

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Rhodes spent last week visiting with their daughter, Mrs. Tom Bogard and family of Bula.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wiggins and children, Patricia and Kent, and Mrs. Wiggins' mother, Mrs. R. D. Dunham, visited last week in Wichita Falls with Mrs. Dunham's son, J. P. Dunham and family. Mrs. Dunham, who has been here for the past few months, remained in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. M. H. Kinard of Lubbock is visiting this week with friends and relatives in McLean, Pampa, and Skellytown.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rice, Mrs. Laura Stratton and Bobby Decker went to Baird last week-end for the Callahan County old settlers' reunion. They were accompanied by Mrs. A. C. Meier of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rhodes of San Antonio are visiting Mr. Rhodes' brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dickinson and children, Betty and John, spent last week in McAlester, Okla., with Mrs. Dickinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Morgan. Mr. Morgan, who was seriously injured in an accident almost two years ago, is still showing improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilson of Amarillo visited friends and relatives here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Amerson of Eloy, Ariz., are visiting relatives in McLean this week.

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Little Carol Schubert of Dumas has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. L. Chase and family, the past week.

Mrs. Bob Shedrick and daughter Rhonda of Edmund, Okla., formerly of McLean, visited here the past week with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. William Davis of Lela visited Sunday with Mrs. Davis' sister, Mrs. Frank Scales and family.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Tindall the past week were Mr. Tindall's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Tindall and two children, and an aunt, Mrs. Dennie Pendleton, of Cranfills Gap.

Doritha Chase is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. L. Scarberry of Wellington, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Goodwin visited Thursday in Jayton, and spent Friday in Afton with Mr. Goodwin's mother.

Cliff Callahan was an Amarillo visitor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Morgan of Shamrock visited Sunday in the home of their niece, Mrs. J. P. Dickinson.

Mrs. June Story and son Jimmy of Valley Mills are visiting Mrs. Story's brother, Bill Day and family, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff N. Day. She will go from here to San Angelo, where she has accepted a teaching position.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kelly Lee and daughter Johnnie Beth have returned to their home in Lubbock after spending the week-end with Mr. Lee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lee. He is on leave from Brooks Hospital in San Antonio.

Nancy and Donna Meacham, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Meacham, spent last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill McBee in Lefors.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wilson of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Abbott Sunday and attended funeral services for T. N. Holloway.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bogan of Lubbock visited Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bogan and other relatives and friends.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest gratitude to all thoughtful friends who helped in so many ways at a time when their kindness and sympathy were truly appreciated. Your many thoughtful acts for the past twelve long months will always be remembered by each of us.

The Florey Family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carter and children of Oklahoma City, and John Carter of Phillips visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Carter.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our most sincere gratitude for the food which was brought in, for the beautiful floral offerings, and for the many other acts of kindness and words of sympathy extended to us during the illness and at the death of our loved one. May God be with you in your hour of need as we wish.

The G. W. Street Family.

CARD OF THANKS

With the deepest sincerity, we offer our most humble thanks and appreciation for the many words of kindness, the thoughtfulness of our friends and neighbors, and the beautiful floral offerings during the illness and at the passing of our loved one. We are also very grateful for the food brought in, and other acts of friendship which were manifested during our bereavement. May God bless each of you as our prayer.

Mrs. T. N. Holloway and Family.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6

Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas amending Article III, Section 51a, providing that the Legislature shall have the power to provide assistance to and provide for the payment of same to residents of the State of Texas who are needy aged persons over the age of sixty-five (65) years, needy blind persons over the age of sixteen (16) years; needy children under the age of sixteen (16) years; removing the Thirty-five Million Dollars (\$35,000,000) limitation upon expenditures for such purposes and providing for a limitation of Forty-two Million Dollars (\$42,000,000) upon such expenditures; providing a maximum payment of Thirty Dollars (\$30) per month from State funds for old age assistance; prohibiting payment of assistance after disposition of property under certain conditions; providing for the acceptance of financial aid from the Government of the United States of

America for such assistance; providing that the payment of such from State funds shall never exceed the payments from Federal funds; providing for the necessary election, and providing for the form of ballot, proclamation, and publication.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 51a of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended, and the same is hereby amended so that the same shall hereafter read as follows:

"Section 51a. The Legislature shall have the power, by general laws to provide, subject to limitations and restrictions herein contained, and such other limitations, restrictions, and regulations as may be by the Legislature be deemed expedient for assistance to, and for the payment of assistance to:

"(1) Needy aged persons who are over the age of sixty-five (65) years; provided that no such assistance shall be paid to any inmate of any State-supported institution, while such inmate; and provided that any resident of the State, if otherwise eligible, may not be excluded who has resided in the State for five (5) years during the nine (9) years immediately preceding the filing of the application for such assistance including the one (1) year continuously immediately preceding the filing of such application; provided that the maximum payment per month from State funds shall not be more than Thirty Dollars (\$30) per month.

"Any applicant for or recipient of assistance, including the spouse in each instance, who shall dispose of any property after June 1, 1952, and any person who initially applies for assistance after June 1, 1957, who has disposed of any property within five (5) years prior to the date of application, shall be ineligible to receive assistance; provided that if such property was disposed of by bona fide sale and conveyance and for value commensurate with the actual market value thereof, such disposition shall not affect eligibility for assistance if it be

shown that all proceeds from such sale have been used by such person and spouse - for normal living expenses, or for the purchase of other real property of like value. If any recipient of assistance or spouse shall sell any real property, neither such recipient nor spouse shall thereafter receive assistance until all net proceeds of said sale have been expended for normal living expenses; and in case of disposition of such property by gifts or for an amount less than its actual market value, such person and spouse shall not thereafter receive assistance until the expiration of the period of time during which the net proceeds of said sale would have paid their normal

living expenses had the actual market value been realized therefrom.

"(2) Needy blind persons who are over the age of sixteen (16) years; provided that no such assistance shall be paid to any inmate of any State-supported institution, while such inmate; and provided that any resident of the State, if otherwise eligible, may not be excluded who has resided in the State for five (5) years during the nine (9) years immediately preceding the filing of the application for such assistance including the one (1) year continuously immediately preceding the filing of such application.

"(3) Needy children who are

under the age of sixteen (16) years; provided that no such assistance shall be paid to any inmate of any State-supported institution, while such inmate; and provided that any resident of the State, if otherwise eligible, may not be excluded who has resided in the State for five (5) years during the nine (9) years immediately preceding the filing of the application for such assistance including the one (1) year continuously immediately preceding the filing of such application.

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Local Couple Wed Saturday

A quiet wedding that was rather a surprise to the many friends of the contracting parties occurred Saturday evening when Miss Mattie McClellan, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McClellan, became the bride of Dick Erwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Erwin. They were married at the home of A. W. Prater, Justice of the Peace E. Prater performing the ceremony in the presence of only a few intimate friends.

Both these young people have lived in McLean for years and are well known to everyone. They are hosts of admiring friends who join the Neas in wishing them all that is best in life and may they enjoy a long happy married career.

After a short honeymoon trip to different points in Oklahoma they will return to McLean where they expect to make their home for the present.

Watermelon Feast at East Home

One of the most enjoyable affairs it has been our pleasure to attend was the watermelon feast tendered by Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Pitt to a party of young folks at their home four miles north of town Saturday night of last

week. The party assembled at the city park tabernacle and from there were driven on a hay wagon behind four good mules to their destination. On account of delay in getting the wagon ready and the heavy roads, we did not reach the East home until about 11 o'clock, but were more than compensated for the long, slow ride by the welcome that awaited us.

On arriving, the guests were informed that before the watermelon feast there was to be a contest that would decide who should tender the next entertainment. Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, being the chaperones, were decided upon as leaders, to choose sides. Before entering into the contest, however, the hosts decided that it might be well to give us "just a taste" of watermelon. In accordance with this decision the whole bunch was directed to the front porch where about fifty big luscious melons awaited the coming of the conquerors.

After this came the contest, which proved most interesting and exciting. A large board on which were placed several wooden pins, was stood on edge on a chair, and five rings, made of cloth and filled with beans, were brought forth. Each guest, one from either side in turn, was instructed to toss, by throwing the ring, as many pins as possible. The middle pin counted 20 and each of the others five. On the final count the score was 65 to 29 in

favor of Mrs. Richardson's bunch. After enjoying a "round" of cake, another interesting contest was introduced. Each guest was given a slip of paper and instructed to draw the picture of some animal that is fond of watermelon. Under this they were to write a four-line verse about the animal. This occasioned considerable merriment and some of the verses were very clever. It is needless to say that Mr. Richardson's side won in this contest as it was one in which intellect figured more prominently than luck.

Then there were more watermelons and cantaloupes served and music and songs added to the pleasure of the morning.

When the big mule teams were brought out and the party ready to start on their homeward ride, all with one accord declared themselves as having enjoyed the time spent at the hospitable East home to the utmost.

Those who made up the party were Misses Elmer McCurdy, Bonnie Evans, Ruby Cook, Ruby Rice, Lucile Horton, Winnie Floyd, Hazel Rogers, Katie Robinson, Katie Wilson, Sidrah Platt, Annie Dalrymple, Manie Cheney, Ruth Paschall, and Nora Beall; Messrs. Luther Petty, Roy Rice, Charlie Cook, Ross Cooke, Orman Horton, Manson Robinson, Emmett Lotters, Bondo Dalrymple, I. T. Jones, Walter Evans, Andrew Floyd, and Roy Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cousins have returned from a vacation trip to California. They visited with their daughters, Mrs. Truman Berry and Mrs. Lowell Lawrence and families, and Mrs. Cousar's

mother, Mrs. Bonnie M. Reeves, and sister, Bonnie. Mrs. Reeves returned with them for an extended visit. Miss Bonnie is appearing in a television show on channel 5 out of Los Angeles every Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Cousins were fortunate in getting to watch one of her shows being broadcast.

Mr. and Mrs. Hickman Brown attended the bi-regional convention for junior chambers of commerce in Borger Saturday and Sunday.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 22

proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Texas by adding to Article XVI thereof a new Section to be numbered 63, and authorizing the Legislature to provide for a statewide system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the several counties of this State; providing that participation therein by counties shall be voluntary, and authorized by the qualified voters of such county; providing the Legislature shall not be authorized to make an appropriation to pay any retirement or disability benefits authorized herein; and providing that administration of said system may be committed to the same body set up to administer the statewide municipal retirement system authorized under section 51f of Article III; providing for the calling of an election and the publication and issuance of the proclamation therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding thereto a new Section, to be numbered Section 63, which shall read as follows:

"Section 63. The Legislature shall have the authority to provide for a statewide system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the counties of this State under such a plan and program as the Legislature shall authorize; provided, that participation therein by counties shall be voluntary and shall first be authorized by vote of the qualified voters of such county; provided further that the Legislature shall not be authorized to make an appropriation to pay any retirement or disability benefits authorized herein. Administration of such system may be committed to the same body as may be set up to administer the municipal retirement system provided for by Section 51f of Article III."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors at an election to be held throughout this State the second Tuesday in November, 1951, and at said election the ballots shall have printed thereon the words:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing a statewide system for retirement and disability pensions for appointive county officials and employees," and **"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment** authorizing a statewide system for retirement and disability pensions for appointive county officials and employees."

leaving the one unmarked which expresses his vote upon the proposed Amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the foregoing proposed Amendment published as required by the Constitution for proposed amendments thereto.

majority of the votes are "FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing a statewide system for retirement and disability pensions for appointive county officials and employees" the foregoing proposed Amendment shall become Section 63 of Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas, and proclamation shall be made by the Governor thereof.

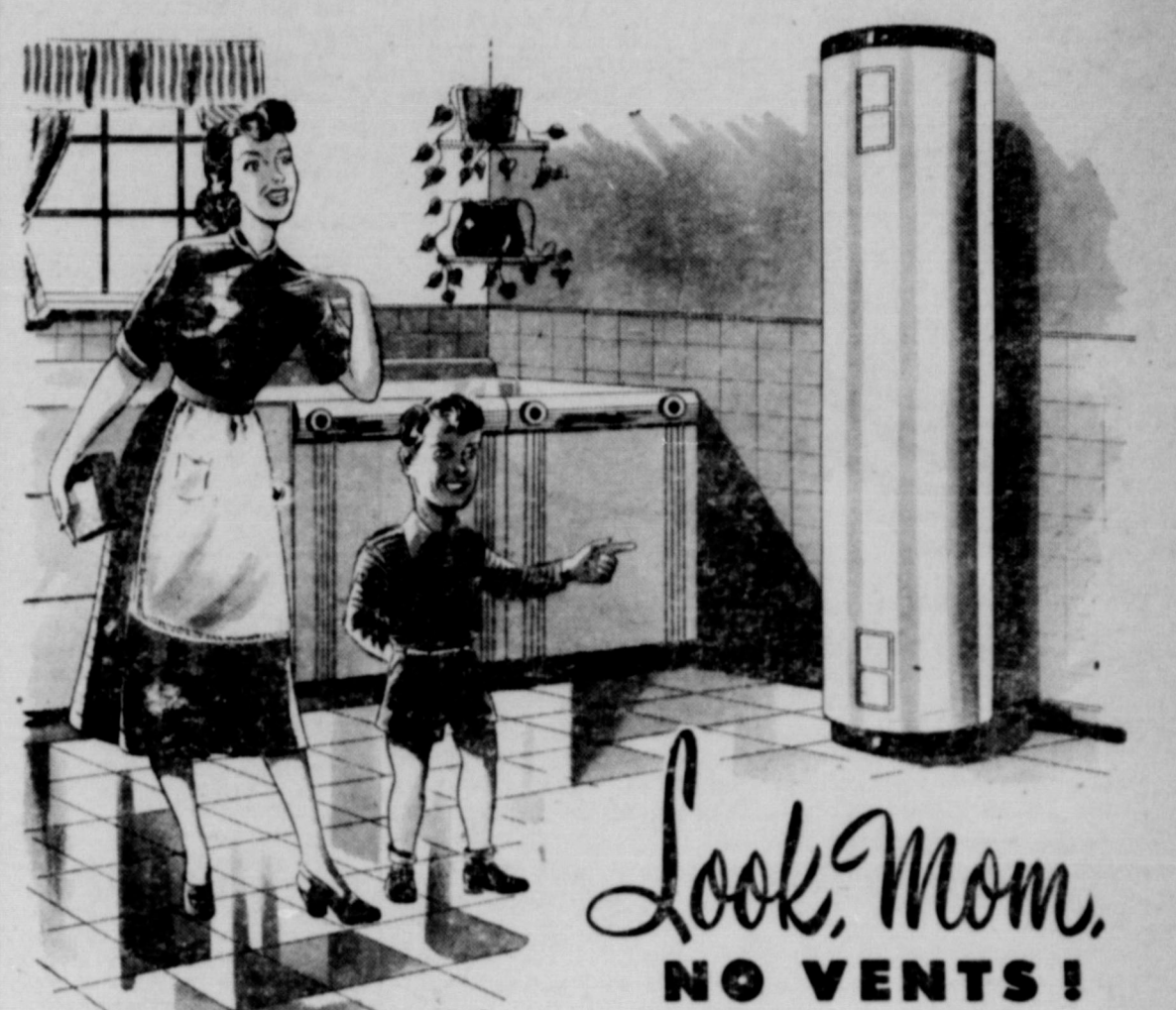
Sec. 4. If at said election, a

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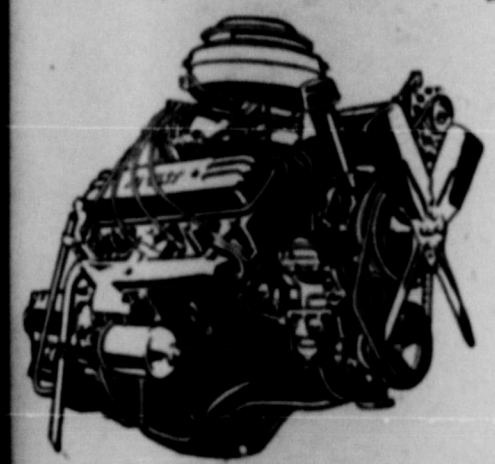
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STAND AT THE CROSSROADS

(Editor's Note: This is a portion of an address given by C. W. Hudson of the Dallas Railway and Terminal company, at the 72nd annual meeting of the Texas Press Association in Dallas on June 15. Due to the length of the address, it will be reprinted in this space in several installments. The speech, as readers will note, was given to the group of editors and publishers at the convention.)

FOUR THOUSAND years ago, the voice of God was heard by an old prophet. Dr. Moffat, in his translation of the Bible, gave this explanation of the command: "Stand at the crossroads, look for the old paths, ask for the good road and take it; so shall you be safe and prosper."

In the beginning, let me assure you that I make no apology for referring to the Bible. You and I and the citizens of Texas, and of the nation and of the world would be in much better condition, financial, moral, physical, and spiritual, had we adhered to and believed in the teachings and promises of The Book of Books, instead of relying upon the promises of governmental bureaus and agencies. The messages contained therein are just as modern and up-to-date as your own newspaper that came off the press in the early hours of this day. Putting this message into the vernacular of the streets, it would read something like this:

"Jeremiah, you are confronted with a task that few people face—a task which can bring you glory and fame. My people—the highest and noblest part of my creation—are in one awful predicament. Every one of them—the laborers, the merchants, the housewives, the politicians, even the preachers of the land—are acting like mad people. They are listening to the prattle of the soothsayers, and have been duped into believing they can find security through the gods of greed, lust, and power of man. They have become a gang of liars and thieves; they are going around proclaiming peace while men, by the thousands, are dying by the sword. My people are so brazen and hardened in their ways that no act of theirs—horrible, and degrading, and undermining though it may be—can make them blush any more.

"Now here is your opportunity to place your name in the halls of fame. Go down to the forks of the road and stand at a spot where the milling, money-mad, power-crazed, selfish, eternity-bound crowds are surging by. And as you stand, there, cry out at the top of your voice: 'Stay off the road to the left, folks. It is dangerous and treacherous. Thousands have tried to travel it, but not a one has come back. Pitiful wrecks mar the scenery all along the way. Take the old road to the right; follow the signs that lead to freedom, and love, and God. It is the safe road. Peace, prosperity, and happiness await you at the end of the highway.'"

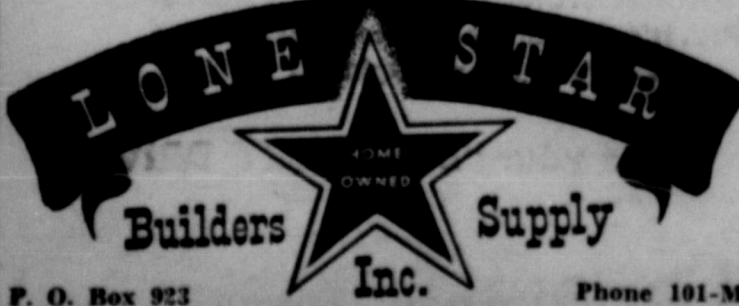
Stand at the crossroads; proclaim the story of freedom! You and I are fortunate indeed and should be grateful to God because He has—in infinite grace and mercy—placed us on the scene of action in this the most crucial hour of the history of civilization. A challenge—vastly greater and more influencing, than most of us can visualize—confronts every red-blooded American citizen this very hour. Only one question remains unanswered just now: "Are we big enough? Do we have the intestinal fortitude to accept that challenge?"

Honestly, what is your answer to the question? (Another portion of the address will be published here next week.)



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LES TALK

By LESTER

People who live in glass houses

C. P. Callahan got a great deal of pleasure last week-end in coming into our building and getting me and taking me to our alley to show me the weeds which were growing there. And there were 12 or 15 weeds in my alley, all right, a few of them the tall variety.

But the weeds were not quite so prominent as those of his on his vacant lot next door to his building. And there were not nearly as many behind our building as behind the buildings of Fred Bentley and Bill Day.

I expect there are many, many weeds which need cutting in the rear of downtown buildings.

The weeds behind our building, incidentally, have been cut down.

Don't know whether last week's column had anything to do with it, but City Marshal John Sparks got a hoe and started to work on the weeds and grass which were growing in between the curbs and the sidewalk edges in front of downtown buildings. He did an excellent job, too, and I want to congratulate him publicly.

Along that line, one man told me he would donate a bit of labor in removing some of the excess dirt which has accumulated in some of the spots between sidewalk and curb. There are a few places where this needs to be done. I'll be glad to give you the man's name, John Sparks, in case you want to take him up on his offer.

This Dollar-Stretcher Day advertising must be getting around. Last Saturday, as you know, was the second big day. One local merchant told me he got one customer from the state of Washington on his Dollar-Stretcher offer. That's what I'd call getting around.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Preston recently returned from a trip back east, on which they visited Virginia, North Carolina, Kentucky, Illinois, Missouri, and Kansas.

It was quite a trip for the group. Mr. Hunt visited his old home at Rawleigh, Ill., and it was his first visit in 62 years. He saw the old church he attended as a boy—and the church still looked as it always did.

Mrs. Preston visited a graveyard which holds the remains of her grandfather, her great-grandfather, and her great-great-grandfather.

The group visited the spot where the old Appomattox courthouse burned down. Mrs. Hunt's grandfather, A. D. Norris, surrendered there with General Robert E. Lee's Confederate army to General Ulysses S. Grant on April 9, 1865.

Death is striking too often in our community. In a period of slightly over one week, three of our well-known residents were taken. First to go was E. W. (Dad) Rogers, then G. W. Street, and then T. N. (Tom) Holloway. All three men will be greatly missed in our community. Each was a great man in his own right.

Within this same period of time, the remains of Wib Flory were returned here for burial. The service brought to the minds of all the terrible horrors of war, for Wib was the first Gray



Lecturer (in village hall): Now you all know what a molecule is.

Chairman (interrupting): Most of us do, but perhaps you'd better explain for the benefit of those who have never been up in one.

A woman stepped off the penny scale and turned to her husband. He eyed her appraisingly and asked, "Well, what's the verdict? A little overweight, eh?"

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County man to lose his life while at the Korean battlefield. Unlike the three men who died during the past two weeks, Wib had only a short life span. But he undoubtedly had a full life. And he made the greatest sacrifice of all for his country—he gave his life.

The loss of a man we all know makes us wonder again and again why we must have wars going on continuously. We think we are living in a civilized world yet we cannot get along with our fellow man.

The price we are paying because of our own ignorance is high.

Fall football practice will get underway on Monday, August 27. Coach Don Leach has said Coach Leach is having his troubles as head coach for the first time (last year he was assistant here to the late Al Duncan). First Don lost the future services of Warren Smith, who he had planned to use as a power in the backfield. Warren became too old to be eligible. Then Don lost the services of Dan Cooper, who was slated for the quarterback position this season. Dan is moving to Tucumcari, with his family.

So now Don doesn't know what to expect. For a time it appeared that McLean would be able to field a rather well-experienced team this fall, but if the losses continue, they won't have much experience. There are a group of 8th graders coming up, but most of them are still rather small.

Anyway, fall practice begins August 27. The first game will

be less than two weeks later when our Tigers go to Hereford to play the Whitefaces. We have four home games, six away from home this year. Home games are with Shamrock, White Deer, Clarendon, and Wheeler. Out-of-town games will be with Hereford, Phillips, Memphis, Canadian, Pughandle, and Lefors. Move over, softball—here comes football. . . . Saturday afternoon I plan to be in Wellington. The occasion is the homecoming for all grad-

uates of Wellington High School, way back to the early 1900's. It should be some gathering. Seems to me that such a homecoming for McLean high graduates would be a wonderful thing to plan for next summer. How about it, some of you McLean graduates?



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Personals

HM 3/6 and Mrs. Bill Reeves announce the birth of a son, John William, on Tuesday, August 14, at Highland General Hospital in Pampa. He weighed 7 pounds and 14 ounces. Mr. Reeves is now present with the armed forces in Korea.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDonald the past week were Rev. and Mrs. Buddy Jones and son Carroll of Richmond, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Browning and daughter Joy of LeFors.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lawson and two sons of Afton visited over the week-end with Mrs. Lawson's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Goodwin.

Mrs. R. L. Price has been in Fort Worth with her brother, William Pittman, who is seriously ill.

John Fatterson of Clayton, N. M., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Campbell and daughter Chris visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Howe and family of Shamrock.

Ffe. and Mrs. J. R. Smith visited last week with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Dickinson. Ffe. Smith left Sunday to report to Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. Smith remained for a longer visit.

Rev. and Mrs. F. G. Stockton of Etnahcaw, Wash., visited last week-end in the Frank Scales home. Rev. Stockton is a brother of Mrs. Scales.

Mr. and Mrs. Legon Burris recently returned from a visit to Colorado and Yellowstone National Park. They visited friends in Park City and Salt Lake City, Utah; Ashton, Idaho; and Greeley, Colo.

M. D. Bentley attended the Men's Brotherhood Rally at the Temple Baptist Church in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Peabody visited in Pampa Sunday afternoon with Jake Flesher, who is a patient in Highland General Hospital. They also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hazel Pettit, Barbara and Mary Ann Carter, who had been visiting their uncle and aunt, returned home with their parents.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. H. J. Pettit Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Estell Mathis and daughters, Jean and Marie, and Holly Boles of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Billingsley and sons, Ben and Max, visited Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Billingsley of Hereford Sunday. The boys remained for a two-weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff H. Day have recently moved to the McLean community from Valley Mills. They are residing on the J. L. Andrews farm south of town and plan to make this their home. Mr. and Mrs. Day are the parents of Bill Day, McLean merchant.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Coon and son Jackie of Cheyenne, Okla., have been visiting in the home of Mrs. M. D. Curry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McLaughlin of Dumas visited friends and attended funeral services for T. N. Holloway Sunday.

Mrs. Zora Kennedy of Amarillo is spending her vacation with her son Vernon, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty.

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years; provided that any child, if otherwise eligible, may not be excluded who has resided in the State for one (1) year immediately preceding the filing of the application for such assistance, or, if said child is under the age of one (1) year, whose parent or other relative with whom the child is living has resided in the State for one (1) year immediately preceding the birth of such child.

"The Legislature shall have the authority to accept from the Federal Government of the United States such financial aid for the assistance of the needy aged, needy blind, and needy children as such Government may offer not inconsistent with restrictions herein set forth; provided, however, that the amount of such assistance out of State funds to each person assisted shall never exceed the amount so expended out of Federal funds; and provided further that the total amount of money to be expended out of State funds for such assistance to the needy aged, needy blind, and needy children shall never exceed the sum of Forty-Two Million Dollars (\$42,000,000) per year.

"Should the Legislature enact enabling laws and provide an additional appropriation hereto in anticipation of the adoption of this Amendment, such Acts shall not be invalid by reason of their anticipatory character."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of Texas at the election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the Second Tuesday in November, 1951, at which election there shall be printed on such ballot the following clause:

"FOR the amendment to the Constitution giving the Legislature power to set up a system of payments of assistance to needy persons over sixty-five (65) years of age; to needy blind persons over the age of sixteen (16) years; to needy children under sixteen (16) years of age; removing the Thirty-five Million Dollars (\$35,000,000) limitation upon amount of State expenditures for such purposes, disqualifying persons who dispose of property under certain conditions; providing a maximum payment of Thirty Dollars (\$30) per month from State funds for old age assistance; providing for the acceptance and expenditure of funds from the Federal Government; providing that expenditures from State funds shall not exceed the expenditure from Federal funds with respect to any individual; and providing conditions as to residence within the State in order to be eligible to receive assistance; and providing a limitation of Forty-Two Million Dollars (\$42,000,000) per year on State fund expenditures for such purpose each year.

"AGAINST the amendment to the Constitution giving the Legislature power to set up a system of payments of assistance to needy persons over sixty-five (65) years of age; to needy blind persons over the age of sixteen (16) years; to needy children under sixteen (16) years of age; removing the Thirty-five Million Dollars (\$35,000,000) limitation upon amount of State expenditures for such purposes; disqualifying persons who dispose of property under certain conditions; providing a maximum payment of Thirty Dollars (\$30) per month from State funds for old

age assistance; providing for the acceptance and expenditure of funds from the Federal Government; providing that expenditures from State funds shall not exceed the expenditure from Federal Funds with respect to any individual; and providing conditions as to residence within the State in order to be eligible to receive assistance; and providing a limitation of Forty-Two Million Dollars (\$42,000,000) per year on

State Fund expenditures for such purpose each year."

ation for said election and have the same published and held as required by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas. 32-4c

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Sunday, Monday:

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Thursday, Friday:

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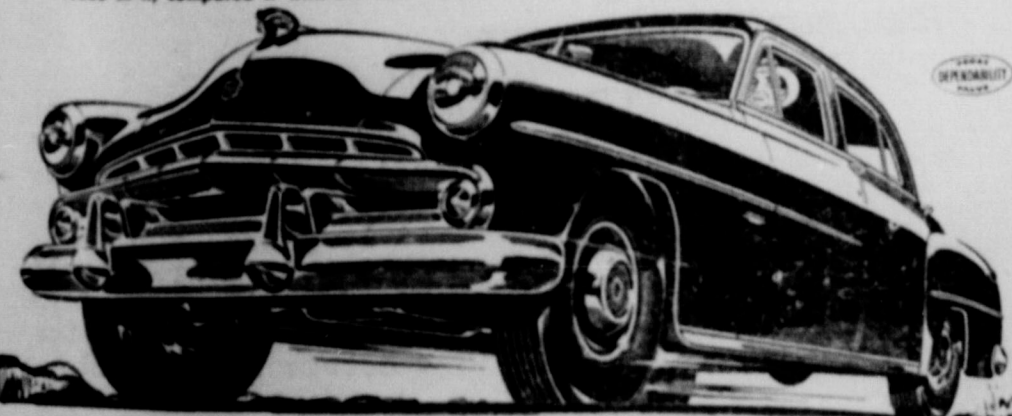
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Quality Meats	
U. S. Good Beef CHUCK ROAST lb	65c
U. S. Good Beef RIBS lb	45c
Cudahy's PORK SAUSAGE 1 lb roll	39c

Pure Cane SUGAR 10 lbs. 95c

Rosedale 303 LIMA BEANS 15c

Hunt's 2 1/2 Halves PEACHES 31c

TIDE box 29c

Shurline No. 2 Red Sour Pitted CHERRIES 22c

Krispy, 1 lb box CRACKERS 27c

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For Sale—2-room house, 14x28; also quarter section land 2 miles north of McLean. See Raymond Bailey. 33-2p

For Sale—About 75 bushels of wheat. S. R. Jones, McLean, Gin. 1c

For Sale or Lease—Pat's Cafe, located next door to Avalon Theatre. R. D. Patterson. 33-3p

For Sale—Power saw and two electric motors. R. D. Patterson. 33-2p

For Sale—Four (4) '46 and '47 model trucks. These are our personal trucks and are in A1 shape. Also have for sale a two-room house and a 500 bbl. tank. Call or see E. L. Day and Son, Phone 133W or 248W. 1p

For Sale—Chrome dinette set. Plastic top; four chairs. Call 247W. Herman Glenn. 1p

FOR RENT

For Rent—4-room house 1/2 mile west of Alanreed on Highway 66. Mrs. W. E. Kennedy, or Frank Hommel, Clarendon. 27-tfc

For Rent—Small furnished apartment at 603 N. Groves. See Mrs. Richard Back, or write Mrs. Claude Powell, McLean. 33-tfc

For Rent—7-room modern house, available about September 1. Inquire at McLean Furniture or call 36. 33-2p

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CARD OF THANKS

We want to take this means of thanking our many friends and relatives for the lovely shower given for us, and the many gifts received. Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Roby.

Mrs. A. B. Word has entered Highland General Hospital in Pampa for treatment.

Norman Scott Johnston Jr. of Stephenville is making an extended visit in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Frank Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Thut and baby son of Pampa visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Roby.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Baker returned Tuesday after visiting the past week in San Angelo with their daughter, Mrs. Goldie Reynolds and family. They report a very pleasant trip since there was a good rain in that locality Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Crawford and children, Donna Ruth and Willis, of Greenville visited Tuesday in the Frank Scales home. Mrs. Scales and Mrs. Crawford are college friends. The Crawfords were en route to their home from a trip through Yellowstone National Park and other points of interest.

Bobby Orrick visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Orrick of Shamrock, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stockton of Kansas City visited Tuesday in the home of Mr. Stockton's sister, Mrs. Frank Scales.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Decker, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Baker and girls were in Amarillo last week attending the annual camp-meeting of Pentecostal Holiness churches.

Holloway—

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penier of Sundown; Mr. and Mrs. Byn Holloway, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Richards, Mrs. Bob Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. L. Goible, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilson, all of Amarillo.

Mrs. Gorda Lou Barnett and W. L. Haynes of Weatherford, Okla.; Jim Holloway, Mrs. Elmer Betheny and Norman Betheny of Carbon;

Mrs. Roy McCullough of Port Worth; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McLaughlin of Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Green of Phillips

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Johnson of Hereford; Mrs. C. L. Vazay of Guymon, Okla.; Mrs. J. H. Campbell of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Kunkel and Mr. and Mrs. Monty Stevens of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hefer of Stillnett; Mr. and Mrs. Newt Barker of Sellytown; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nichols and Jimmy Hicks of Mobeetie; Mr. and Mrs. Vest Lee Smith of Higgins; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Caldwell and family of Berger; and Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Fiddle and family of Amarillo.

McLean guests attending the Ekelund-McCabe wedding last week in Amarillo included Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stevens and daughters, Mary Lee and Jo Ann, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McCabe and son Robert.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Meador visited last Sunday in Wheeler.

REVELLE



with the boys

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hambright returned Friday morning from a vacation trip to Colorado, and a visit with their son, Pvt. Kenneth Hambright, who is in the hospital at Camp Carson. He entered the hospital August 2, and underwent an operation on August 7. He was getting along as well as could be expected when Mr. and Mrs. Hambright left Thursday evening.

Cpl. Billie L. Willingham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Willingham of McLean, was among four members of his company at Fort Riley, Kans., to receive a third promotion in less than four months when he was recently promoted to the rank of sergeant by his battalion commander.

Stationed with Company B 93rd Engineer Construction Battalion, Sgt. Willingham was made a private first class in April, corporal in June, and sergeant August 1. He completed basic training in April. He now serves his unit as an engineer mechanic. Sgt. Willingham entered the

army in November, 1950, after induction. He was processed at Fort Hill, Okla., reception center, and transferred to Camp Carson, Colo., where he served until July when the battalion transferred temporarily to Fort Riley to assist in repair work of the flood damaged base.

Before entering service, Sgt. Willingham was employed by R. W. Adams and Sons of Amarillo.

Pfc. Jimmy Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Williams, has returned to Ellington Air Force Base at Houston after a two-week leave.

Dickie Everett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peb Everett, reported in Oklahoma City August 7 for active duty with the U. S. Navy. He was accompanied by his wife, who returned the last of the week to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Carpenter.

Pfc. Drew Word Miss Meril Bentley, United in Marriage

Announcement has been received of the marriage of Meril Bentley, formerly of McLean, and Pfc. Drew Word of the Air Force, Santa Monica, Calif.

They were married July 15 in Las Vegas, Nev. Pfc. Word is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Word of Alanreed.

Miss Louise Back of Wedaco is spending the week in the home of her brother, Bob Back and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Turpen and children, Ethel and Dixie Ann, returned last week from a vacation and fishing trip to points in east and south Texas.

Louisa May Alcott wrote the book, Little Women.

Tuesday Date Of Visit of OPS Man in McLean

Continuing all-out efforts to assist business men of McLean and this immediate area, Office of Price Stabilization will send Roy E. Kessie, price specialist, here next Tuesday morning, August 21. While in town, he will maintain offices at the City Hall.

"Our price representative will be here to serve the merchant and they are urged to call on him for help, or ask him to visit to their place of business to assist them in any way possible to bring their operations into complete compliance with the Office of Price Stabilization regulations," said C. J. Taylor, Lubbock district price executive. "He is qualified to help all types of businesses to conform."

"It is our desire to serve the merchants of the area to the best of our ability in order to effect voluntary compliance with government's stabilization program." Seventy-nine price clubs in the 69-county district will be in the next week. They are co-sponsors for the most part by local chambers of commerce, retail merchant associations, and public officials along with the agency itself.

The longest tunnel in the world is the Simplon Tunnel through the Alps.

McLean Lions Club Tuesday, 12:30 Lions Hall - Visitors Welcome



Official Memorandum

BY

ALLAN SHIVERS Governor of Texas

AUSTIN, TEXAS

GREETINGS:

The percentage of farm homes in Texas receiving central station electric service has increased from 2.3 per cent to 90 per cent during the past 16 years, largely through the stimulation of the Rural Electrification Administration (REA) program.

More than 282,000 rural families of Texas now enjoy the benefits of electric lights and power through cooperatives which they themselves own and operate.

Each of the 77 rural electric cooperatives in Texas is a free and independent, tax-paying business enterprise, chartered under the laws of the state of Texas, and owned and controlled by the farmers and ranchers who receive service along its lines.

The availability of electricity has brought about a wholesome revolution in farm methods, production and living standards; has lightened the drudgery of farm tasks and increased farm output and profits; has been instrumental in keeping young people on the land, and has promoted the general welfare not only of rural people, but of urban residents as well whose prosperity and well-being depends upon a sound and prosperous agriculture.

THEREFORE I, as Governor of Texas, do hereby proclaim the week of August 19th to 25th, inclusive, as

RURAL ELECTRIFICATION WEEK

in Texas, and call upon all citizens of the state to observe during this week the splendid progress that has been made in electrifying rural areas during the past 16 years, and to resolve anew that the program shall continue to expand until every farm family in the state shall enjoy the blessings of electric lights and power.



In official recognition whereof, I hereby affix my signature this 18th day of July, 1951

Allan Shivers Governor of Texas

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sooner you'll see why it is to your advantage to get all the benefits that are yours in our complete Truck Saver Plan.

Remember—our free inspection offer has a time limit

September 30 is the deadline for our free Truck Saver Inspection. So make arrangements to get yours now, and see how our complete Truck Saver Plan can be put to work to keep your trucks rolling at peak efficiency during the months ahead. Call or come in—soon.

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