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—Boosting—
McLean and the
Surrounding Area

Legion Wants Names of All Ex-Servicemen

An all-out effort is being made by the American Legion to obtain the names of every ex-serviceman in the four-county territory which comprises the McLean area. Sitter post commander, Sitter said, and all ex-servicemen are requested to register on the form so that their names may be obtained by the Legion.

It is believed that there are approximately 600 ex-servicemen in the area, and their names are to be placed in a book to be sponsored by the Legion.

Names of those ex-servicemen who were killed in action, or who were in service, are also being sought. All persons are asked to write the names of all ex-servicemen whom they know.

At the regular meeting Tuesday night, Dr. R. C. McNett's notes were drawn, and the notes which he held were paid off. This was the second payment of notes, the first having been made two weeks ago. At that time, notes owned by Jack Mercer and B. L. Sitter were paid off.

BIRTHDAYS

- Sept. 26—Mrs. Sidney Kunkel, Mrs. W. E. Rainwater, Mrs. C. F. Hill, Robert Carol Hill, Mrs. C. H. Doolen, Lois Roan, M. H. Doolen.
- Sept. 29—C. S. Rice, Frances Rice.
- Sept. 30—Mrs. H. C. Rippey, Mrs. A. B. Turner, Mrs. Tom Royal.
- Oct. 1—George Colebank, Jack Baker, B. A. Dowell, Mrs. T. E. Doolen, Mrs. A. B. Christian.
- Oct. 2—Mrs. J. B. Pettit, Murray Patton, Edward Cadra, Margarite Doolen.
- Oct. 3—Kenneth Everett, Wayne Doolen.
- Oct. 4—Johnnie Mertel, John Eddy Lee, Mrs. J. E. Cooke.

HOW THEY FARED

- Week's Results:
- *McLean 51, *Wheeler 13.
 - *Perryton 20, *Shamrock 0.
 - *Lefors 25, Canadian 0.
 - *Wellington 23, Dalhart 0.
 - *Memphis 6, Amarillo Yarnigans 0.
 - *Clarendon 12, Chillicothe 0.
 - *Denotes District 3-A teams.
- This Week's Games:
- *Shamrock at Canadian.
 - Perryton at *Lefors.
 - Puduch at *Wellington.
 - Lakeview at *Memphis.
 - Price College at *Clarendon.
 - McLean and Wheeler have open games.

Ginning in McLean Getting Underway

Harvesting of the cotton crop in the McLean area got underway this week, but many farmers were forced to delay wire-scale boll-pulling due to the greenness of the cotton.

A total of 18 bales had been ginned at the two gins in McLean as of Wednesday morning. Of these, eight bales were ginned at the McLean Gin, managed by S. R. Jones, and ten bales at the Planters Gin, managed by L. H. Earhman.

Practically all of the cotton so far has been short staple stuff most of which is grading 1/8 middling. The cotton brought in so far has come mostly from bolls which were ripened early by the hot sun, and thus was short staple.

Earhman stated that it was hard to tell as yet whether a lot of the cotton will be short staple explaining that quite often the first bales grade out much more poorly than the later cotton.

J. P. Sitter said he expected heavier harvesting to get underway by next week, when the cotton has had more time to mature. Some farmers, Jones said, tried pulling this week, but the cotton proved to be too green to be harvested as yet.

This year's crop is expected to be quite a bit heavier than that of last year, when only 965 bales were ginned by the two gins in McLean and the one at Almarred. The Almarred gin has been closed and only the two in McLean will take care of the Gray County and area cotton this year. In 1946, a total of 1,283 bales were ginned.

Prospects for an excellent crop were prevalent early in August, but the drought during that month and most of September cut the yield considerably.

Mrs. S. H. Bundy Dies at Bethany

Mrs. S. H. Bundy of Bethany, Okla., a former resident of McLean, died Sunday morning, September 14.

The Bundy family was well known in McLean, the late Mr. Bundy having been associated here for a number of years with the Bundy-Hodges store. He preceded Mrs. Bundy in death about 12 years.

Mrs. Bundy was a sister of Kl. Hodges of Clinton, Okla., Sam Hodges of Amarillo, Mrs. S. R. Jones of McLean and R. T. Hodges of Edmond, Okla.

Attending the services from here were Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Stokes and Caroline; and Sam Hodges of Amarillo.

Mrs. D'Spain Funeral Rites This Afternoon

Funeral services are to be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Church of Christ in McLean for Mrs. Lena D'Spain, pioneer Gray County, who was found dead in her home near Kellerville Tuesday afternoon.

Interment will be in Hillcrest cemetery under the direction of Womack Funeral Home.

Mrs. D'Spain, widow of the late T. J. D'Spain who died May 30, 1946, was found dead in her chair at her ranch home near the North Fork of Red River near Kellerville. She had suffered from heart trouble for several years, but children who saw her at noon Tuesday said she was apparently feeling well.

Mrs. D'Spain was born in Gray County. (Continued on back page)

M. M. Wilson Rites Today

Funeral services for M. M. Wilson, 57, of Houston, will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the First Baptist Church in McLean. Wilson died Tuesday at Houston and the body was shipped to McLean for burial.

Interment will be in Hillcrest cemetery under the direction of Womack Funeral Home.

In charge of services will be Rev. H. T. Ray, pastor of the Almarred Baptist Church, and Rev. Ray Stephens, local Baptist pastor. Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. G. L. Hogan of Amarillo and Mrs. H. J. Pettit of McLean.

Grid Spectators Asked Not to Drop Lighted Cigarettes

Football spectators who normally sit in the east stands of the stadium at Tiger Field were warned this week of the danger of dropping lighted cigarettes through the cracks in the stands.

In the game last week with Wheeler, several small fires were started due to the fact that cigarettes were dropped through the cracks.

The dressing rooms are located immediately below the seats, and covering of the rooms consists only of a light material, which is inflammable. Serious damage, and possible danger, might result if the fires should get out of control.

Summer Has Went, Fall Is Riz—Wonder Where Our Rain Is

Autumn, which, according to the dictionary, is the third season of the year or the period between the autumnal equinox and the winter solstice, was ushered in Tuesday.

The cooler weather came slightly before the beginning of autumn, although even colder weather was predicted for that first day—Tuesday. Apparently the prediction did not materialize in this area.

Actually, autumn did not begin until 3:29 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, astronomically speaking, since it was that time when the sun crossed the equinox.

Anyway, fall is here!

Naomi Hancock To Represent City as Queen

Naomi Hancock, daughter of W. L. Hancock of McLean, has been selected by a Lions Club committee as "Miss McLean" to represent this city at the West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic, and Ceramics Carnival, to be held in Memphis October 2-4.

Miss Hancock will compete for the title "Maid of West Texas" at the carnival. The winner of the contest will be given a paid vacation to any city of her choice in the U. S., sponsors of the affair have announced.

During the presentation of the queen, Jessica Davon, president of the Arts and Fashion Guild of the Americas, will be present and will design for each contestant a dress of cotton material the design especially to fit the personality of each contestant. The dress will be given to each contestant for her part in participating in the contest.

A total of 37 cities have signified their intentions of entering queens in the contest. The queens will be feted throughout the three-day celebration, and will be honored at a presentation ball Friday night, October 3.

Original plans were to select a queen from the McLean High School body, with the student voting on the candidates. The queens must be 16 years of age or older, however, and only a few of the students would have been qualified under this ruling, so the committee selected Miss Hancock instead.

McLean will have a rather large share in the festivities, since the Tigers meet the Memphis Cyclone on the Memphis gridiron Friday night, October 3. The band will attend the game, and plans to return and participate in the parade Saturday morning, October 4, if the new band uniforms arrive in time.

Tax Budget for Gray County Set At Commissioners Court Meeting

Local Gridmen To Take Rest This Week-End

The McLean Tigers will take a rest this week-end following the 51 to 13 slashing handed the Wheeler Mustangs last Friday night.

The schedule will be resumed following the week-end, and on Friday night, October 3, the Tigers travel to Memphis to meet the Cyclone during the three-day West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic and Ceramics Carnival to be held in that city October 2-4.

No men were injured on the Tiger squad during the Wheeler game, and the gridmen are priming themselves this week for the coming game with Memphis.

Just how strong the Memphis eleven will be is not yet known. In their opener, the Cyclone lost to Class AA Quanah by a 20 to 6 score, but held the Indians well until their quarterback in the "T" formation Gayle West, was injured and forced to leave the game. Last week-end the Cyclone was tied 6-6 by the Amarillo Yarnigans.

Despite the fact that Memphis has not yet won a game, the Cyclone is still rated as the favorite. This rating, of course, as a result of the 26 to 0 defeat handed the Tigers by Panhandle. Apparently the dopesters are overlooking the 51-13 victory by McLean last week-end.

The open date for the Tigers is the only one on their schedule, and after this week-end, the gridmen will face a foe each week-end through November 21. The local gridsters have a 10-game schedule, six of which are home games.

Local fans will get to see four home games in a row, beginning the night of October 17. Home games remaining on the schedule are with Clarendon, October 17; Wellington, October 24; West Texas Tech, October 31; Shamrock, November 7; and Canadian, November 21. Out-of-town games will be with Memphis, October 3; Groom, October 10; and Lefors, November 14.

Quarterhorse Wins Two 2nd Places

"Texas Sam," quarterhorse owned by Buck Henley of McLean, took second place in the quarterhorse show held at the Childress State Fair last week. Judging was held Friday.

Henley also entered the horse at the Clarendon show on Saturday, and took second place there.



DR. J. HOWARD WILLIAMS, who will attend the annual North Fork Association in the Baptist Church in Wellington Thursday, October 2.

Baptist Meet At Wellington On October 2

A world-wide program of relief and evangelism in which each Baptist church in Texas will be asked to participate will be described at the annual meeting of the North Fork Association in the Baptist church at Wellington, Thursday, October 2.

Representatives from 28 Baptist churches in this area will report on the progress of their various organizations and department during the past year and make plans for the coming months.

Dr. J. Howard Williams, executive secretary of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, will stress the importance of every church member's sharing in the world relief program soon to be outlined by the executive committee of the Baptist World Alliance.

Recently returned from the World Alliance meeting in Copenhagen where he saw the dire need of the people, Dr. Williams has said: "What all of our people can do immediately will not be enough to relieve the starving nations. We must not be selfish in days like these. We need the strength of character that comes from giving."

He also emphasized that "Every car load of food and clothing sent must be steeped in the gospel. The people in these war-torn countries are hungry physically, but more so spiritually."

Dr. Williams will urge the representatives of the Association to (Continued on back page)

Expenditures Include Road Paving Work

A 1948 budget calling for expenditures of \$485,756.57 by Gray County during the coming year as approved by the commissioners court in a special session held last Saturday in the county court room.

The budget includes a \$75,000 quota to be used for farm-to-market paving in the county. The paving project will be granted an additional \$25,000 by the state under the new highway department policy, and, when completed, the state will take over maintenance of the paved portion.

A breakdown of other expenditures is as follows: general fund, \$57,022.41; interest and sinking fund, \$56,494.99; officers salary fund, \$90,834.77; permanent improvement fund, \$28,550; and jury fund, \$76,634.41.

Road and bridge expenses were divided as follows: bridge construction and repair, \$36,111; caliche road base construction, 730,000; road paving with state highway participation, 775,000; and borrow pit and miscellaneous road expenditures, 63,268.

Allowances for precinct roads and bridges were as follows: Precinct 1, \$24,000; Precinct 2, \$45,750; Precincts 3 and 4, \$21,000 each.

The budget for the year was built around a 95 per cent collection expectancy of a \$29,000,000 valuation for the county, commissioners explained.

The question of expediting the construction of the county hospital, for which bonds have already been approved by the voters, was discussed, but Judge Sherman White said the commissioners took no action since no federal money (Continued on back page)

-Oil News-

(Editor's Note: Unless otherwise stated, drilling is for the Warren Oil Corporation, a drilling contractor are the C. and H. Drilling Co., Inc.)

Hugh Longan No. 1, drilling at 1570 feet. Six miles east, two south of McLean, on Hugh Groom place. Loter No. 1, new location, on Mrs. T. H. Loter place, seven miles east, four miles north of McLean. Moving in tools, digging water well.

Evans No. 4, test six barrels. On A. R. Evans place, northeast of McLean.

Tigers Put the Heat on, Rip Through Wheeler Mustangs With 51-13 Score

Displaying a sprit and fire not even mentioned in the opening game with Panhandle on September 12 when they were trounced 26 to 0, the McLean Tigers came loose with all their might and slashed through a relatively weak group of Wheeler Mustangs to win by the one-sided score of 51 to 13 on Tiger Field last Friday night.

The game was never in doubt after the first touchdown was made in the initial quarter, and the Mustangs made one of their two tallies against the Tiger second string. The second string played almost two full quarters of the game.

The Tigers came out on the field a rejuvenated bunch of boys, and although definitely outclassing the lighter Wheeler eleven, the local team showed spark and those never shown in the first game at Panhandle. It was definitely McLean's game all the way.

The scoring was as follows: McLean received the kick-off

on their own 40. Wes Langham on two runs made it to the 45, and John Griffith went to the 45, and Bill Boston later-aided to Langham to get the ball to the 44. Jimmy Newton pulled out the line on the next play and Boston handed the ball off to him, Newton racing through a sizeable hole in the left side of the line to get to the 10-yard stripe. W. A. Bruner went to the 8, Langham to the 5, Boston lost the four, and then Boston passed to Griffith who went on around the left end for a touchdown. Alvin Shelton's kick was good, and the score stood at 7 to 0.

Later in the first quarter, McLean took over on the Wheeler 40. Langham went to the 36, and then Boston, the quarterback in the "T" formation, lateraled to Griffith who went to the 2-yard line. But the ball went over to Wheeler, and the Mustangs worked the ball to their own 17, only to fumble. McLean tried a pass, then Dickie Andrews pulled out his tackle position and was hand-

ed the ball, but made no gain. On the next play, Wheeler recovered McLean's fumble, but was forced to punt after three downs. The punt fell on the Wheeler 37. Griffith took the ball through an opening on the left tackle, hesitated momentarily and then raced the distance to a touchdown. Shelton's try for conversion failed, and the score was McLean 13, Wheeler 0.

Still later in the initial quarter, the Tigers took over on the Wheeler 30. Griffith, Boston, and Vineyard made three runs to place the pigskin on the 15 as the quarter ended. Boston later-aided to Griffith, but the Tigers drew a 15-yard penalty for clip ping, and the ball went back to the 30. Boston tried a pass to Bill Eudey and it fell incomplete. A repeat was made of the play, and Eudey snagged it and raced over for the third touchdown. Shelton's kick was no good, and the score stood at McLean 19, Wheeler 0.

Shortly after that, Wheeler, af-

ter receiving the kick-off, fumbled on their own 2-yard line after a bad pass from center. The ball rolled over the goal line, and was recovered by McLean to give the Tigers their fourth marker. Shelton kicked the extra point to bring the score to 26 to 0.

Coach Larry Sanders then sent in the Tiger second string. Starting with the ball on their own 42-yard line, Wheeler's Hubbard, C. Robertson, and B. Robertson by a series of plays got the ball down to the two-yard line, where B. Robertson fumbled and McLean recovered the ball.

From there Langham went to the 18, and a five-yard penalty put the ball back to the Tiger 13. L. M. Watson, freshman back passed to Johnny Vineyard to put the ball on the 49. Boston went in, passed to Johnny Haynes, who raced the distance by evading one would-be tackler for another touchdown. The score was then 32 to 0. Watson kicked the extra point, to make it 33 to 0.

The half ended shortly after that, with Wheeler in possession of the ball on their own 48-yard line.

Sanders started the Tiger second string. Wheeler took the kick-off, and worked the ball to the Tiger 18, from where Hubbard went around right end to make the score McLean 33, Wheeler 6.

B. Robertson kicked the extra point, making it 33 to 7.

The Tigers, still with the second string in, received the ball, but a penalty forced Watson to punt from the Tiger 32. The kick was partially blocked, and the Mustangs took over on the Tiger 39. Runs by C. Robertson and B. Robertson brought the ball to the 29, and a pass then fell incomplete. McLean's first string was sent back in by Sanders as the third quarter ended.

The Mustangs took the ball down to the McLean 15, then lost 10, and then Hubbard went to the 15 again. McLean drew a penalty to the 1-yard line for unnecessary roughness. One play netted no gain for the Mustangs,

and then on the next play C. Robertson plunged through the center of the line for the second and final Wheeler touchdown. McLean 45, Wheeler 13.

Robertson's kick was no good, and the score stood at 33 to 13.

The first string began moving again, receiving the kick-off on the McLean 44. Passes by Boston, and runs by Langham, Eudey, Bruner, and Griffith brought the ball to the Wheeler 20. Andrews on the off-tackle play made it to the 15, and then Boston started around left end, lateraled to Langham who went over. Billy Frank Harlan, little manager of the team, went in to try for the extra point, but his drop kick was no good. The score was 39 to 13.

The next score came after McLean took over on the Wheeler 42. After several plays, the ball wound up on the 13, and McLean drew a 15-yard penalty for holding, to put the ball on the 22. A pass fell incomplete, Bruner picked up one yard, and then Boston passed to Eudey who went

over for another marker. Harlan once more tried a drop kick, but to no avail, and the score was McLean 45, Wheeler 13.

The scoring was not all over then, however. The best was yet to come. Wheeler had the ball on their own 45, and C. Robertson attempted a pass. Then came the pay-off. Big Barney Myatt, 205-pound right tackle, suddenly found himself in possession of the pass. He fumbled the pigskin momentarily, and then started lumbering toward the goal. With five other Tigers affording him interference, he made it to the goal untouched. Harlan's drop kick, between the uprights but too low, was no good, and the score stood at 51 to 13. The game ended shortly thereafter.

Due to the many long runs made by the Tigers, the Mustangs came up with the most first downs, 15 to 11. Eleven of the Mustangs' first downs were made in the second and third quarters, when the Tiger second string was on the field.

Men Vote For These



The lightweight wool dresses for fall shown above as pictured in the September issue of Cosmopolitan magazine won the unanimous approval of a jury of notables at Cosmopolitan's Male-tested fashion display at New York's Stork Club. Jury included Jean Harsholt, Edward Everett Horton, Carmen Cavallaro, Robert Rossen, West Coast publicist, and John Reid King, radio announcer. Dresses shown in photograph were designed by Henry Rosenfeld.

Fifth Tuesday Church Council To Have Meeting

The Fifth Tuesday Council of Church Workers will meet Tuesday in the First Presbyterian Church at 3 o'clock. Following is the program for the afternoon:

Prelude; song, "To the Work;" prayer, Mrs. Nath Franks; song, "Take My Life;" offering; special, Eula Mae Scales; devotional, "Co-Workers With God," Mrs. Guy Hibler; song, "Work for the Night Is Coming;" prayer, Mrs. Homer Abbott; special, Frances Sitter; message, Rev. Karl Ernst; song, "Give of Your Best;" closing prayer, Mrs. C. C. Howard; recessional.

Wayne Back and Miss Dorothea Back left last week for Austin and Abilene where Wayne will enroll as a student at Texas University, and Dorothea at Abilene Christian College.

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McLean

Formal Tea Given In Honor Baptist Girls and Mothers

Mrs. Vester Dowell and Mrs. Homer Abbott entertained the Junior girls classes of the Baptist Sunday School and their mothers with a formal tea Thursday evening at the church parlor.

The welcome address was given by Miss LaVerne Williams; piano selections were played by Misses Ann Cooper, Barbara Nell Williams, Frankie Tucker, Ona Gail McPherson, Betty Dickinson, and Jo Ann Stevens, and Mrs. R. L. McDonald, department superintendent, made a talk.

Punch and fancy shaped cookies were served from a lace covered table with a centerpiece of daisies flanked by tall lighted tapers. Favors were pink flower decorated nut cups with mints, and napkins with the word "Mother" printed in gold.

Games were played and refreshments were served to men attending a brotherhood meeting at the same hour.

Mrs. W. S. Lentz was a visitor last Friday in Borger.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our friends of McLean for the beautiful floral offerings, the cards, and the words of sympathy extended to us in our sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Jones.
Mr. and Mrs. Travis Stokes
and Caroline.

SOCIETY

Bobbie J. Hedrick Installed Worthy Rainbow Advisor

At an impressive Rainbow public installation held in the Masonic Hall Monday night, September 8 Bobbie Jean Hedrick was installed as Worthy Advisor for the ensuing term.

The hall was decorated in rainbow colored streamers enclosing the east platform on three sides. Crosses of rainbow colors were used in various places. Yellow and white, the worthy advisor's chosen colors, and "The Old Rugged Cross" were the colors and the theme of the ceremony.

The installing officers were Marjle West, installing officer; Beth D'Spain, installing marshal; Betty Ann Wade, installing chaplain; Lota Mae Hughes, installing musician; Barbara Barrett, installing recorder.

The officers-elect were all dressed in white formals except for Miss Hedrick, who wore yellow. The installing marshal presented each officer behind the bow as her name was called by the installing recorder. Each girl carried a white Bible with rainbow ribbon streamers. Immediately after the worthy advisor was installed, the remaining officers formed a cross inside the bow, knelt and sang "The Old Rugged Cross." Marching to the east, each girl presented Miss Hedrick with a yellow or white flower which she placed in a large basket she carried.



BOBBIE JEAN HEDRICK

Bobbie Jean was then crowned worthy advisor by the installing officer.

Other officers were installed as follows: Mildred Holloway, worthy associate advisor; LaWanda Shadid, charity; Sus Davis, hope; Margaret D'Spain, faith; Darlene Shadid, chaplain; Lynna Dell Mantooth, drill leader; Waneta Hupp, love; Barbara Jeffries, religion; Evelyn June West, nature; Geraldine Florey, immortality; Jo Ann Williams, fidelity; Marilyn Grogan, patriotism; Pat Ferguson, service; Patsy Lowary, confidential observer; Mary Ruth Holloway, outer observer; Jane Williams, choir director; Norma Chapman, musician.

Miss Hedrick presented her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hedrick in the east, pinning a lovely corsage on her mother's dress. She then addressed the assembly, thanking the members for the honor they bestowed upon her and expressing her regret that Marjle West was leaving for college, and was unable to serve the assembly as worthy advisor. Bobbie presented her with a white Rainbow Bible from the assembly.

Beth D'Spain, the junior past worthy advisor, was escorted to the east and Mildred Holloway presented her with a past worthy advisor's pin from the assembly. Beth gave a report of the progress of the assembly during her term of office.

Mrs. Delma Butrum, mother advisor, presented the merit badges and service bars to each girl who had rendered any service to the assembly during the past four months. Three girls having already earned their string of merit bars, were presented with Rainbow bracelets for their outstanding services. They were Marjle West, Betty Ann Wade, and Lota Mae Hughes.

The public was invited to join

the assembly in singing "My Rainbow" after which they were dismissed.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were furnished and prepared by Mrs. W. W. Shadid and Mrs. June Woods. Mrs. Guy Hedrick poured the punch, and Sherry Newsome and Barbara Beck assisted her in serving the guests and members.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harlan and family are in Amarillo this week attending the Tri-State Fair. Miss Maurine Harlan planned to enter the all-girl rodeo.

Mrs. Arthur Dwyer was a Sunday visitor in Lefors with her mother, Mrs. Walter Todd.

Damon Wade of Pampa is visiting friends in McLean this week.

Visitors Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Campbell were Mrs. Laura Campbell, and Mrs. Tom Salem of Turley, Mrs. Lucy Crow, Mrs. L. C. Jones and Mrs. Mannon Nix, of Shamrock.

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46 oz. can

25c

Salad Dressing

MIRACLE WHIP

quart jar

54c

Orange Juice

46 oz. can

25c

Compound

Mrs. Tucker's

3 lb. can

89c

Tomatoes

No. 2 can

12c

Tea Tenderleaf

8 oz. pkg 43c

SUNSHINE CRACKERS

2 lb box 39c

MARKET

HOMINY

No. 2 can 10c

OLEO

MAYFLOWER ONLY

pound

32c

BACON

SQUARES

pound

49c

STEW MEAT

pound

29c

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Eula Mae Lively, Kenneth Wilson Wed in Shamrock

Miss Eula Mae Lively, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd C. Lively became the bride of Kenneth Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Wilson of Shamrock, Tuesday afternoon, September 16, at the First Baptist Church in Shamrock, with Rev. Edward C. Derr, pastor officiating.

Vows were exchanged at the altar with the couple standing beneath an arch entwined with ivy. The nuptial space was marked with tall white floor baskets of white asters and fern, with tapers in wrought iron candelabra. Miss Patsy Porter sang "Always," accompanied at the piano by Miss Sue Davis, who also played the traditional wedding marches.

Mrs. Bill Grant of Syracuse, N. Y., sister of the bride, was matron-of-honor. She wore a dress of black crepe with black accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds and carnations.

Harold Landrum served as best man. Bill Grant of Syracuse, N. Y., brother-in-law of the bride, and Claude Piller, brother-in-law of the groom, served as ushers. Candles were lighted by Miss Sue and Minnie Lively, sisters of the bride.

The bride, who entered on the arm of her grandfather, H. B. Roth, was attired in a dress of teal blue crepe, lace trimmed with short draped sleeves and ruffled peplum at the waist line. She wore a black hat and black accessories. She carried a Bibb topped with gardenias and showered with streamers of white satin ribbon.

Mrs. Lively, mother of the bride, and Mrs. Wilson, mother of the groom, wore dresses of black crepe with matching accessories and corsages of pink carnations.

Mrs. Wilson is a graduate of McLean High School and at the time of her marriage was employed at the West Texas Utilities company at Shamrock.

The bridegroom is a graduate of the Shamrock High School and served in the navy for 18 months with overseas service in Japan. Following a brief wedding trip, the couple will make their home in Wellington where Mr. Wilson is employed at the Modern Market.

Pioneer Club Has Meeting in Home of Mrs. Lentz

The Pioneer Study Club met Thursday, September 18, in the home of Mrs. W. S. Lentz.

The subject of the program was "Sports Day," led by Mrs. J. H. Kritzer. Mrs. June Woods spoke on "Winter Sports," and Mrs. P. A. Pierson described the "Pheasant Capitol of the World."

Members attending were Mesdames Jim Back, C. W. Bogan, W. E. Bogan, J. D. Coleman, Emory Crockett, Logan Cummings, C. R. Griffith, J. H. Kritzer, and Clyde Magee.

Mesdames R. C. McNett, P. A. Pierson, Spencer Zitter, Earl Stubblefield, Bob Thomas, H. H. Wade, June Woods, the hostess, and a guest, Mrs. D. A. Davis.

Peasant Fashions



Young and flattering costume.

By VERA WINSTON

THE PLEASANT peasant fashion resumes its picturesque place in the summer scene. Young and flattering is this little costume that features a square necked white batiste blouse with puffed sleeves, which like the neckline are trimmed with coarse white cotton lace. The full skirt with a molded waist yoke, uses the lace trim at the waist and hem.

Jimmie Bradley, Don E. Rodgers Wed at Lefors

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Hailey of Pampa announce the marriage of their sister, Miss Jimmie Bradley, to Don E. Rodgers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rodgers of Pampa. The wedding vows were exchanged August 21.

The wedding was read in the L. Call home at Lefors, with Rev. N. S. Daniels, pastor of the First Methodist Church officiating.

The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rodgers, parents of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Rodgers is a graduate of McLean High School and has been employed by the P. W. Woolworth company the past two years.

Mr. Rodgers is a graduate of Lefors High School and spent two and one-half years in military service. He is now employed by the Smith Plumbing company.

After a wedding trip to Denver, Colo., the couple is now at home at 416½ W. Browning, Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Henley of Hereford are visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Graham went fishing this week at Lake McClellan.



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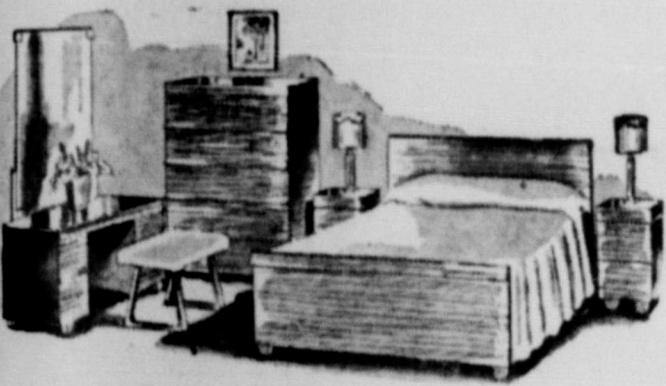
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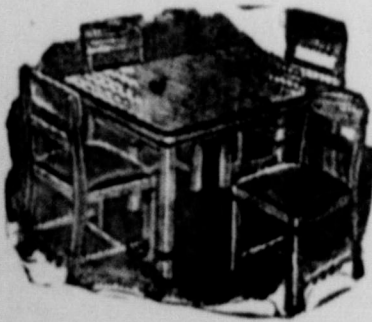
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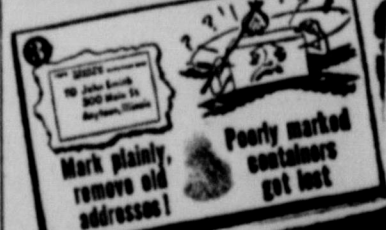
Mrs. L. A. Jamar of Claude is here visiting with her daughters Mrs. L. F. Gunn and Mrs. A. B. McPherson.

W. L. Hancock returned to his home in McLean Monday after he recently underwent a major operation in an Amarillo hospital. His daughter, Mrs. Neal McBroom of Skellytown, returned home with him for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Berl Puett and family of Pampa were week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kramer.

Mrs. Ernest Jones of Shamrock was a McLean visitor Monday.

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Editorials

WHAT HAPPENED TO THE HOSPITAL?

ALMOST EVERY DAY someone inquires at The News office about the community hospital which McLean is (or was?) going to have. Frankly The News does not know anything about it.

That is, we don't have any late dope about it. The story up to date, as far as we know, is not long, and here it is:

Work to form a community cooperative hospital was first started, we understand, some time in the spring of 1946. A drive for members was made, and quite a few families joined, or agreed to join. Then interest lagged.

Interest was once again rejuvenated in the fall of 1946 and more members joined. Interest again lagged. Around the first of 1947, another drive was made, and the membership increased to slightly more than 100. Workers felt that the time had come when the membership was great enough to warrant considerable action.

A permanent board of directors and officers were elected by the membership at a mass meeting. The directors then sought and received the aid of the city in buying a building at the former Prisoner of War camp. The building was bought for only \$100, and the city agreed to move it into town and place it on a lot selected by the board of directors, and then lease it to the hospital organization.

It is our understanding that a site was chosen, but the building was never moved in. As far as we know, it is still at the POW camp. It is also our understanding that other sites were advanced as possible locations, but nothing definite in the way of an agreement was apparently ever reached.

The News does not propose to point out whose fault it is that the affair has dragged along. It probably is the fault of the board of directors, but it might be the fault of the city officials. It might be the fault of The News for not mentioning it more often.

We really don't know whose fault it is that there is still no building here for the hospital. We do not know whether the hospital would even be successful. It might be, and then again it might not be—that would have to be seen.

Regardless of whose fault it is that the affair has lagged, it behooves the members of the board of directors in our opinion, to do something—either get the building moved in and try to get the hospital going, or disband and refund the money paid in by prospective members. Who knows—some of the people who paid for their \$50 membership might need the money if they are not to have a membership in a hospital.

Farm Bureau to Meet in Clarendon

A series of 23 Farm Bureau district meetings will be held in Texas September 29 through October 14. It has been announced by J. Walter Hammond, president of the state organization. In order that more farmers

will be able to attend and take part in the discussions, two meetings have been scheduled for the district 1 area. One will be held in Mulkey Theatre at Clarendon on Wednesday, October 1; the other will be held in the Herring Hotel at Amarillo on Thursday, October 2. The meetings will start at 10 o'clock, and Joe M. Hatton of Amarillo, state director, will preside.

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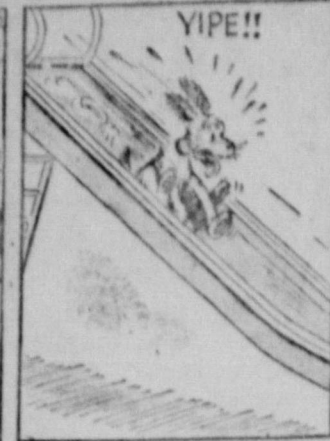
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To the Tigers:

In behalf of practically every McLean football fan, I want to take this means of complimenting every one of you squadmen for the fine game you played against Wheeler last Friday night. The compliment is not particularly because of the 51 to 13 score, although everyone naturally wants to win, but the way in which you played to get that score.

Yes, I saw the Panhandle game, too. There were eleven men on the playing field at Panhandle, and although it may have been the same eleven against Wheeler, the spirit of the men was not the same. Against Wheeler, you Tigers, all of you, both first and second stringers, played with your hearts as well as your bodies. If you had been on the small end of that score, and played with the same spirit as you displayed, it would still have been a good game.

Granted is the fact that Wheeler does not have the same quality of team as Panhandle. But if you had played against Panhandle as you did against Wheeler, the result of the game would have been different. You might not have won the game, but at least the Panthers, including that 200-pound Warren in the backfield, would have known you were there.

There were many standout players on the Tiger team during the Wheeler game. Big Dickie Andrews ripped through from his tackle position time and time again to nip the Mustangs for losses. So did Jimmy Newton and so did Barney Myatt. And Myatt went a little further intercepted a pass, and ran on for a touchdown, probably the only touchdown he will make. Myatt looked a little surprised when he fumbled the ball in his hands momentarily, but he lumbered down the field with excellent interference to cross the goal line standing up.

You ends played a much better brand of ball than you did against Panhandle. Alvis Shelton placed-kicked the ball like a professional for each of the several kick-offs to Wheeler. Bill Eudey snagged several passes to make a good showing.

In the backfield, Bill Boston's cool quarterbacking was effective and his passes were most accurate. L. M. Watson's passes were accurate, but a little too smoky for some of the receivers to handle. As a freshman, with three more years to go, Watson promises to make one of the best backs in Tiger history.

John Griffith, who already is known as the hardest runner on the team, came through with more good runs, and also with some excellent pass receiving. Wes Langham and Johnny Vineyard also made nice runs, and caught some nice passes. W. A. Bruner, and also "Little" Bruner, got in some nice runs. Johnny Haynes, fleet runner, got loose a few times, and also snagged a beautiful pass to run for a touchdown. Centers Smith and Brooks played heads-up football the entire game.

As a matter of fact, you Tigers both the first and second stringers, did well. We fans were even proud that the score got high enough for the coach to send in little Billy Frank Harlan to try his drop-kicking. His three trials were all failures, but the third nearly made it, and Harlan, the

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little manager can now feel that he, too, is a member of the team.

The point to remember, Tigers, is that with the spirit you displayed in the Wheeler game, you have found that you can play and can make your training pay off. You may not win every game, but you will make the opposition realize you were there if you continue to improve.

You rest this week-end, although it would probably be better if you had a game so that you might continue your improvement. Then you play Memphis, a team which this year is much better coached than the group of Cyclones you met here last year.

Something else you might remember. Memphis is having a big celebration the week-end you play that team, and they will be all fired up to show their homelands what they can do. No doubt they will be out for blood. But if you play like you did against Wheeler, the blood will be theirs.

Pyorrhea Not Incurable, Says Health Officer

Contrary to the popular belief that pyorrhea is incurable, this is only true in the most advanced cases. Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer, advises those persons who even suspect the presence of pyorrhea to seek an early diagnosis from their dentist so that proper treatment can be instituted while the disease is still curable.

Early detection and proper treatment of pyorrhea represent the formula for a successful cure. This means that the dentist must have an opportunity to discover the presence of the disease at the earliest possible moment since the symptoms are often so vague that the patient is unaware of its existence," Dr. Cox said. Regular visits to the family dentist are therefore extremely important.

The treatment of pyorrhea is not an involved procedure. In the average early case one of the main therapeutic features is the proper hygienic care of teeth and gums as outlined by any reputable dentist. Carelessness regarding mouth hygiene is usually the basic cause for the condition.

The family dentist can usually remove the cause of the trouble, Dr. Cox said, and when this is done, intelligent routine home care of the mouth by the patient will effect a cure in the majority of early cases.

Admiral Ingram, public relations officer in the navy department before the war, while serving as wartime commander, Fourth Fleet with headquarters at Recife, Brazil established a fleet newspaper that was so popular it was widely read by Brazilians and widely quoted in the Brazilian press.

While commanding the Fourth Fleet, Admiral Ingram also developed a model farm which supplied his naval forces in the South Atlantic with fresh vegetables and meats. Brazilian students of agriculture visited the farm to study the latest methods used there.

Admiral Ingram is one of three brothers who made navy athletic history and is father of the fourth Ingram to excel in sports at Annapolis. In 1906 Jonas scored the only touchdown in Navy's first victory over Army in seven years. His brother, "Navy Bill," starred in 1915-16 when Jonas was the Academy coach. In 1926, Jonas was director of athletics and "Navy Bill" was coach. Their star that year was Tom Hamilton, present Navy coach.

NOTICE TO MACHINERY DEALERS

The Commissioner's Court of Gray County, Texas, will receive bids addressed to the County Auditor, Pampa, Texas, until 10:00 a. m., October 13, 1947, for the purchase of one diesel powered motor grader of not less than 75

horse power. Trade-in will be one Allis Chalmers No. 54 motor grader and the balance will be paid in cash within thirty days of delivery and acceptance.

Bids shall be accompanied by bond as provided by Article No. 2368 RCS and shall be opened and read in the County Court room at the time and date set out above.

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SUNDAY SERVICES—
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6:30 p. m.
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Bible Study: 4 p. m.
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W. S. C. S.: 4 p. m.
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Choir Practice: 7:30 p. m.

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Earl Ernst, Pastor
SUNDAY SERVICES—
Sunday School: 10 a. m.
Morning Worship: 11 a. m.
Westminster Fellowship Society:
7:30 p. m.
Evening Worship: 7:30 p. m.
TUESDAY—
Ladies Auxiliary: 2:30 p. m.
WEDNESDAY—
Bible Study: 7:15 p. m.
Choir Practice: 8 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
M. W. Chaffin, Minister
SUNDAY SERVICES—
Bible Study: 10 a. m.
Morning Worship: 11 a. m.
Evening Worship: 8 p. m.
WEDNESDAY—
Mid-Week Study: 8 p. m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Nath Franks, Pastor
SUNDAY SERVICES—
Sunday School: 10 a. m.
Morning Worship: 11 a. m.
Young People's Service: 7:30 p. m.
Evangelistic Services: 8 p. m.
THURSDAY—
Prayer Meeting: 8 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
SUNDAY SERVICES—
Sunday School: 10 a. m.
Morning Worship: 11 a. m.
N. Y. P. S.: 6:45 p. m.
Evening Hour Worship: 7:45 p. m.
WEDNESDAY—
Mid-Week Prayer Service: 7:30
p. m.
THURSDAY—
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Thursdays, 7:30 p. m.

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH
Mrs. C. C. Howard, Pastor
SUNDAY SERVICES—
Sunday School: 10 a. m.
Morning Worship: 11 a. m.
Young People's Meeting: 6:30
p. m.
Evening worship: 7:30 p. m.
WEDNESDAY—
Prayer Meeting: 8 p. m.
SATURDAY—
Proaching: 8 p. m.

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Sunday School: 9:30 a. m.
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NEWS FROM LIBERTY

Services each Sunday evening at 7 o'clock with S. R. Jones, minister.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Cunningham had as guests last week Mr. and Mrs. Noah Cunningham of Quail, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cunningham of Albuquerque, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Corbin and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Stokes and Caroline of McLean were visitors in the community and were at services Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Stokes and boys went to Dozier Sunday.

Mrs. Kate Stokes and her sister, Mrs. Lennie Kinzey of Fort Worth, were Amarillo visitors last week. Mrs. Kinzey returned to her home Wednesday of last week.

Kenneth Davis of Borger spent the week-end with his parents.

Personals

Mrs. George Orrick left Sunday for Holbrook, Ariz., to be with her sister, Mrs. J. Reese, and son Jimmy Don. Jimmy Don is in a hospital at Holbrook suffering from recent burns sustained at their home in Navajo, Ariz. His condition is reported as serious.

Miss Betty Andrews of Amarillo visited Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Mertel and Toni.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jones were week-end visitors with relatives in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Jones of Sunray visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Jones.

What to Serve for Dinner When "It's too Hot to Eat"

By **BETSY NEWMAN**

MEALS for the warm days of summer should be refreshing to the eye and taste. Fruits and fresh vegetables, the first cooked and chilled, the second cooked well, but not overcooked, and also served raw should be played up in your menus if your family is inclined to mean that "It's too hot to eat."

Oranges and grapefruit, among our most refreshing and appetite-appealing fruits, are more scarce during the summer, but one can get them to combine in fruit salads, and citrus fruit juices in cans are always available. Citrus fruits, as you know, are the richest source of Vitamin C, with tomatoes, also a good source of that important vitamin, although not containing as large an amount as the citrus fruits.

Peel and remove white skin from oranges and grapefruit. Arrange alternate, overlapping slices or sections of fruit on beds of crisp lettuce. A few sprigs of watercress may be added if you can get it. Serve chilled with French dressing and at the last minute, sprinkle with finely chopped mint leaves if you like the flavor. You can serve a whipped cream and mayonnaise or boiled dressing with this salad if you wish. I prefer French dressing. To my mind it is more refreshing. Serves 6.

- Today's Menu**
- Salmon Loaf
 - Creamed Leftover Potatoes
 - Fresh Fruit Salad
 - Frenched Green Beans
 - Cookies
 - Tea, Hot or Iced
- Cherry Salad**
- Fresh or canned cherries may be used, but the canned are easier to pit. Remove stones from cherries and fill the cavities with cream cheese. Arrange the cherries on beds of lettuce, endive or watercress, and serve with boiled dressing mixed with a little whipped cream.
- Grapefruit and Orange Salad**
- 1 large grapefruit
 - 3 oranges
 - lettuce
 - French dressing
 - Chopped mint

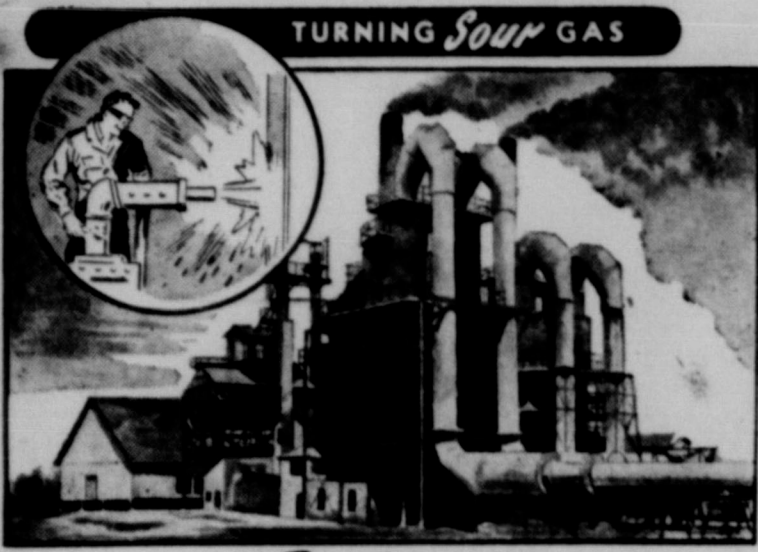
Frozen Fruit Salad

- 1 1/2 c. fruit, fresh 1 tsp. instant or canned
- 1 c. mayonnaise 2 tsp. cold 1 tsp. powdered water
- sugar 1 pt. cream

Special Dressing for Fruit Salad

- 4 egg yolks 1/2 tsp. salt
- well beaten 2 tsp. butter
- 4 tsp. sugar 1/2 pt. heavy cream
- 4 tsp. vinegar

Cook egg yolks, sugar, salt and vinegar in double boiler. As soon as they begin to thicken, remove from fire and add butter. When cold, combine with the cream which has been beaten stiff. Mix the salad dressing with the fruit one-half hour before serving.



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More than 1,600 residents of Hall County have important jobs and specific roles to make the first annual West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic and Ceramics Carnival in Memphis October 2-4 a success. The entire citizenship has accepted committee assignments in anticipation of the largest crowd in the history of the "Green Belt" area.

Many stories could be written about the detail work each committee is doing. But through the combined efforts of all, Memphis is ready for the invasion of fun-seekers for the "Mardi Gras" of West Texas which will not only provide around-the-clock fun and frolic for thousands but will exploit the natural and industrial resources of West Texas.

All exhibits, and many are from America's leading manufacturers and cotton and chemurgic councils, must be in place by 6 p. m. October 2. Space is free to all cities, counties and displaying firms. The exhibitors will display and demonstrate their machines and products October 3-4 constantly.

All queens must be entered by the same hour and each lovely lass will be entertained throughout the occasion. The coronation will be the night of October 4, when some girl, residing outside of Memphis, will be proclaimed

and crowned "Maid of West Texas." The winner will also receive an all-expense-paid vacation to the city of her choice on the North American continent.

The Dudley Shows, featuring a gala midway, starts the carnival week September 29, featuring colorful shows, rides and carnival concessions. The shows will continue through October 4.

The Memphis Stampede, a performance rodeo as staged by Ralph and Bill Jones, Amarillo, and an R. C. A. open show will be presented each night of October 2-3-4 and the afternoon of October 4, featuring the nation's outstanding contract performers, a cow girl sponsor contest, and the top hands of the rodeo world. Friday, October 3, will be devoted to carnival fun, rodeo thrills, inspection of a city full of exhibits and displays and a football game between McLean and Memphis.

There will be many speeches, motion pictures, radio broadcast newsreel shots, press and magazine pictures and other outstanding events through the day.

There will be all night dancing each of the three nights to the strains of Slick Robinson and his "Sons of the West." His dances start at 8 o'clock each evening, continuing until midnight, then starting at 2 a. m. and continuing until dawn.

Many impromptu shows and

vaudeville acts are slated on these programs each day and night, according to Memphis officials.

The queen candidates and their escorts, chaperones, and invited guests will be guests of the Federation of Clubs on Friday and Saturday. Dances, teas, presentations and informal gatherings are planned.

But Saturday, October 4, is "Mardi Gras of West Texas Day." Starting at 10 o'clock the most colorful parade ever staged in West Texas will be led by Gov. eBauford H. Jester, a host of state and federal dignitaries, horses, riders, bands, floats and thrilling processional units as designed by leading communities of West Texas.

An aerial salute will be presented by the Plainview Junior chamber of commerce which promises the outstanding thrill of 1947.

Remembering the rodeo, carnival, dances, exhibits, parades, impromptu shows speaking, etc., the visitor has another outstanding attraction awaiting him the evening of October 4 when a world championship wrestling match staged by Dory Detton, Amarillo promoter, takes the spotlight to be followed by the crowning of the queen and another all-night dance.

Memphis residents admit they do not have enough rooms to accommodate the anticipated crowds. They know no other city could accommodate such crowds. But Memphis has planned a 24-hour-per-day entertainment calendar all members of the family will enjoy.

Balloons of helium content souvenirs, all the attractions of fun, ranging from a county fair to a Mardi Gras, have been arranged. Every visitor, regardless of age, color or sex, race or creed will find something going on every minute in Memphis from 6 p. m. October 2 until sun up October 5, appealing to their desire, whether it's educational knowledge or thrilling fun that's wanted.

Mrs. E. B. Denton of Knox City is in McLean visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Birdie Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mertel were visitors Sunday in Amarillo.

Mrs. Frank Smith of Amarillo is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Paul Mertel.

Mrs. A. B. Word of Alabaster visited last week with her daughter, Mrs. George Orrick and family.

Earl Northcott of Chillicothe spent the week-end in McLean with Mrs. Earl Northcott.

Mrs. Joe Graham returned last week from a visit in California with relatives.

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PRINCESS MARGARET is shown planting a tree on the grounds of Brodick Castle on the Isle of Arran, as the Duke of Montrose looks on. The young princess visited the small island, off the west coast of Scotland, as the guest of the Duke and the Duchess of Montrose. (Internationally)

Roast of Beef for Dinner

By BETSY NEWMAN

THE roast beef I'm suggesting for Sunday dinner should be roasted on a rack in an oblong shaped pan or roaster. A low heat, say 300 to 425 F. is best to preserve the goodness of the meat and prevent it drying out. When you roast potatoes with the meat, however, to brown them nicely, you should see that they touch the fat in the pan. You may baste them occasionally with the fat, and turn them at least once to see that they brown all over.

Today's Menu
 Roast Ribs of Beef
 Yorkshire Pudding
 Franconia Potatoes
 Green Beans
 Ice Cream
 Cake or Cookies
 Coffee

Yorkshire Pudding
 1 c. milk
 1 c. flour
 1/2 tsp. salt
 2 eggs

Put flour, salt, milk and eggs to rother in a bowl, beat well with a rotary beater or electric mixer. Pour meat drippings into a shallow pan to cover bottom of pan. Heat, and when hot, pour batter in quickly. Bake one-half hour in a hot oven (400 to 425 F.). The pudding may then be placed under the rack that holds the roast beef and left for 15 minutes to catch the gravy that flows from the roast. Or it may simply be cut and squares laid around the roast when it is served.

Franconia Potatoes
 Wash and pare smooth, round

potatoes of uniform size. Cover with cold water and let stand 5 minutes. Then drain and place in pan in which meat is roasting. Bake until soft (1 hour), basting occasionally with fat in pan and turning once or twice so that they may brown all over.

Peach Ice Cream
 3 c. thin cream
 1 c. crushed fresh peach pulp
 4 egg whites
 1 tsp. or more lemon juice

Sugar
 Combine cream, salt and egg whites. Freeze to a mush, then add fruit pulp, sugar and lemon juice to taste, and finish freezing. Makes 1 1/2 qts.

Refrigerator Ice Cream
 2 c. milk
 2 tsp. gelatin
 1/2 c. sugar or 1/4 c. sugar and 2 egg whites

Put flour, salt, milk and eggs to rother in a bowl, beat well with a rotary beater or electric mixer. Pour meat drippings into a shallow pan to cover bottom of pan. Heat, and when hot, pour batter in quickly. Bake one-half hour in a hot oven (400 to 425 F.). The pudding may then be placed under the rack that holds the roast beef and left for 15 minutes to catch the gravy that flows from the roast. Or it may simply be cut and squares laid around the roast when it is served.

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McLaughlins Given Dinner by S. S. Of Baptist Church

Sunday School officers and teachers of the McLean Baptist Church honored Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McLaughlin with a dinner in the church basement Wednesday night, September 17. The McLaughlins have moved from McLean to Dumas to make their home.

Mr. McLaughlin had been Sunday School superintendent for the past five years. He tendered his resignation following a speech of appreciation to his staff of workers.

In Loving Memory
 Of Our Mother Who Passed Away
 Twelve Years Ago Sept. 27

Days of sadness oft come o'er us
 Tears of sorrow often flow,
 Love shall always keep you near us,
 Tho' you left us years ago,
 Ne'er shall you be forgotten,
 Never from our memory fade,
 Loving thoughts will always linger
 Around you and the place where
 you are laid.

The Haynes Family
 Mrs. Fred Bentley and Mrs. Guy Hibler were visitors last Thursday in Pampa.

The U. S. navy's XM-1 airplane, which set a new world record of 170 hours in the air without refueling, had 200 gallons of fuel remaining at the end of its flight.

Dr. Joel M. Gooch
 Optometrist
 200 S. Wall
 Shamrock, Texas

Whenever Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, USN, chief of naval operations in the United States navy, visits his home state of Texas he changes the buttons in his uniform and wears those of the Texas navy, a small but potent "fleet" of vessels which protected the coastline of the state from 1936 to 1845, when it was incorporated into the United States navy.

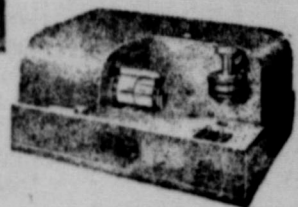
Nimitz was commissioned an admiral in the Texas navy on October 12, 1945. Last year he learned that the Scoville Manufacturing company of Waterbury, Conn., had found the dies from which they had made the buttons for the uniforms of persons in the Texas navy and he immediately asked them to make him a set.

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Family Reunion Held in Home of Mrs. W. E. Kennedy

A family reunion was held Sunday, September 21 in the home of Mrs. W. E. Kennedy, honoring her sister, Miss Alice Hommel of Dallas, who has been visiting friends and relatives here and at Albreed and Clearendon.

Relatives and friends attending, were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gaine and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Keller and family of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennedy and family of Quail, and Vernon Turner of Pampa.

Willie Mae Moore Named Honoree At Bridal Shower

Honoring Miss Willie Mae Moore, bride-elect of Royce L. Brooks of Dumas, Mrs. Dusty Rhodes, Mrs. Clyde Willis, Mrs. R. L. Appins, and Mrs. C. P. Callahan entertained with a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. Clyde Willis on Tuesday afternoon, September 23, at 2:30 o'clock.

Guests wrote their advice to the honoree on a piece of paper, a reading on "How to Preserve a Husband" was given by Mrs. Wynetta Jones; and a poem, "The Little Home," was given by Miss Odelle Christie.

Attending were Mesdames Wayne Brister, George Van Huss, R. T. Moore, Ruth Howard, Bob Massey, W. T. Moore, A. R. Clawson, Guy Beasley, Joe Beasley Sr., Blonny Mercer, John Ledbetter, Juanita Jones, R. D. Patterson, and Leo Gibson.

Misses Jo Ann Howard, Odelle Christie, Etie Rhea, and Mildred Holloway

Sending gifts were Mesdames Betty Smith, J. A. Meador, John B. Rice, Bill Carpenter, Bob Black, Haskell Smith, Arthur Moore, Buck Glass, Odessa Gunn, J. A. Brawley, Everett Hall, John Dwyer, Joe Willis, and Boyd Meador.

Mesdames Sam McClellan, Vita Cooke, Boyd Reeves, Lucille Parker, H. W. Brooks, George Preston, Junior Holman, Elwyn Corbin, Jo Burrows, J. L. Andrews, R. N. McMahan, Granville Boyd, and H. W. Grigsby.

Mesdames Pete Fulbright, Mattie Graham, Gordon Billigales, Thery, Brooks, Charles Weaver, Frank Magerkurth, Lady Bryant, Elen Williams, Susan Van Huss, Wayland Ayers, and E. M. Christie.

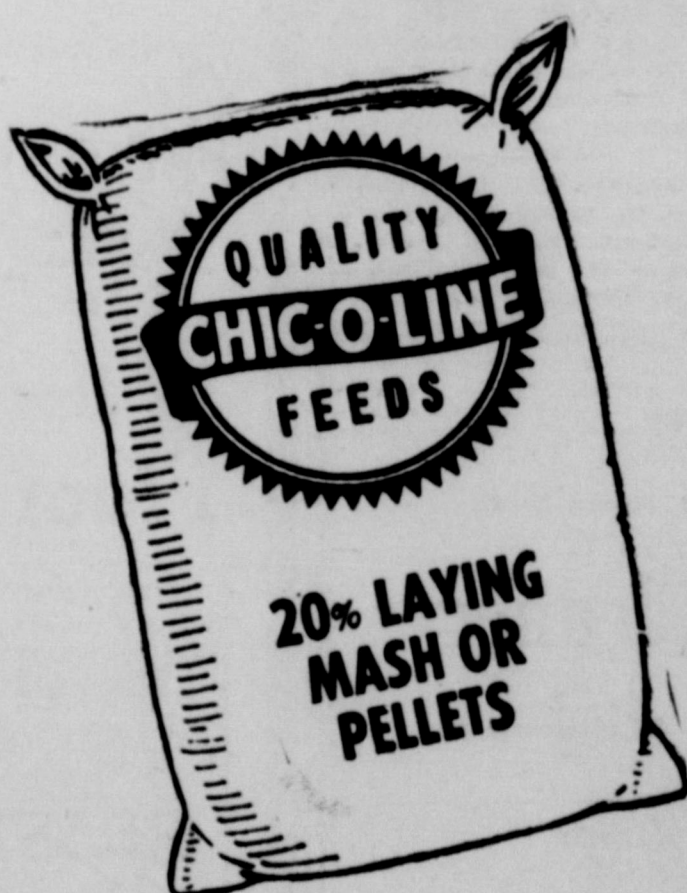
Misses Peggy Ledbetter, Harline Moore, Billie Faye Glass, Edna Duncan, Nadine Boyd, LeVerne Williams, Ann Wilson, Iva Nora Simpson, Etie Christie, Mary Lee Stevens, and Carol Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weems of Wheeler were visitors Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Meador and attended the Wheeler-McLean football game.

Miss Norma Joanne Wode has returned to Oklahoma University at Norman, where she is a senior in the school of library science.

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NEWS FROM KELLERVILLE

Mrs. Odell Blackwell and son of Abilene, and Mrs. J. Norwood of Corsicana visited the R. M. Holley home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brent Chapman spent the week-end visiting Rev. and Mrs. W. O. Cooley at Chickasha, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bruton and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Bruton of Amarillo spent the week-end in Norman, Okla., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Bruton and their young daughter, Dee Ann.

Attending the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo Monday were Mrs. Carl Hill, Mrs. Harris D'Spain, and Mrs. Jack Boyd.

A moving picture show will be

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shown at the school auditorium each Monday night. The public is invited to attend.

Walter Elliott is convalescing at his home after a tonsillectomy at Shamrock General Hospital.

The Home Demonstration Club met last Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Brent Chapman. The demonstration was given on the tailoring of suits by the county agent, Mrs. Hastings. Those attending were Mrs. Ray Gousett, Mrs. Veri Tinkler, Mrs. Jack Boyd, Mrs. Dee Johnson, Mrs. Clarence Drum, Mrs. Elmer Immel, Mrs. James McClellan, Mrs. Lewis McDonald, Mrs. Hastings, and the hostess.

Visiting in the R. M. Holley home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Pool of Lela, and Mrs. Jess Caskey and family of Berger. Edith Higdon fell out of a tree at the Royal Camp and broke her arm. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harris visited the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. Johnnie Back spent the week-end in Abilene with Mr. and Mrs. Oran Back.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cortis were visitors in Pampa Saturday.



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For Men Only—See us now about our Christmas lay-away plan. Franks Furniture

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Wanted—Laundry work in my home. Wet wash, dried, or finished. Phone 1609P2. Mrs. C. M. Corcoran. 29-5c

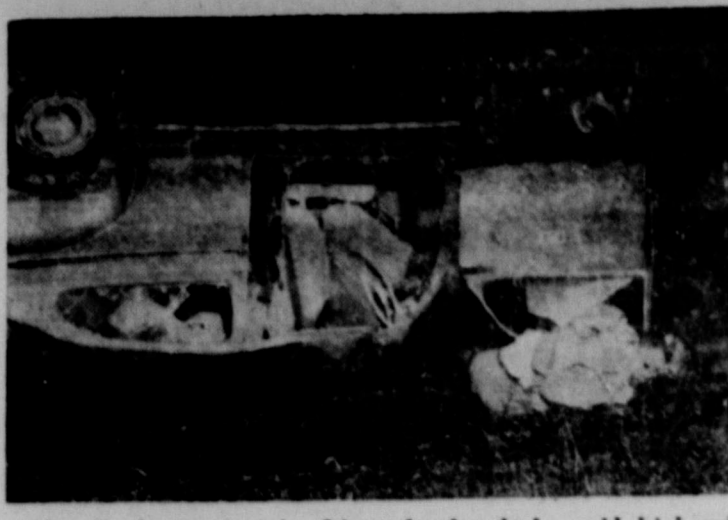
I have combine, will do custom threshing. W. L. Hinton. 38-2p

LOST AND FOUND

Lost—Strayed from my home, black and white 2 months old pig. Finder notify Mrs. C. C. Dalton. 1p

Lost—Person who borrowed our linoleum roller, please return it. Callahan Plumbing and Gift Shop.

For truth and duty it is ever the fitting time; who waits until circumstances completely favor his undertaking, will never accomplish anything—Luther.



Here lie the remains of a driver who thought he could drink and still drive a car. Racing down the highway at a dangerous speed, his car wandered off the edge of the pavement, dragged on the sandy shoulder, and was wrenched into a spin. Drunken drivers are potential murderers of every other motorist who comes near them on the road. They were involved in more than 5,000 fatal accidents last year. National Conservation Bureau safety specialists say even one or two drinks slow up reactions, make judgment unsure, increase chances of accident three to four times.

Cool Weather In Local Area Still Prevalent

Cool weather continued to hold sway in the McLean area during the past week, with many of the nights finding the temperatures ranging down below the 50-degree mark.

Most of the days, however, were comparatively warm, although the exceedingly hot days which came early in September have not recurred since the showers early in the month.

Light winds have also been blowing at night, and during some of the days, although most of the daytime hours have been fairly quiet.

Cotton pulling got underway slowly, as did harvesting of the short feed crop. The cool weather has aided both crops to a great extent, since much damage was inflicted during the hot early-September days.

Baptists Plan Week's Revival

The First Baptist Church of McLean will hold a revival beginning October 5, and continuing through October 12, it was announced this week.

Conducting the services will be Rev. Ray Stephens, pastor, and leading the song services will be Fred M. Sponseller, local band and choral director.

Services will be held twice daily, at 10 o'clock in the morning and at 7:30 o'clock each evening, the pastor said.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Blaylock are the parents of a son born September 11. He weighed 8 pounds and four ounces, and has been named Roy Edward.

Mrs. D'Spain—

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son County, near Howe. She was married to D'Spain June 4, 1889, at Sherman, and moved to McLean in 1905. In 1916 they bought a ranch on the banks of the North Fork of Red River. When oil was discovered in the Kelerville pool, the discovery included their land. Survivors include five sons, Harris A. D'Spain of McLean, Anell C. D'Spain of Briscoe, Cecil J. D'Spain of Estancia, N. M., Thomas C. D'Spain of Abilene, and Charles D. D'Spain of Houston; one daughter, Miss Lalla D'Spain of Albuquerque, N. M., and several grandchildren.

During the invasion of the Marianas group, one of the navy's Seabees went hunting for chicken eggs. Returning with 13 of them clutched tightly in his chest, he ran into a Jap-hunting marine patrol as it began spraying the bushes with automatic fire. The Seabee hit the deck—hard. Result: 13 "shell" bursts.

When unconscious of a mistake, one thinks he is not mistaken; but this false consciousness does not change the fact, or its results; suffering and mistakes recur until one is awake to their cause and character.—Mary Baker Eddy.

YOU'RE TELLING ME!

By WILLIAM RITT
Central Press Writer

HAILE TO THE CONQUERING LION ETHIOPIA, which is a half-pint patch of orange tucked away in a corner of the map of East Africa, is rapidly becoming one of our favorite little countries, because it does so often what doesn't come naturally.

The Ethiopians are small people but they run big on courage and they've a heart as large and soft as a summer cloud.

Though flattened by war the Ethiopians refuse to hop a free ride on any international gravy train.

"Take care of more needy nations before us." Ethiopia has told the United Nations. If that isn't big league behavior

on the part of a small fry outfit, our judgment of national character needs a drastic overhauling.

While on the subject slip another bow to Haile Selassie, the five-foot-minus ruler of Ethiopia—but every inch of him spells k-i-n-g.

Through war and peace Haile has conducted himself with more dignity than any half-a-dozen European stiff shirts.

In a cry baby world in which too many countries have taken the outstretched palm as their national symbol it's refreshing to learn there is at least one outfit that doesn't expect us to foot their grocery bill.

Baptist Meet—

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give emphasis to the stewardship campaigns being conducted in the Baptist churches of Texas this fall, to aid their churches in planning financial programs to meet not only their own but world needs. He will also display new literature offered free to the churches for use in the campaigns.

Wife of Former Pastor Dies

Mrs. J. S. Huckabee, wife of a former pastor of the local Methodist Church died at her home in Georgetown Saturday, September 20, it was learned here. Funeral services were held at Georgetown Monday.

Mrs. Huckabee underwent an operation last March, and seemingly had recovered, but after a short illness death came.

Her husband, the late Rev. Huckabee, served as pastor of the McLean Methodist Church a number of years ago. Mrs. Huckabee was well known in church work, and she had visited here a number of times since Rev. Huckabee's death in 1938.

Tax Budget—

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has been earmarked for the hospital has yet. The Pampa chamber of commerce passed a resolution several weeks ago asking that the hospital work be expedited but commissioners felt that the contract should not be let until the federal money is forthcoming.

Baptists Elect Officers for Ensuing Year

Election of general officers of the First Baptist Church of McLean, to serve during the fiscal year which began September 1, was held recently. It was announced this week.

Departmental officers and teachers, who will take office October 1, are now being selected.

Heading the list of new officers who were elected was Logan Cummings, named Sunday School superintendent. He will be assisted by Howard Williams.

Other officers named were as follows: Sunday School secretary, R. L. Appling; Training Union director, Boyd Reeves; Training Union secretary, Eunice Stratton; pianist, Bonnie Willis; assistant pianist, Jo Ann Howard; assistant chorister, Mrs. Boyd Reeves.

Clerk, Eunice Stratton; treasurer, A. L. Rippey; board members, Vester Dowell; Brotherhood president, R. L. McDonald; W. M. U. president, Mrs. Homer Abbott.

Miss Betty Anne Wade is attending Texas Tech at Lubbock.

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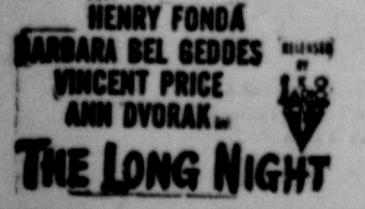
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MEATS	Top Quality Bottom Price
ROAST	rib or brisket 33c lb
Sliced	CHEESE 43c lb
BACON	Salt Side 45c lb
STEAK	AA Beef 55c lb
Clinton	PUDDING 5c
BANANAS	lb 14c
Sliced	CARROTS bunch 5c
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Fire Octol

Governor Be proclaimed Oct prevention week as well as Oct. 22 is believed will make the loss of fire. There will be insurance by the government. Fire and this week the local school but as yet no such visits have been made. Five losses in the city this year, fire losses in figures. During the year, fire losses in any 1947.

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BIRTHI
 Oct. 5—M Mrs. C. J. 3 Ga. y Nich Cunningham
 Oct. 6—M Pettit, Mrs. Switzer.
 Oct. 7—M James Mass A. Barker, 1
 Oct. 8—E Dennis.
 Oct. 9—3 Noah Smith J. Frank H
 Oct. 10— Emmett Coe
 Oct. 11—3 Jesse Cole