcohol and mineral spirits, present special fire hazards.

In addition to the more obvious danger that comes from working with a lighted cigarette around these materials, there's also the danger of vapors from such solvents gathering at floor level and easily igniting—a single spark, a water heater or a pilot light can do it. Along the same line, another lethal team consists of steel wool, electrical outlets and flammable remover. Steel wool rubbing against an electrical outlet during paint removal can create sparks that may ignite any flammable remover nearby.

To avoid fire hazards, take these precautions to douse the

chance of fire before it happens: 1. use only NONFLAMMABLE removers when possible. If you must use a flammable remover or solvent inside, work with open windows and use a fan blowing to avoid buildup of combustible vapors at floor level. 2. cut off electrical power if working with steel wool and flammable materials near electrical outlets.

A virtual lambast of lead poisoning is yours if you aren't careful to prevent it. Here's how it feels: dizziness, nausea, general sick feeling—and, later with prolonged exposure, possible damage to vital organs and the central nervous system.

Lead poisoning is the result of working with old paint—including removal or any containing lead. Any house built before 1940 probably is covered with paints containing lead. Every old-house owner should know that lead can be absorbed both from the DUST created by sanding and scraping lead paint and from

VAPORS created by burning paint off with a blowtorch or propane torch.

To remove lead-containing paints safely and most easily, use a safe chemical remover. Remember, lead paints adhering tight to wall surfaces present no hazard; it's the removal that poses the danger—whether removal means paint that is peeling off the wall or active removal procedures. In addition to fumes and lead-poisoning problems, other "spoilers" in home restoration include rusty metals and nails and asbestos fibers in older dry-wall finishing materials. Rusty metals and nails are constant threats to the remodeler and renovator, posing danger of puncture wounds and the possibility of lockjaw. Many professional renovators keep their tetanus shots current as a precaution. After the basic childhood immunization schedule is complete, tetanus (and diphtheria) boosters are recommended at age 14-16 and every 10 years thereafter. Asbestos has been linked to

some forms of cancer.

Many older dry-wall finishing compounds contained asbestos fibers, which, when sanded, can be inhaled into the lungs. It's no longer legal to manufacture these products with asbestos, but they may already be on the walls lurking in old supplies at home. Be sure any "new" products you use say "no asbestos."

If you're unsure about asbestos content, play it safe and smooth by "wet sanding"—smoothing with a damp sponge or cloth to avoid breathing asbestos-containing dust. Also, wear a good-quality, snug-fitting dust mask every time you sand or work in heavy dust, especially plaster dust. Otherwise, you risk serious damage to lungs.

While renovation can save "big bucks" it presents many serious hazards. The renovator who knows the possible dangers will accomplish many desirable restorations without jeopardizing his own health and safety.



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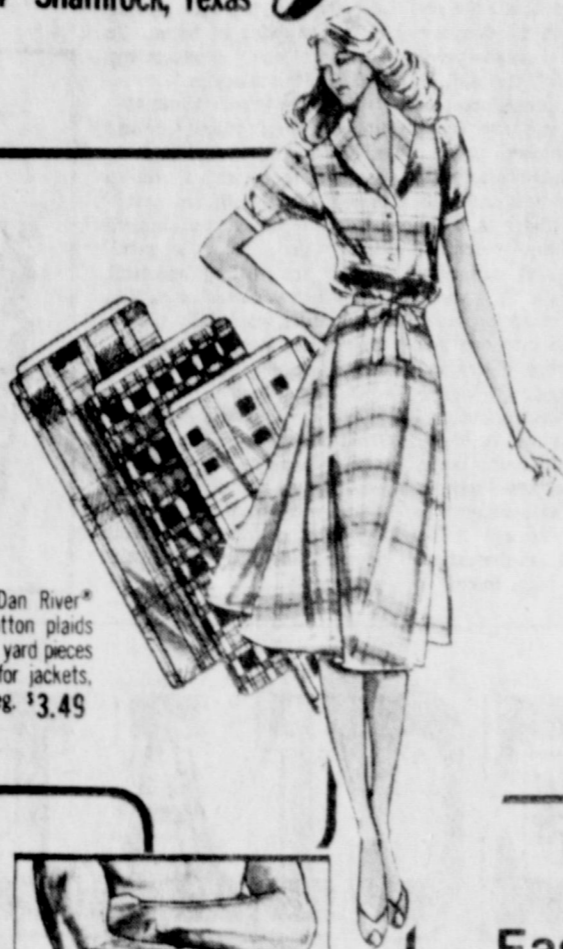
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Sale starts Thursday & ends Saturday

# It's Never Too Hot For Good Nutrition, Says Texas Medical Association

A poor diet is not a direct result of the heat. The same dietary needs apply in summer as during the rest of the year, says the Texas Medical Association (TMA). Family eating patterns needn't be altered in hot weather. But few people feel like getting near the stove to cook well-balanced meals when the thermostat reads 95 degrees.

The typical light, summer diet tends to be short on protein and long on snack foods. "It's too hot to eat" is a statement which usually follows too many sweet lemonades and junk foods eaten on the run. One answer to poor summer-eating patterns may be salads.

You can increase the protein

content in salads by adding such protein-filled foods as cheese, fish and meat to them. Even snacks should contain some protein for long-lasting energy. Nuts and yogurt are good sources of protein, and they don't require cooking. Ice cream is a relatively poor choice, being too high in sugar and calories for its food value. Food cooked outside on a

grill or a hibachi is another solution to the summertime I-hate-to-cook syndrome. Whatever you cook at home is likely to be of much higher quality and cheaper than what you can buy at the fast food place down the street. Good nutrition should never be sacrificed for the sake of convenience.

Drinking more water during the summer comes naturally to most healthy people. When it's hot, you get thirsty and you drink more, replacing the bodily fluids lost through perspiration. For fluid replacement, plain water is your best bet. Drink cool, not freezing-cold water in very hot weather to avoid cramps.

Infants, the sick and the elderly may need to be encouraged to drink more in hot weather. It is wise for mothers to offer their infants a few ounces of water between feedings. If you're a healthy adult, however, your own thirst will take care of your need for extra fluids.

The same applies to your need for salt. Taking extra salt in the form of salt tablets is a mistake. The amount of salt that an ordinary person consumes at the table is plenty, even on the hottest day. Those who are extremely athletic may be exceptions, but they should check with a doctor before drastically increasing their intake of salt.

## Nursing Center News

Our deepest sympathy to the family of Mr. Ed Sharp. Mr. Sharp passed away Saturday here at the nursing center. He will be greatly missed.

Mr. Hugh Tolleson remains in the hospital in Amarillo, following surgery. He is doing well, and will probably be returning within a few days.

We'd like to welcome Mrs. Winnie Billingsley from Shamrock. Mrs. Billingsley joined us on Aug. 9.

Sunday, members of the Baptist Church were here to conduct services.

Monday, Charlene Barker and Betty Lopez played Bingo with eleven residents. Mrs. Beulah Rippy was the big winner, with three games.

Wednesday, members of the Baptist Church conducted a Bible Study and returned Thursday for a Sing-A-Long.

Friday, we had a birthday party for the month of August. Honored this month were Lizzie Henry, Effie Phillips, Odesa Beeman, and Bud Farmer.

We want to thank Charlene Barker for furnishing the cake

and punch as well as the lovely table covering and center piece of silk daisies. Thanks also to Wanda Lamb for the corsages and boutonnieres for the honorees. Lois Myers and Betty Lopez furnished entertainment for the party. Leta Mae Hess and Ida Hess were here to assist with the party and help serve. Everyone had a wonderful time.

Thomas Nursing Center Ladies Auxiliary met Friday, August 7, in the Activity Room at the nursing center. Officers were elected for the coming year. New president is Mrs. Betty Lopez; Vice president, Ruth Boucher; Secretary, Mrs. Charlene Barker; and Treasurer, Mrs. Leta Mae Hess. Old and new business was discussed, and the auxiliary voted to purchase additional exercise equipment for the nursing center. The auxiliary's next meeting will be Sep. 23 here at the nursing center.

## In The Kitchen

by Linda Haynes



In just a few weeks, the winner of the McLean News Summer Recipe contest will be announced and the microwave oven will be awarded. The microwave is becoming more and more popular with cooks because of the time-saving qualities, but also because it does a much better job of cooking vegetables than almost any other appliance.

For those of you who have microwave ovens, or for those of you who might be our big winner, here are some recipes to try:

**BROCCOLI-CHEESE CASSEROLE**  
2 pkgs. (10 oz. each) frozen chopped broccoli  
1/2 cup butter or margarine  
1 large onion, chopped  
2 tablespoons all-purpose flour  
1/2 cup milk  
1 jar (8 oz.) pasteurized process cheese spread  
3 eggs, slightly beaten  
1/4 tsp. each - salt, pepper, and ground nutmeg  
1/4 cup finely crushed seasoned croutons

Place unopened packages of frozen broccoli in the microwave oven. Cook 4 to 5 minutes to defrost. Drain broccoli in a colander, pressing out all liquid. In a 2-quart

casserole, melt butter 1 1/2 minutes or until bubbly. Add onion and cook, uncovered, 2 1/2 minutes or until tender. Stir in four and cook, uncovered 1 minute or until thickened. Add cheese, stirring until melted. Blend in broccoli, eggs, salt, pepper and nutmeg. Cook, uncovered, 3 minutes, then stir as before from outer edges to center. Sprinkle top evenly with crumbs. Cook, uncovered, 4 minutes or until mixture is set in center when lightly touched. Let stand, uncovered, 5 minutes before serving.

**STEAMED CARROTS**  
Peel 6 medium-size carrots. Wrap in clear plastic film or place them in a clear roasting bag, sealing the end with a string. With a fork, pierce bag in 2 or 3 places. Cook in the microwave oven for 7 to 9 minutes until carrots are tender when pierced through the wrap or bag. Let stand, wrapped, 3 to 5 minutes. Cut carrots as you wish; season with 2 to 3 tablespoons butter or margarine and with salt and pepper to taste. (This method of cooking lets the carrots retain their original taste, it's not boiled away in water. Also, this method saves vitamins.)

## Protecting Yourself

Early football helmets didn't look at all like the ones worn by players today. It's the same with motorcycle helmets. In the early days of motorcycling, riders often wore leather aviator's helmets. Not much protection if they had an accident.

Today's motorcycle helmets, like today's football helmets have evolved into scientifically designed pieces of safety equipment. They are designed to absorb shocks and spread the impact force over as large an area as possible. That's why a helmet should be checked after an impact, even if it's only dropped. A short fall can weaken the helmet's shell and reduce its ability to protect you.

No football player would take to the field without a helmet and gear to protect him. The Motorcycle Safety Foundation says motorcyclists should do the same when they take to the road.

## energy answers

from the Texas Energy Extension Service

I am interested in purchasing a ceiling fan but do not know what qualities or features to look for or how to get the best buy for my money. Can you advise me? R. W., Bastrop.

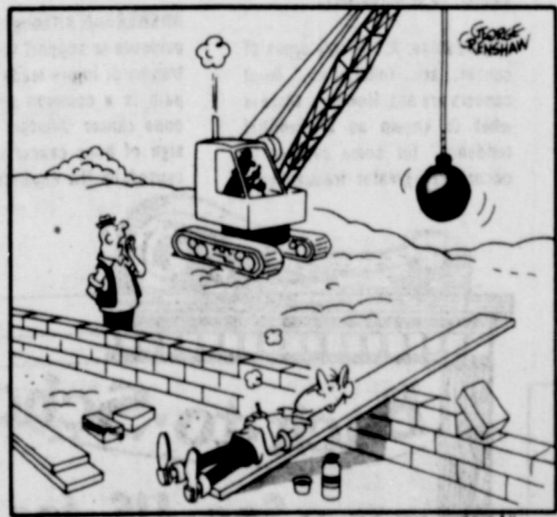
(9) Remember that the brass and other decorative features do not add to the cooling power of the fan and can increase the cost significantly.

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The Denton County Electric Cooperative offers the following suggestions in their June newsletter on what to consider when purchasing a ceiling fan:

- (1) Determine how many years you plan to use the fan. A cheaper plastic motor will suffice if you plan to use it only two or three years.
- (2) Do not be overly concerned with whether blades are wood or plastic because blade material is a fairly minor consideration.
- (3) Remember that fans with metal housing usually last longer and are quieter than those with plastic motor housing.
- (4) Remember that fans with sealed bearings may eliminate the need for periodic oiling, but fans requiring oiling have proven reliability and length of service.
- (5) Consider purchasing a fan with the reversible feature. In rooms with high ceilings it can help the owner save on winter heating by recirculating the warm air that naturally rises to the ceiling. It is also good for bedrooms where people do not want air directly blown on them.
- (6) Check warranties when purchasing a ceiling fan. The better fans usually carry a five year warranty.
- (7) Consider the diameter of the blades because the wider the diameter, generally the more air movement the fan will produce. A 48-inch or 52-inch fan should be considered for a den or living room, but an average size bedroom can probably manage with a 36-inch fan.
- (8) Check into installation costs; they can run as high as the actual cost of the fan.

If you have a question about energy conservation around the home, send it to ENERGY



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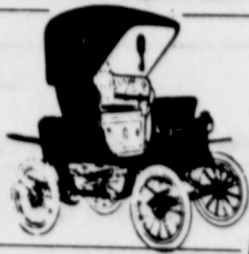
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## DOWN MEMORY LANE

From the files of The McLean News

by Sam Haynes

10 YEARS AGO...  
E.M. BAILEY, ED.

Wesley Grigsby, grandson of Mrs. John Collie of McLean is among the 130 member "Texas" company for the 1971 season. Grigsby, the son of the Rev. and Mrs. Norman W. Grigsby of Andrews, will portray the roles of Ted Bates and Clay Andrews in the production.

The Alanreed-McLean Area Museum has come a long way since they opened their doors for the first time on the morning of September 12, 1969. From a bank account of \$19.28, a deep desire to preserve the history of our area, a determination on the part of several not to accept defeat, faith in the people of our community, and those friends scattered to the four corners of the earth, we are now a fully accredited and widely recognized historical museum.

Captain Don Woods left Friday for Khorat, Thailand, where he will serve in the U.S. Air Force. Captain Woods is a 1963 graduate of McLean High School and has a B.A. Degree from Texas A & M University and a Doctor of Jurisprudence from University of Houston.

20 YEARS AGO...  
JACK SHELTON, ED.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Rice and daughter, Cynthia, and Bill Bailey went to San Diego, California Friday to visit relatives.

The Pioneer Study Club met with Mrs. Evan Sitter as hostess on Friday, Aug. 4 to discuss membership plans. A brunch of nut cake and ice cream were served to Mesdames Wanda Lamb, Erna Hester, Vera Back, Mary Lou Glass, Ruth Magee, Bonnie Fabian, Carolyn Herrin, LeVine Hathaway, Mary Emma Woods and the hostess.

Danny Sutton, who has been visiting in the Billy D. Rice

### DISTAFF

McLean men. Plans for a formal dedication of the memorial are in the works. We hope to have several elected officials and other dignitaries present for the dedication. If arrangements can be made, we plan to have a military color guard from one of the neighboring bases. We will give you more complete details when the plans are finalized.

If the sound of birds twittering is the first sign of spring, then the best harbinger of autumn in McLean has to be the yells and grunts emanating from the football field every morning this week. Because if two-a-days are here, can football season be far behind?

The Tigers began two-a-day workouts Monday morning with their typical enthusiasm, if the noise they made was any indication. Coaches and boys both are looking forward to the new season which officially gets underway Sept. 11 with a game at Shamrock. Tigers will play a couple of scrimmages before that time, but University Interscholastic League rules forbid us publicizing the dates and places of those contests (if our interpretation of those rules is correct). However, scrimmages are almost always on Fridays, aren't they? and if you showed up at the football field Aug. 21 you might just see the Tigers scrimmage somebody. If you want more specifics, ask any of the Tigers.

Thank goodness for people who are interested in their town and do something, instead of just talk! Have you noticed the beautiful landscaping at the library this spring? That has been a lovely addition to the downtown area. And have you seen the large flower garden at the McLean city park which the women of the Pioneer Study Club planted and have maintained all summer? That has been much work, I'm sure, but it has certainly added to the looks of the park.

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home, has returned to his home in San Diego, California.

30 YEARS AGO...  
LESTER CAMPBELL, ED.

L.M. Watson, who went through his entire high school football career without receiving a serious injury, suffered a broken leg in the second quarter of the all-star grid game at the annual coach's clinic in San Antonio last Friday night.

Mrs. Raymond Glass, and Jim, Vick and Cecil Back visited in Elk City, Oklahoma, last week with their brother Joe Back, who is ill in the hospital there.

Miss Dora Watt, Chester, Willie and Hazel Goughly, Karl Watt and Mrs. Frank Goughly visited in Pampa Monday morning with Carson Watt.

40 YEARS AGO...  
T.A. LANDERS, ED.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Thacker and daughters visited at Roosevelt, Oklahoma on Sunday. Mrs. Thacker and Billie remained for a longer visit.

Attending the ladies Bible class at the Church of Christ Wednesday afternoon were Mesdames Bob Sanders, U.F. Baker, Chas. Eudey, Leonard Huff, Todd, C.J. Cash, R.A. Burrows, Henry Boyd, Chester Lander, Jack Hardcastle, Barney Fulbright, Roy Barker, Jack Mercer, Bud Back, Ed Bryant, J.R. Phillips, Ernest Blankenship, and Miss Susan Baker.

Mrs. Siler Hopkins and baby of Pampa visited their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Gatlin, last week.

50 YEARS AGO...  
T.A. LANDERS, ED.

Mrs. C. B. Baston surprised her husband Friday

evening with a stag supper in honor of his birthday. The table was decorated with a lovely cake with 31 candles, and many good things to eat. The color theme was pink and blue. The following were present: Roy Campbell, Vernon Rices, Sammie Cubine, Ercy Cubine, Witt Springer, Floyd Phillips, Dr. W.L. Campbell, C.S. Doolen, Eddie Winburne and John Haynes.

Three McLean boys were lucky enough to secure places on the college farm at Canyon while they attend the West Texas State Teacher's College at that place, according to a letter from Supt. T.M. Moore to the News this week. Edwin Howard will live at the college farm and do clerical work in the office, while Ben Howard and Clark Stockton will be used at the farm as student employees.

Miss Irene Johnson and Mr. Leroy Williams were married at Sayre, Okla., Friday, July 31. The ceremony was performed by the Justice of the Peace in the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Watson.

60 YEARS AGO...  
M.L. MOODY, ED.

The McLean and Hedley baseball teams were quite pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Haynes Thursday evening of last week. A large crowd of young people was present. Various games and contests constituted the entertainment of the evening. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Misses Ruby Cook, Ruth Bullock, Janie Cousins, Mabel Watkins and Hattie Thompson of McLean, and Ethel Close of Shamrock are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Evan Sitter at a house party on the ranch this week.

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About the worst looking building is our News building. But as soon as we can find the money, we will try to remedy that. However, the outside is in such bad shape, that it is going to call for a major remodeling job, and that may be a long time in the future.

If you are interested in donating to a worthy cause, you might notice the jars that have been placed around town for donations to a fund for Ford and Shirley Smith. Mrs. Smith has had major surgery and extensive health problems, and the family's health bills are astronomical.



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## QUICK QUIZ

Landmark Cities  
Landmarks trace the beginnings and highlight the growth of many American cities. Test your city knowledge with this quiz.

1. Fort McHenry, site of inspiration for the Star Spangled Banner, protected the harbor of  
(a) Baltimore (b) Boston (c) Philadelphia
2. The Space Needle is located in  
(a) Houston (b) Seattle (c) Cape Canaveral
3. The Old North Church played an important part in \_\_\_\_\_'s history.  
(a) Portland (b) Nashville (c) Boston

70 YEARS AGO...  
A.G. RICHARDSON, ED.

Adv.... A full car of Jerseys. If you want a good milk see this bunch at the Armstrong place two miles east of town.

In our personal column last week we overlooked a mention of the fact that Mes. J.P. Majors was blown down during the hard wind on Monday of last week and quite severely bruised. At the present time she is much improved and able to be around again.

The tabernacle directors have installed two large acetylene lights for use during the meeting now in progress. They add materially to the illumination of the tabernacle.



## Senator Bill Sarpalius Reports

AUSTIN-Senator Bill Sarpalius (D-Hereford) Monday was appointed to the Texas Sunset Commission. The Sunset Commission is an arm of the Legislature that interviews the function of all state agencies on a periodic basis, and recommends to the Legislature whether those agencies should continue their existence. It is composed of four Senators and four House members.

"I promised in my campaign that I would work to eliminate waste and red tape in government, and this is my chance. I'm very pleased with this appointment," Sarpalius said. Sarpalius said he also was excited about the opportunity to examine several agencies with rate-making authority. "We will examine the Public Utility Commission, the Railroad Commission and the State Board of Insurance. All these agencies set rates for the general public. All of them have a direct impact on the pocketbooks of the people. We will look at them very closely," Sarpalius said.

Sarpalius added that the Sunset Commission will allow review several agencies that deal with banking, energy and industrial activities. "There is no one to look over these agencies and see if they are doing their jobs when

the Legislature is not in session. For example, many people tell us that they have complained to a state agency about some industry that agency is supposed to regulate, but no one will listen to them. Others tell us that they have to go through so much red tape to file a complaint or open a new business that it's just not worth the trouble. That's the kind of thing we want to work on," he said.

The Hereford Senator expressed a hope that the people who have dealt with state agencies would come to him with complaints and recommendations.

"Many people have told us they are upset about utility rates, phone service, or insurance rates. That's what the

Sunset Commission is all about. I hope we hear from every person in this state that has a complaint about these things," he said.

Sarpalius said the Commission will review 28 different state agencies during 1981 and 1982, reporting its findings and recommendations to the 68th Legislature in early 1983.

The Sunset Commission was established in 1977. Since that time, its recommendations have led to the abolishment of 11 agencies it considered obsolete and to the modification of many others.

"Government has a way of overstaying its welcome. We need to check it over continually to keep a lid on spending and red tape," Sarpalius said.

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