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McLean, Gray County, Texas, Thursday, April 7, 1949.

# King Elected Mayor by Nearly 3-to-1 Margin

### eeves, Carter, Haynes School Trustees who were already

the McLean Inde-School District board, and member, were elected total of 206 voters went

last Saturday.

the board is Wheeler Smith, the other of the board whose term not seek re-election. was the heaviest in a d eight names, with three rites. elected.

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ampaign, despite the numandidates, was fairly quiet. "politicking" was done over downtown, although some of the town also did some

political maneuvering. on officials reported that a lots were mutilated out of al of 206 votes cast.

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### **Funeral Rites** total of 206 voters went held Here for Reeves. The new Robert Barnett

Funeral services for Robert W Barnett, 33 years of age, were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the First Methodist Church in McLean, with Rev. H. A. aber of years. The bal- Longino, pastor, conducting the Barnett died March 51 at St.

Francis, Kans., where he and Mrs. Barnett were making their home. Mrs. Barnett is the former Gorda Lou Haynes of McLean. He was born August 5, 1915, at Shattuck, Okla. He became a member of the Mathodist church at the age of ten while living at Woodward, Okla., and during his service with the armed forces in World War II, his membership was with the McLean Methodist

Church. Cemetery under the direction of Claborn-Womack Funeral Home. Barnett was united in marriage with Miss Gorda Lou Haynes June 15, 1939. On October 5,

1942, he enlisted in the U.S. army and served in the Southwest Pacific area. On December 5, 1945, he received his honorable discharge from the army. For a number of years he has been Wins District a number of years he has been



THE BODY of Ensign James follows Everett, who was killed on Mindanoa, Philippine Islands, September 10. 1944, is being Burial was made in Hillcrest returned to the U.S. for burial. Funeral services for

Ensign Everett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peb Everett of Mc-Lean, are pending, awaiting the arrival of the remains in McLean.

J. W. Simmons I-H Building Andrews and Johnson Reclamation. Burvivors include his wife: his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Boxing Crown

### **Tiger Baseball** Team to Open **District Play** he McLean Tiger baseball team

vill meet its first District 2-A poonent when the group travels o Wellington Friday to play the owerful Ekyrocket nine

The Tigers last week were downd by the Pampa high team 6-3. and Monday by the Amarille Sandies 13-4. In both games, L M. Watson starred as pitcher, whiffing a number of visiting batters. Errors, however, were costly to the Tigers, but Coach Al Duncan believes many of these errors will be erased as the season progresses. The schedule thus far is

April 8-Wellington there, April 15-Shamrock here. April 18-Amarillo there. April 22-Memphis there. April 26-Wellington here. April 29-Shamrock there. May 3-Memphis here. One or two other non-con-

ference games may be scheduled, 14, at 8 o'clock. Duncan said. These games will be announced when arrangements for them are made.

The season will be climaxed with a district tournament, which probably will be held between May 6 and May 14.



overwhelmingly elected

### Senior Class **To Give Play** Next Thursday

Members of the senior class of McLean High School will present their annual play, "Desperate Ambrose," in the high school auditorium Thursday night, April

The play, a three-act farcecomedy, deals with two would-be vaudeville comedians from the East, who wind up in the Dead Man's Gulch Hotel. There, inpected, the local residents were tooking for two of the most be too great.

hard-shootin' cow-pokes, and Ambrose Groves and Bert Miller, the snow, which fell last week and age. comedians, were mistaken for the the week before have been ex-

## Davis Re-Elected City Secretary; **Beasley and Copeland Aldermen**

By a margin of nearly three-to-one over his two opponents, Harris King, formerly mayor of McLean during the 1947-48 term, was swept into the mayor's office again Tuesday when voters went to the polls in the annual city election. King received 245 votes to a total of 84 for his two opponents.

**Snow Brings** .32 of An Inch In Moisture

But the April snow which came with the opening of April last week-end may have caused some damage-not to flowers but to fruit in the area. The snow, falling Friday and Saturday, was soft and wet and covered the ground completely. Most all of the snow had melted

by late Saturday, however. Total amount of moisture brought by the snow was .32 of an inch. Pete Fulbright, local weather observer, reported. This brings the total for the year to 6.68 inches. Some fruit in the area was damaged by the drop in tempera-Friday night the therture. mometers in McLean went down low enough to kill some of the votes cast. A total of 335 people ready bloomed forth beautifully, number ever cast in a city elecstead of comedians being ex- blooms. The damage caused by paid poll taxes this year, indicat-

D. A. Davis was chosen as city secretary for another two years, winning the office by a margin of eight votes. Elected as aldermen were Guy Beasley, leading the ticket in the field of five candidates, and W. L. Copeland. J. A. Brawley was elected as the new city marshal by a 40-vote margin.

For Mayor: King, 245

J. M. Payne, 6.

For Aldermen (two elected):

Copeland, 148. Dr. J. H. Kritzler, 132. George Graham, 88. Lester Campbell, 83.

For City Marshal: Brawley, 182.

J. A. Sparks, 142.

Surprising thing about the electo about 25 degrees, a temperature tion was the large number of ruit, particularly apricots. Many went to the polls during the day, fruit trees here in town had al- to run up about the highest and the cold snap took off the tion here. Only 209 people had the freeze was not expected to ing that more than one third of the voters were those above 60 The series of showers, plus the | years of age or just 21 years of

> The campaigning quiet during most of the pretion saw much action, particularly in the race for the mayor's position.

April showers bring May flow-The voting was as follows

Guy Hibler, 78.

For City Secretary: Davis, 169.

W. E. Bogan, 161. Beasley, 171.

nt company, which has operating temporarily in the west edge of town. firm, owned by Clyde ws and Truitt Johnson, is | operating in the new build-

although all work on the ng is not complete. ing the staff of mechanics company are Amos Thacker E. J. Windom Jr. Thacker

operated his own repair in the back of the bakery ng, and is well known in . Windom, who also owns wice station and tourist here, has had considerable

different firms. are now set up to do bus n our new building and inyou to visit with us. Our

ng is not completed yet, but it that we would be able to or your needs in a better in the larger building." and Johnson stated. company serves as the ational-Harvester dealer in ritory, and will handle all tractors, implements, trucks, parts. In addition, they will ints for the I-H refrigeratnd home lockers, as well as Lite batteries.

new building, when com will be one of the larger deLean's business buildings. constructed of tile blocks, cording to specifications of all International-Harvester

and will probably be one

30 and May 1.

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mer bakery building down- of Elkins, West Va., and Mrs. survived the fisticuffs at the anin McLean, has moved to Pearl Sybrant of Bellingham, nual District 2-A tournament held

Barnett of Guymon, Okla. Pallbearers were J. T. Pyle, G. P. Hendrix, Leon Wilson, Mullinax of Clarendon in the Morey Droskin, all of St. Francis; W. J. Hayes of Davis Dam, Nev., and Abbie Moore of Woodward, Okla. An honorary pallbearer weight. was W. L. Schutz of St. Francis. Out-of-town relatives attending

arnett of Clover Lick, West

the services were Mrs. O. W. Barnett of Clover Lick, N. A. Barnett of Guymon, Earnest Barnett, Otho Barnett, Mr. and (Continued on back page)

nce in the repair business Meeting of Cotton Farmers Planned Next Wednesday

> A meeting of special interest to all cotton farmers will be held in the Avalon Theatre in McLean Wednesday, April 13, according to County Agent Ralph Thomas. The meeting will start at 2

o'clock in the afternoon. Fred T. Elliott, cotton work specialist, and F. E. Lichte, cotton ginning specialist, of the Exthe problems in production,

Slides relative to the use of harvesting will be shown.

erchants Will Rope Calves

roping-will be one of the already been awarded the con- to make the trip.

this of the American Legion tract for moving both stands.

calf roping contest featuring the new site for the stadium in ers a string band, and possibly

ants of McLean-some of the northwest part of town. Barnes the high school band if arrange-

are not too expert at the and Son of Hollis, Okla, have ments can be made for the band

thas already contacted a Luke Henley. Sherrod is in noon, May 1, at 2 o'clock.

rodeo is now being planned for o'clock.

Va.; two sisters, Mrs. Betsy Shreve Lean High School boxing team w building on Highway 66 Wash; and one brother, Norman at Shamrock last week-end.

He was J. W. Simmons, who Saturday night knocked out Leon second round to take the 118pound title. Simmons was awarded a jacket for winning in his The other finalist for McLean

was Eddle Reeves, who was floored in the second round by Eugene Parks of Lefors. Reeves was fighting in the 112-pound -class, grade school division. In the opening bouts Thursday

ington, Jackie Bentley lost a Alvin Blackshire lost by a tech-

school class. On Friday night, Jack Hupp mons of Lefors in the 80-pound grade school class. Don Crockett school 85-pound class. Eddie William Henry, marketing, and ginning of cot- Reeves won over Edward Carter of Shamrock to advance to the

finals in the 112-pound class. fertilizer, insect control meth- Carl Ray Cox lost by decision to ods, tillage, and mechanical Jerry Moore of Clarendon in the 126-pound high school class.

10 Be Friday Friday evening, April 8, has

**Alanreed Play** 

been chosen for the presentation of the play, "Through the Keyhole," to be given by the juniors and seniors of Alanreed High Jolly, Ambrose; Johnny Haynes, School. The curtain will rise promptly at 8 o'clock in the school gym.

Jeanette Fort will be seen as Stinkweed; LaWanda Shadid, Grandma, a sprightly old lady Nancy Martin; Bonnie Willis, Ann whose keen wit is as plentiful as Martin: Helen Brooks, Beth; Marher money. Eula Miller, as the tha McPherson, Mrs. Sprool ;; French maid, will turn in a delight ul performance, as will Bob McConaghie and Lee Roy Robert Magill, the butler who has McCracken, stage coach drivers; seen better days, sponsors of the Judge Finch, Earl Trimble. The

night, Harold Hugg lost a de- play stated. Others in the cast are Jimmy W. A. Bruner, and his son, Ralph cision in the 6-pound grade school Bruce, Don Allen, Gene Fort, Littrell. rock. Dale Johnston, in the 100- Willie Davis, and Jessie Hill. class to Gaston Tarbet of Sham-The play is being directed by Bob Kramer. Eugene Henley is pound high school class, was KO'd by Tommy Harris of Well- Supt. Harold Knight, with the stage electrician, and Jimmy assistance of Joan Hill. Admission will be 50 cents for adults in the 105-pound high school class, and 25 cents for children. "Proceeds of the play will help nical KO to Wilbur Smith of finance the class trip, so make Wellington in the 112-pound high this a must on your calendar,"

### lost a decision to Eddie Clem- BIRTHDAYS

April 10-Mrs. C. O. Goodman, dropped a decision to Kenneth Mrs. C. B. Lee Jr., Mrs. B. E. days. Adult tickets will be 50 M. College of Texas will discuss Woods of Shamrock in the grade Glass, Cleo Heasley, B. T. Watt, cents, and student tickets 25

April 13-Mrs. W. T. Eldridge, be 15 cents. Joyce Ann West, Nova Jones, Mrs. Orville Wood Jr. April 12-Jack Brooks, James

Elton Clark, Mrs. Jake Erskine, Marilyn Rheudene Wood. April 13-Wes Langham, J. Lester Dysart.

April 14-Richard Grigsby, Mrs. Granville Boyd, Bobby Smith. McClellan, Mrs. Luke Johnson, Windom.

### Three performances of the rodeo **Canyon** Group To Give Program

to be held here April 29 Spencer Sitter heads the rodeo will be held. The first will be 0 and Mar. committee. He is being assisted Friday night, April 29, at 8 Mrs. Ethel Shaw, monsor of the bing up the merchants for by Bob Sherrod, Jud Henley, o'clock; second Saturday afterthe contest is Roger Pow- George Terry, Raymond Glass, noon, April 30, at 2 o'clock; and drugstone drugstore cowboy deluxe. Earnest Beck, J. E. Langham, and final performance Sunday afterthe top ropers in this testants, and Terry in charge of held Friday night after the first will be

rodeo will be held in the Monday, April 25, Terry stated. Performances will include bronc Madium news held in the Monday, April 25, Terry stated. Madium near the Grade Any person who can go with riding both saddle and bare back. the boosters is urged to contact bull riding and bull dogging, calf chief god in Norse mythology.

last public events to be Terry. Additional cars are needed roping, and a ladies sponsor con-ere. The stands will be to make the trip. It is now plan- test. Liberal prizes will be shortly after the rodes to ned to take along with the boost- awarded in all events. Theodore Roosevelt was the

tough pair. Directors of the play tremely beneficial to farmers and said the rest of the story will be unfolded on the stage. .

The cast of characters includes Kenneth Carter as Dan'l; Janice

Stafford, as Posie; Eddie Bob Bert Miller; Johnny Griffith, Sheriff Crandell; Jack Brooks, Hoot Owl Pete; Rodney Barker, Stella McClellan, Lena Sprool;

prologue is given by the ghost,

Student director of the play is Williams the advertising and make-up man. Stage managers are W. A. Bruner and Vernon Turner. Adult directors are the class sponsors, Mrs. Jim Back and A. D. Shaver. Conald Cunningham has charge of between-act performances of 'Pete Henley, Barbara Beck, and Rodney Barker. Advance sale of tickets will be held, beginning in the next few

Caracas is the capital of

Venezuela.

or mental peculiarity.

### ranchers. Grass over the area election time, although the three looks good, and prospects for a or four days preceding the elecwheat crop are good.

## Wood Joins **Dysart Firm**

Vernon Wood, who has been associated with the Crockett-Downs Motor company for the past year, has joined the staff of the Dysart Motor company, he stated this week.

Wood will serve as sales manager for the Ford agency. "I wish to express my appreciation for the business you gave me while with the Kaiser-Frazer Sunday, will get underway toagency," Wood said, "and invite you to visit me in my new location."

McDonald to **Preach Here** 

Rev. Clayton Day, pastor of the First Baptist Church of McLean, is conducting a revival this week at the Midway Baptist Church

near Wellington. In Rev. Day's absence, Rev. Leo McDonald of Fort Worth will deliver the sermons next Sunday at the local church.

The church, last Wednesday Baker of East Texas Baptist Col-

lege at Marshall as music and An idiosyncrasy is a physical educational director. He will report for work here on June 1.

### April 15-E. L. Stater, John Douglas Groves Named Manager April 16-Ted Glass, Millard Of New McLean Baseball Club Douglas Groves was unanimously explained.

elected as manager of the Mc- "We need lots of practice to Lean Baseball Club, when mem- enable us to meet the competition bers of the team met last week. we expect this season," Floyd

The team will play in the Caprock Guthrie, business manager, said. Westminster Fellowship of the League this year, with the first "All players are urged to work school age, to be used in de-Canyon Presbyterian Church, will game to be played early in May. out with us at every practice termining the per capita allotment bring 10 or 12 of the group here Other officers elected at the session. Others who might be for local schools next year from t of merchants and collected charge of the corrals, Jud Hen- Two dances will also be held o'clock at the First Presbyterian manager, R. C. Shirley: business to contact Manager Groves' entrance fees. Prizes award- ley is in charge of the con- during the rodeo. One will be o'clock at the First Presbyterian manager, R. C. Shirley; business to contact Manager Groves." Church, it was announced this manager. Floyd Guthrie; secre- Signing up to play this season

Wednesday is named for Woden, each Wednesday afternoon at 5 R. C. Shirley, J. C. Claborn, Al Petty, census taker. o'clock on the diamond south of Duncan, Ollie Tindall, Clyde An-

the railroad tracks. Each player drews, A. D. Shaver, Everett Give what you have. To some missing a practice session will be Dorsey. Red Jones, Rex Shedrick, one it may be better than you nt of the U. S. fined 50 cents, Manager Groves Finis Ratliff, and Bill Bailey.

The new officials will probably take office some time in April, beore May 1. All offices are for two-year terms.

### **Church Revival** To Begin Today

The revival meeting at the Assembly of God Church in Mc-Lean, scheduled to begin last night, Rev. L. R. Green, pastor, announced.

An all-day meeting of church members is being held at the church today. Dinner will be served at noon, and a fellowship and dedication service will b held.

The meeting, to be conducted by Rev. Bob Rider of Colorado, will continue for two weeks, Rev. Green stated.

## **Guthrie to Quit** As Legion Head

Floyd Guthrie, commander of night, voted to employ Amon the Andrew H. Floyd post of the American Legion in McLean since last summer, announced this week that he is resigning from the position effective Wednesday of next week.

> Guthrie urged all members of the Legion to be present at the regular meeting Wednesday night. to elect his successor as commander.

## School Census Is

Enumeration of children of

entrance fees collected, he A booster trip to advertise the Saturday night from 9 to 12 Plans for evening services were not announced.

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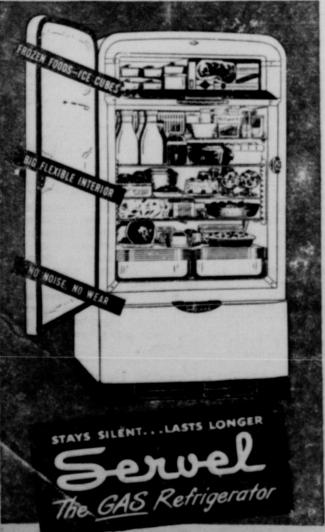
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### A LITTLE BETTER

A NEW BILL calling for voluntary health insurance, instead of the compulsory health insurance which President about the third one-that for the Truman has sought, has been introduced into the U.S. issuance of the \$50,000 in bonds. Congress.

This new bill has many advantages over Truman's requested compulsory insurance, and it could pave the way for handling the nation's health on a voluntary basis. The compulsory insurance sought by the president bordered on socialized medicine, and would probably have been the initial step toward socialized medicine.

The voluntary health insurance bill, however, promotes only is the floor space of the orable comment from one of our encouragement of widespread enrollment in the voluntary present gym smaller than a regprepaid plans; provides for the handling of indigent cases ulation gym, but the seating space through the non-profit prepaid plans as an intermediary is also inadequate. When any agency in much the same manner that many of the plans served the Veterans Administration; and provides for payroll deduction for federal, state, and local government employees who desire to participate in voluntary plans.

Outstanding is the fact that the bill provides protection to persons financially unable to pay all or part of subscription charges for prepayment of hospital or medical 2.00 H H H H H H H H H care.

Under the plan, the U.S. surgeon general would set up the standards of eligibility of persons unable to pay, the present time the high school types of care to be provided, the standards for participation auditorium has to be used for all in the plan, and the general methods to assist in enrolling such occasions, and its seating the population in prepayment plans.

The state would set up a council which would in turn

# STOP THE MUSICI IN THIS FREE E-CON-O-MEE 1 DEMAND - V MON-OPOLEE!

LES BY LESTER

Now that two of the elections are over, we can start thinking will be used in the construction of a combination City Hall and municipal building.

so that it can be used as a gym enjoy the convention. for the local schools. The need of a gym is very great. Not

type of game which is of interest is played, the crowds cannot be accommodated.

Then, too, McLean cannot play host to a basketball tournament or a boxing tournament since the space available is not large enough. The building would also have many other uses. It could be used for an auditorium. At the capacity is only about 400, not nearly enough for such events as graduaton exercises, etc. O. course the big question which comes first to the minds of taxpayers is whether the bond issue would result in an increase in taxes. The answer is no. The would be refunded over a longer period of time, and the rate required to pay this indebtedness, plus the added \$50,000 would actually be less than is required now. In other words, the taxes would not be raised, although it that we serve a good master.- the attorney general will also have to okay the issue. Nobody is absolutely certain that he will They who scatter with one approve the issue, but the bondhand, gather with two; not al- ing company representatives feel dence when we make an error of some type. Nobody misses those. You will do us a great favor vertiser that you "saw it in the paper" when you look at, bargain

for, or buy an item-regardless if large or small. Then the advertisers will know, as we do, that their ads are being read. It probably never occurred to you. but it would be a big help to us. Advertising is the sort of thing which cannot be measured exact-Take the man who says he doesn't believe in advertising. He gets up in the morning from a Sealy, Simmons, or Morning Glory mattress, shaves with a Gillette, Schick, or Gem razor, uses Palmolive, Ivory, Camay, or Lux soap. cats Wheaties, Post Toasties, or perhaps Pep while he drinks Folger's, Hills Bros., or Admiration coffee, puts on an Arrow tie with an Arrow or Van Heusen shirt, dresses in a Curlee or Mark Haas suit, drives to town in a Ford, Chevrolet, Plymouth, Dodge, Oldsmobile, Pontiac, or Buick, writes his letters on Hammermill bond paper, uses a Remington, Royal, L. C. Smith, or Underwood typewriter, goes home at noon and night and eats from Del Monte, White Swan, Camp-I will, therefore, pay my share of bell's, or Monarch cans, sees a

movie called "Command Decision" because he read about it in a So on April 19, let's put our stamp of approval on the bond magazine, comes home and robs his Servel, Frigidaire, Kelvinator, Leonard, Crosley, or Admiral re-

This week-end I go to the rigerator, finally goes back to annual meeting of the Panhandle sleep on his Sealy, Simmons, or

an affair I always look forward to Yet he says he doesn't believe in with much pleasure. Not only advertising! But try to sell him The money, you know by now, do I learn something about this an off-brand product of some

with other newspaper friends and Mrs. J. W. Burks of Memphis acquaintances and also make new The bulding will be constructed ones. Therefore, I thoroughly was a visitor in McLean with friends Friday. . . .

Use Your Credit at Quite often we get very fav-Shedrick Jewelry



THE MCLEAN (TEXAS) NEWS, THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 1949

**Child Diseases** advertisers. It makes us feel that the paper is well read. That it is well read is certainly in evi-**Can Be Serious** 

With the present incidence of if you will mention to the ad- chickenpox almost twice as high as records indicate for a seven year median, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer, has issued a statement declaring. "It is a great mistake to treat even light cases of childhood diseases such as chickenpox, measles, mumps, scarlet fever, or whooping cough as though they did not amount to That sort of treatment much. makes it possible for these discases to spread and cause serious outbreaks among children and the resulting lowered resistance makes them easy victims to other forms of infection.

> "Some of the most serious epidemics of chickenpox which we have had, have been traced to by the Greeks to gain entry in mild cases-that is, cases so light the city of Troy.

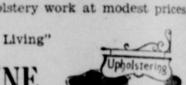
that a doctor was not called some instances the children has continued to go to school and a associate and play with children. In others, after th have been kept at home for few days, they have returned school and have scattered the germs around among their sche mates. Eventually a group cases-sometimes very serious as have developed from the ca lessly-handled mild case. result was another epidemic th could have been prevented." The state health officer that the family doctor is the judge of the seriousness of childhood diseases, and suffer

and anxiety will be avoided the child showing symptoms ilness is put to bed and a doctor advice sought and followed

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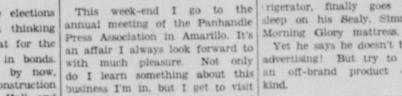
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set up regional authorities. These authorities would then encourage coordination of all health facilities and services in the region and recommend means for their effective use in serving the areas.

Financing of the cases which need ald to pay for the care would be handled on a joint state and federal basis. reason is that the present instates which have a lower per capita income would receive debtedness of \$98,000 of the city more aid from the federal government than those with a high per capita income.

The bill is a great improvement over the compulsory insurance idea, and deserves study by the people and their representatives in Congress.

The mind that is cheerful at Cheerfulness is a friend to naturally would require a longer present will have no solicitude for grace; it puts the heart in tune period of time to pay the bonds the future, and will meet the to praise God, and so honors re- off. bitter occurrences of life with a ligion by proclaiming to the world If you approve the bond issue,

smile.--Horace. Thomas Watson.

Lawyer

Is in McLean

All Day Saturday Of Each Week In Office of Boyd Meador

SHERMAN WHITE ways in coin, but in kind. Noth- that he will if the voters okay ing multiplies so much as kind- the issue. ness .- John Wray.

Anyway I still think the building would be a very great asset

To preserve a long course of to the town, and I hope that all years still and uniform, amid the you other taxpayers will consider uniform darkness of storm and the construction of the building cloud and tempest, requires in that light. I say "other taxstrength from above-deep draughts payes" since I am one myself. rom the fount of divine love .--





Service Andy Watkins GMC Truck & Coach takes pleasure in announcing the appointment of this new dealership . . . open now and ready to provide modern, accessible sales and service facilities for truck users in this area.

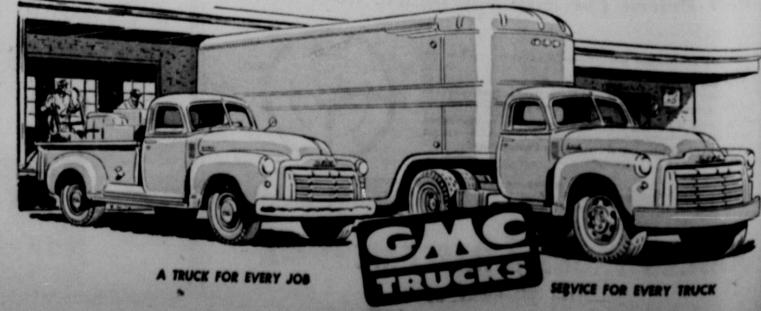
You are invited to make this new GMC dealership the headquarters for all your truck needs. You will find a building especially arranged and equipped for truck sales and service . . . in a location that is convenient to both local and long distance haulers. You will find capable sales personnel . . . ready to give you expert help in selecting a new GMC that

will exactly meet your hauling demands. And you will find a wide variety of genuine GMC parts .... the latest truck tools and equipment . . . a staff of truck-trained mechanics . . . management experienced in the requirements of truck transport.

Pay a visit to this new dealership . . . soon. Get full facts on GMC's wide range of models . . . light, medium and heavy duty, gasoline and Diesel. See for yourself that here is an establishment fully equipped to provide everything you need in the way of trucks, truck service, parts and accessories.

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operation that are available to<br/>lits of the state and national<br/>ngress.should then either prepare amend-<br/>ments to its own by-laws to make<br/>them conform to the suggested<br/>by-laws or prepare an entirely<br/>new set of by-laws for adoption.statement of the total number of<br/>members, accompanied by the<br/>state and national portions of dues<br/>for each member; and (d) a copy<br/>of the by-laws as adopted.the steps necessary for prev-<br/>usly organized groups to become4. Have the, by-laws conmittee6. Do not hesitate to call upon

are of usefulness because they zation with by-laws suggested by association; (b) the names and

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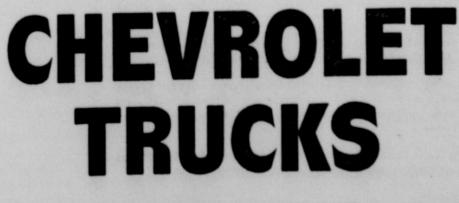
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## Shamrock Legion to Open Home Board Outlines Methods to Use

One of the finest American Legion homes in Texas, that of the Shamrock DeShazo-Garza Post No. 68, will be dedicated with one of the most outstanding two-day programs in the history of the 18th district at its annual spring convention in Shamrock Saturday and Sunday, April 9 and 10.

Charles C. Gibson, Amarillo newspaperman and commander of the 18th district, has announced that William "Bill" McCraw, Dallas. department commander of American Legion, and G. the Ward Moody. Austin, department adjutant, will be convention speakers. Commander McCraw. former attorney general of Texas, will address a joint session of the American Legion and Auxiliary Sunday morning. Adjutant Moody will address the business session Sunday afternoon, Commander Gibson states.

Both convention days will be jam-packed with American Legion business and recreational activities. Registration will start Saturday morning, at 9 o'clock, for



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the American Legion, the Auxillary and the 40 and 8.

At 3:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, the 46 American Legion 12:45 o'clock. Vern Blodgett of conservation plans for their op- The rodeo is strictly an amaposts of the 38th district will Kerrville, fifth division command- erating units. This assistance parade their post colors. Strat- er, will be among distinguished will include making of detailed ford will lead the parade of posts Legion dignitaires attending the soil surveys, furnishing conserv- be held each performance, with because it was the first to make convention.

its 1949 membership quota. Other At 2 o'clock, separate meetings farms or ranches, furnishing en- calf as first prize. posts in the district will be of the American Legion and Aux- gineering help, and such help as placed in the parade behind De- iliary will be held. Adjutant is needed for seeding of land to Recreation Park in Pampa. All placed in the parade benind De- lilary will be neid. Adjutant pasture grasses, making adjust- entries will have to be in by 6 Craw's automobile in the order business session. This will be ments in cropping systems, range in which they have attained their collowed by a business sesion at which delegates to the national

The parade promises plenty of convention will be elected. color and glamor with a number of bands, headed by the Army Mrs. Corinne Trimble, Mrs. E.

band from Fort Sill to participate. J. Windom, Mrs. George Orrick, the various practices and meas-Adding galety to the parade will and Mrs. Claude Hinton made a be 35 "poor goofs," or initiates, business trip to Oklahoma Ciey work plan.

## In Obtaining Conservation Help (Editor's Note: This is another

in the series of articles taken Establishment and Maintenance of from the annual report of the Land Use Adjustments and Gray County Soil Conservation Conservation Practices Board of Supervisors.)

### Educational Program:

will furnish necessary equipment It is expected that the Exand labor for carrying out the tension Service will take the lead various phases of field work necesin connection with general edusary to secure the needed adjustments in land use and mancation work which will be necesagement, and application of the sary at the time the district gets various practices which are needinto operational work, and also ed in order to carry out a comat future times when such assistplete plan of soil and moisture ance is necessary. Members of conservation on the individual the Board of Supervisors and operating units. Where equipother interested farmers and ment is needed that is not owned ranchers, as well as the vacationby the farmers or ranchers, it is al agriculture department at Mcexpected that this will be furn-Lean, will be expected to assist ished by private contractors or in conducting educational work. in some cases it may be possible

### Prepartion of Conservation Farm or Ranch Plans

Farm and ranch operators who desire assistance in preparing and ation plans will be provided by Sunday morning. April 10, Dis- carrying out conservation plans the district as outlined in previous will make application to the board sections of this plan. Maintenance ranged a full day of American of supervisors, who in turn will work which may be needed after Legion business activities. Start- either approve or reject the ap- the conservation practices have ing at 9 o'clock, a breakfast for plications for assistance. Appli- been applied, will be performed all post, district, division and de- cations which have been approved by the individual operators.

A similar breakfast for officers work unit office with a request to provide assistance in planning and Pampa Rodeo A similar breakfast for officers work unit office with a request to 10 o'clock Sunday morning, a joint applying the needed soil and meeting of the Legion and Auxil-moisture conservation plans. Op-iary will be called to order. erators will be encouraged to To Be in June Shamrock churches have been work in groups, both in planning Dates for the Pampa Roping asked to dismiss their congre- and applying their plans, in order Clubs third annual rodeo have to secure a better understanding been set for June 10, 11, and 12. can Legion and participate in and a more effective application H. B. Taylor Jr., secretary of the the formal dedication of the new of the various adjustments and club, announced this week. American Legion home and the practices which are needed to seannual memorial service. State cure proper land use and to main- on the night of June 10, and is

open to all children from 6 to The Soil Conservation Service 16 years of age. Rodeo performwill be expected to furnish tech- ances will be he'ld Saturday at tion under the direction of B. F. nical assistance in working with 2:30 o'clock and 8 o'clock, with Shepherd of Amarillo will be arm and ranch operators in the finals Sunday afternoon at held. Dinner will be served at preparation of soil and moisture 2:50.

teur show, Taylor said. A calf scramble for boys will ation plans maps of individual the winner receiving a Hereford The rodeo will be held at

other practices where individual technical help may be needed. Such assistance will be given only with relatives and friends in Mcin connection with carrying out Lean. Both are former residents. ures as outlined above in this

Mrs. W. L. Copeland and Mrs. Kate Everett made a busness trip te Amarillo last Thursday.

FIRE Miss Glenda Joyce Smith returned this week to Denver, Colo. where she is attending Colorado Women's College. She has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Smith, during the spring vacation.



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WILLIAM MCCRAW Legion home. It is large enough

to accommodate 1600 couples and is expected to be filled to capacity. trict Commander Gibson has arpartment officers will be enjoyed. will be turned over to the district

tations and meet with the Amer-

Commander McCraw will be the tain productivity of the soil. dedication and memorial speaker. At 12:15 o'clock a mass initia-

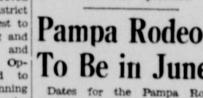
o'clock on June 10. management practices, and any Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Don Morris of Amarillo were week-end visitors 

to furnish such equipment through the district organization. Technical assistance for preparation and application of the conserv-

A kid pony show will be held

It is expected that, in general,

the farm and ranch operators



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Station enjoy a forma   ODELL MANTOOTH Saturday events   Owner will enjoy a da	ening Legionaires of Mr.	ver the week-end in th of their son, Bill Cooke an	operations to develop complete s and moisture conservation pla for their individual units and furnish any assistance that m d be available in connection w carryng out these plans.

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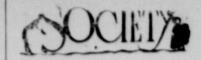
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### Baptist W. M. U. Meeting Is Held In Church Parlor For Sale-Used G. E. 4-ft. re-

The Baptist Women's Missionary Jnion met Tuesday night in the parior of the church, with the program; "In the Rural Community," introduced by Mrs. John Cooper, mission chairman.

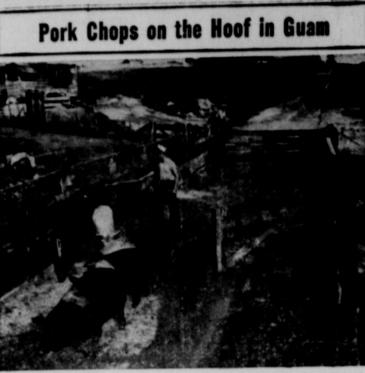
Mrs. George Colebank brought a devotional from the Sermon on the Mount, showing God's care over all. "Is Satan Winning the Country" was given by Mrs. Frank Howard. Mrs. E. L. Price spoke "When Christ Dominates, on There Is Victory," and Mrs. R. L. Appling's subject was "When Christ Dominates, There Is Progress." "Power for the Task" was discussed by Mrs. R. L. McDonald. For Sale-Row binder. See The program was given by the Marvin Hindman, Phone 92. 14-2p Elizabeth Pool circle, with the Nina Hankins circle serving re-For Sale-1941 four-door Chev. . . reshments. Mrs. Jasper Graham, rolet sedan, good condition, \$850. Mrs. Granville Boyd, and Mrs. 1941 Ford pick-up with 1947 100- Howard Williams were hostesses, HP motor, low mileage, \$550. See Mrs. McDonald, president, conducted a business session, and it was decided to pack eggs for Buckner Orphans' Home in the near future.

Others present were Mesdames Cohen Gallegiy, Luther Petty, C. of Weatherford, Okla., Mrs. Bur- John Fulmer. ton Marshall of Oklahoma City, B. Lee Jr., Bunia Kunkel, Homer For Sale-House to be moved; Abbott, Clayton Day, and Oba Kunkel.

Wib Fowler of McLean recently purchaed two purebred Aberdeen-Colo Angus cows from Troy. L. Hudson of Fort Supply, Okla., according to a report from the American Aberdeen-Angus Breeders' Association.

the better books in the rental library. 5-tfc

Mother will care for children Altus, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. W. J. week. Mrs. James E. Corbin, 1 Dam, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Weck-



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Funeral-

On farms established by the U. S. Naval Government on Guam, American sailors instruct natives in modern agricultural methods. The produce from the farms is used for Naval personnel and the rehabilitation of the natives. In photo above, a seaman, first (Official Mavy Photograph) class drives some pigs to feed.

### conclude the program, Miss Hughes presented a piano solo.

Kenneth Carter was introduced (Continued from page 1) as the Lion Cub of the month Mrs. Lester Barnett of Forgan, of April and was presented his Okla, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Haynes membership button by Lion Tamer

Mrs. Durwood Riddle and chil-Mrs. Durwood Riddle and chil-dren and Mrs. Frank Bailey of Here's How to Amarillo, Mrs. Ralph Caldwell and **Remove Stain** children of Borger, Mrs. M. E. Hudgins of Erick, Oka., and Miss Glenda Joyce Smith of Denver,

It is a rare holiday dinner that doesn't end up with a cran-Out-of-town friends attending berry or coffee stain on the best were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pyle, linen tablecloth, and by having Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Hendrix, the directions handy for removing Leon Wilson, Morey Droskin, W. the stains, a housewile can save 8. Schulz, all of St. Francis; herself many anxious moments, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Peterson and according to Miss Martha Merri-"Who planted the money in E. X. Burns of Amarillo. Mr. and field, household arts expert at Mrs. M. L. Smerke, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Oklahoma A. and M. College. Charles Gillespie, Mrs. Moss Bry-

Cranberry stains are removed an, Jim Callan, Preston McMillan, like most other fruit stains, with Clarence Raydon, Jake Zinn, Clint boiling water. Stretch the stained Walcott, and Mrs. Fairy Long, of part over a bowl, fasten it with at my home by day, hour, or Hayes and Janet Lou of Davis string, and pour boiling water on it from a height of 3 to 4 feet. block north of John Haynes res- erling and son of Tucumcari, N. Treat any fruit stain immediately. M., Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Hink For coffee stains, Miss Merrifield of Weatherford, Okla., Mr. and advises pouring on boiling water General hauling-Custom plow- Mrs. Carl Hoskins and son of in the same manner. Then wash Gifts, school supplies, rental ing. Heavy springer cows for Norman, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Judd in warm soapy water. If a trace and 4 matching chairs. Mrs. library, and Western Union service sale. See Bob Massey or son. Jones, Mrs. Harry Hoyler, Mr. and of a stain remains, dry in the

### peroxide and sodium perborate. "Naturally," states Miss Merrifield, "there will also be some lipstick on napkins following that

holiday meal. Before laundering by working vaseline or glycerine into the stain. Soap or other alkalies applied before a lipstick

Cpl. and Mrs. C. A. Myatt & and little son of Fort Sill, Okla spent the week-end with their those napkins, loosen the stain parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Myatt Sr

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I wish to thank the voters of the McLean Independent School District for their support in the school election last Saturday, when I was honored by being elected as a trustee.

During my term of office, I will endeavor to do my best to serve the schools to the best of my ability.

Wheeler Carter

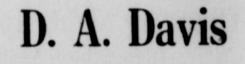


I wish to express my thanks to you people who supported me in electing me your City Secretary

I hold no ill will whatsoever to you people who did not.

My intentions are to serve everyone fair and impartially to the best of my ability.

Again I thank you.



NOTICE

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