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by Bill Neal

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1959 Bank Reports Reflect Economy Of Community

Since promptness is one vice to which I have never been addicted (except maybe in the chow line) I figure it's about time to begin making out my New Year's resolutions.

Friends have suggested several outstanding resolutions such as not missing a single Abigail Van Buren column the whole year, purchasing a 300-foot yacht on the Easy-Pay installment plan, trying to discover what Jac Paar is REALLY like, and others. However, these are all pretty stuffy and I have simply resolved to become more obnoxious.

At least I'm sure "obnoxious" is what nearly everybody will say. I prefer to think of it as "vociferous candor," however.

For instance I'm going to become one of those silly people who writes futile, angry letters to Congressmen demanding the tax cuts promised in the last campaign, and who composes protests to NBC television for allowing offensive commercials dealing with underarm deodorants.

Furthermore I intend to write a bitter and completely biased editorial before long denouncing Texas Representative Waggoner Carr of Lubbock who is running for state attorney general and who as speaker of the house this past session deliberately prolonged the legislative session to a disgusting and expensive overtime in an effort to keep taxes off the back of several wealthy oil and gas interests that he undoubtedly hopes to tap heavily for campaign contributions in his for campaign contributions in his upcoming state race.

Whether or not these interests should be taxed more I frankly don't know, and besides that is not the point. The house of representatives would obviously have found up the tax bill weeks earlier if it had not been for Carr's prejudiced appointments on committees handling proposed tax bills.

And another bunch of phonies I'm sick of is Hollywood and all that "Show Biz" hogwash which anybody vaguely connected with the farce—from ticket takers to silly old Tallulah Bankhead—always insist on singing songs about. I must admit there is no other business like show business—and thank God. I doubt there has ever been such a concentrated congregation of phonies in history as now resides in palatial huts within the Beverly Hills city limits. Now I don't object to their acting or getting married, divorced, sentenced and other questionable activities if they would only keep their traps shut.

Somewhat even a nominal amount of stardom qualifies one to immediately begin issuing authoritative statements of philosophy.

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CABLE FOR TV SYSTEM BEING LAID

Cable for McLean's community TV service is now being strung. Co-owners Dale Greenhouse and Ted Simmons announced this week. Although weather has considerably slowed the work on the cable, it is progressing and should be ready to tie on to home TV's in the near future.

Completion of the 160-foot tower and installation was announced several days ago, so all that remains in completing the system will be stringing the cable and hooking onto the residential televisions.

More information concerning rates, etc., will be announced later.

O. W. STAPP FILES FOR COMMISSIONER

I am taking this opportunity of presenting myself to the voters of Gray County Precinct No. 4 as a candidate for the office of road commissioner, and submit the following statement:

I am 51 years of age and have lived in this precinct for over 30 years, have had 9 years experience as machine operator and foreman for former commissioners, and am employed at present for Archie Dwyer as foreman.

I do not have any outside interests and will be able to devote full time to the duties of the office.

If elected I will (to the best of my ability) give honest, fair and impartial administration to all the residents of this precinct, also to all county-wide interests that come under the jurisdiction of the commissioners court.

I wish to thank each person who encouraged me to enter the race for commissioner and if I am elected I will do my best to live up to their expectations.

Signed,
O. W. (RED) STAPP

Don Cain Files For Re-Election As County Attorney

County Attorney Don Cain has announced his candidacy for reelection to that office subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

Cain, who has held the office since 1955, is a past president of the Pampa Rotary Club, president of the Adobe Walls Boy Scout council, past finance director of the chamber of commerce, and a past director of the Pampa-Lefors United Fund.

Susan Brown Heart Operation Successful

A heart operation performed on Susan Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hickman Brown was thoroughly successful, according to a report early this week.

The operation, which took place Jan. 17, was extremely delicate and required a number of blood transfusions given the day of the operation.

Susan is presently recuperating and should be back in McLean this week end. The operation was performed in Dallas.

Mrs. Hudgins' Mother Dies

Mrs. Lydia Worley, mother of Mrs. Harvey Hudgins, died at her home in Erick, Okla., Jan. 6 following a long illness.

She was born Sept. 30, 1877, in Marion, Ill.

She leaves three daughters, one son, 15 grandchildren and 26 great-grandchildren.

Seniors' Chili Dinner

The high school seniors will serve chili, soup, pie and coffee at the grade school cafeteria Saturday, Jan. 23, from 11 a. m. to 2 p. m. All foods will be home cooked by the mothers.

Prices will be 75c for adults and 50c for children under 12 years of age.

March Of Dimes Campaign Functions Slated For Week

McLean's March of Dimes campaign, which started Jan. 18 and will continue throughout the remainder of the month, gains more momentum this week with the Mothers' March and Bucket Brigade scheduled.

Due to bad weather, the Mothers' March was postponed from last Monday night to tonight, Jan. 21. Serving as chairman is Mrs. Richard Back. All captains urge that all mothers in the community meet in the school cafeteria at 5:30 to begin the drive. The collection is scheduled from 5:30 to 7:30.

In charge of the Bucket Brigade is Mayor John Haynes, who will have his troops out in force Saturday, Jan. 23. Members of streets with buckets collecting the Lions Club will roam the streets with buckets collecting dimes for the campaign.

Presently, all coffee day dimes have been collected. Donating the coffee money were Brown's Rexall Drug, Greyhound Drug, Mc-

Lean Cafe and Hindman Hotel Coffee Shop. Chairman for the coffee parties was S. A. Cousins.

Another contribution will be made from The McLean News, giving all newsstand and office sales of this week's paper to the campaign.

Sponsored by the McLean Lions Club, chairman for the local drive is Dan Mize. Canisters are now in all business houses to facilitate the collection of donations.

The McLean drive is held in conjunction with a national campaign, with all proceeds going to research and care for crippling diseases, birth defects, arthritis and polio.

TIGERS DOWN PANHANDLE; TO TACKLE CANADIAN HERE FRIDAY

With a 59-32 victory over Panhandle under their belt, McLean's Tigers now boast a 3-1 record in conference play.

They'll be out to make it a 4-1 record when they tangle with the Canadian Wildcats here tomorrow (Friday) night.

Watson sank 23 points in the Panhandle fray to top scoring honors for the local roundballers. In non-conference play this week, however, the Tigers didn't fare so well. They took a shellacking from the Samnorwood team Tuesday night.

Watson was the high-scorer for McLean with 14 points.

The Tigers will play Lefors at Lefors next Tuesday.

Meanwhile the Tigerettes were twice defeated in the past week's play. They dropped the Panhandle game 57-47 in conference play and the Samnorwood game 64-51 in the non-conference circuit.

Band Concert To Be Held Tonight

Jim Boyd, band director, will present the school band in concert tonight (Thursday) beginning at 7 in the high school auditorium.

There will be no admission charge and the public is invited to attend.

GIESLER FILES FOR CONSTABLE

L. F. (J. R.) Giesler authorized The News to announce his candidacy for the office of Constable in Precinct 5, with the following statement:

"I am announcing my candidacy for Constable of Precinct 5 and feel that I can qualify for the job. I will try to cooperate with all in the precinct and be ready to serve each for the good of the community.

"I've lived around McLean most of my life and am a World War II veteran, having served with the Navy in the Pacific.

"Your vote and influence will be deeply appreciated."

Sandra Burnett racked up 29 points in the Panhandle game and 30 against Samnorwood. Against Panhandle, Liz Boston and Nancy Meacham had 9 points each and against the Samnorwood team Liz had 19 points.

The girls now have a 1-3 conference record.

SECOND SNOW RECORDS 4.1

McLean and community were lashed again by snows and cold last Saturday night as the second storm of 1960 moved across the Panhandle.

Snow measuring 4.1 inches was recorded, with 57 of an inch of moisture.

The additional snow brought the total moisture to 1.32 for the new year, shaping up as one of the wettest winters in years.

Unlike the first snow of the year, high winds moved in behind the downfall, causing drifting and slow melting. Icy streets and highways brought about literally hundreds of minor accidents throughout the Panhandle area.

Forecast now is for warming temperatures until Saturday or early Sunday, when another blizzard is scheduled to arrive.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Constable, Precinct 5:
J. D. FISH
L. F. (J. R.) GIESLER

For Gray County Sheriff:
RUFEL JORDAN

For Commissioner, Precinct 4:
EARNEST BECK
RAYMOND SMITH
TRUITT JOHNSON
ED CLIFTON
O. W. (RED) STAPP

For Representative, 87th District:
GRAINGER McLIHANY

For County Attorney:
DON CAIN

"It was the best year the bank ever had," said Clifford Allisop, executive vice president of the American National Bank here.

Deposits, however, were slightly lower in 1959 than during 1958. Total deposits for 1959 were \$1,945,317.29 as compared with \$2,010,940.28 in 1958.

Total resources at the close of business in 1959 were \$2,166,544.52 as compared to \$2,211,549.71 at the end of 1958.

Loans and discounts are up somewhat over 1958. Loans at the end of '58 were \$529,397.21. At the end of 1959 the loans and discounts amounted to \$568,102.25. The bank's undivided profits and reserve for dividend were up considerably over 1958.

The slight drop in total deposits this year from the 1958 total might be attributed, at least in part, to the decline in cattle prices.

All officers and directors of the bank were reelected for the coming year. However, with the death of President J. L. McMurry, that position is now open. It is expected to be filled within the next month or two.

Teen Town

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

Saunders Family Enters Cattle in Houston Show

Guy and Ora Saunders of McLean will show two Angus in the open class division of the 1960 Houston Fat Stock Show and Rodeo.

George F. Saunders, also of McLean, will show seven Angus in the open class division.

The 28th exposition will be held Feb. 24 through March 6.

Entries exceed 11,000 and include 14 breeds of cattle, four registrations of horses, 11 sheep breeds, Angora goats, six swine breeds, about 20 poultry breeds and nine rabbit breeds.

SCHOOL CENSUS BEING TAKEN

The school census of the McLean Independent School District for the 1960-61 school year is being taken during the month of January. The deadline for enumeration of all school age children is February 1, 1960.

Any child who resides in the McLean school district is required by law to be enumerated if he is between the ages of 6 and 17. The child must be six by the first of September, 1960.

Mrs. Harold Bunch is the census enumerator for the schools this year. Parents having a child of school age who has not yet been enumerated should contact Mrs. Bunch or Freeman Melton, Jr.

"The census enumeration is very important to the state of Texas as well as the McLean Independent School District," Supt. Melton said. "Each child enumerated will mean approximately \$75 to our school district for the coming year."

Now's Your Chance

Now's your chance to get even with The News for going up to a dime per copy for papers. We have a shortage in our files of June 4, June 11 and June 18 McLean News, and will pay a quarter per copy if you have these issues laying around the house.

Mrs. Frank Rodgers and daughter, Chris, and Teena McMurry spent the week end in Weatherford, Okla., visiting with Mrs. Bob Barnett and Bill Haynes.

M.H.S. Beauties To Vie Monday Night

McLean High's School's annual Press Club beauty contest will be held Monday night, January 25, at 8 o'clock, it was announced this week. The contest will take place in the high school auditorium.

Master of ceremonies for the contest will be Keith Goodman, and Margie Railsback will serve as pianist.

Admission to the contest will be 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children under 12 years of age.

All contestants are sponsored by local businesses. First, second and third places will be chosen. Prizes will be given.

Contestants, with their sponsors, are as follows:

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| 1 Nona Beck | Jones Texaco |
| 2 Joy Richardson | Hotel Coffee Shop |
| 3 Peggy Sharp | Mullanax Men's Store |
| 4 Betty Dilbeck | Callahan's Gift Shop |
| 5 Denna Fultz | Cousins Insurance Agency |
| 6 Sandra Baker | Tiger Den |
| 7 Wanda Hall | Puckett's Food Store |
| 8 Dixie Jo Burroughs | McLean Cafe |
| 9 Nancy Shields | Consumers Supply |
| 10 Janice Page | Brown's Rexall Drug |
| 11 Rita Brown | Peb's Barber Shop |
| 12 Sandra Burnett | Richerson-Lamb Funeral Home |
| 13 Nancy Hess | Watson's Gulf Station |
| 14 Teena McMurry | Andrews Equipment Co. |
| 15 Carol Golithly | Corinne's Style Shop |
| 16 Pat Vineyard | Marzel's |
| 17 Bobby Turner | The McLean News |
| 18 Mary Pearson | McLean Grocery and Market |
| 19 Patricia McIlroy | Jean's Beauty Shop |
| 20 Liz Boston | City of McLean |
| 21 Sherry Biggers | Chett Cleaners |
| 22 Donna Graham | Greyhound Drug |
| 23 Pamela Mann | West Wind Motel |
| 24 Sue Wright | Motor Inn Supply |
| 25 Anita Henley | Molita's Flowers |
| 26 Ruth Pagan | Campbell Lumber Co. |
| 27 Judy Wyatt | Turner '66 Service Station |
| 28 Mary Hall | Southwestern Public Service Co. |
| 29 Sue Adams | McLean Flower Shop |
| 30 Carol Gray | Cooper's Food Market |
| 31 Linda Guill | Butrum's Ladies & Children's Shop |
| 32 Cathy Hendricks | Zero Locker |
| 33 Cheryl Grimaley | Charles' Texaco Service Station |
| 34 Judy Glass | Jane Simpson Insurance Agency |



WINNERS! Pictured above are the three top winners in the McLean News circulation contest, which ended January 18th. Left to right are Mrs. Charles Roberts, Lefors, winner of a Dualette TV from Dale's Radio & TV; Mrs. Clarence Voyles, second place winner who selected a cash bonus rather than the second prize; and Mrs. Lurah Rhodes, third place bonus winner. The contest put the circulation of the News to over 1,114.

Factory Facts

MARIE FOUNDATIONS REPORT

Number employees	148
Weekly production	2116 doz.
Trainees needed	2
To be hired this week	2
Payroll last week	\$6931.56

Give To The 1960 March Of Dimes Campaign

Mary Martha Class Has Luncheon

The Mary Martha Sunday class of the First Baptist Church met Thursday, Jan. 14, for their regular luncheon at the home of Mrs. Pat Barker.

President Nadine Hicks presided during the business session. Pat Barker was elected vice president.

Those attending were Mesdames Una Payne, Eula Glenn, Mary Lee Boyd, Oma Abbott, Carolyn Leonard, Gladys Stewart, Nadine Hicks, Deane Bradshaw, Rosalie Suderman and Pat Barker.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Bradshaw on Feb. 11.

Birthday Party for Mark Bradshaw

Mrs. Clifford Bradshaw honored her son, Mark, with a party on his fourth birthday in their home Wednesday, Jan. 13.

Birthday cake, punch and games were enjoyed by Stephanie Riley, Debbie Cline, Diana and Debbie Ryan, Joe Bob Burroughs, Brent Haeker and Connie and Bradshaw.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFIED COLUMN

WORK NEEDED—Boy needs job—farm work or any steady employment. Dial GR 9-2673.

Mr. and Mrs. Neville Back returned Tuesday from attending a quarter horse show at Denver, Colo.

P-TA Discusses Cultural Art

The McLean P-TA met Jan. 13 in the grade school cafeteria for a program on "Family Ventures in Cultural Art."

Miss Leona Forbes was in charge of the panel discussion with the following taking part: Mrs. Willie Boyett, music appreciation; Mrs. Alma Turman, painting; Mrs. W. D. Priest, picture memory; George Saunders, voice appreciation.

Keith Watson played a piano solo and Mr. Saunders and his daughters sang "The Lord Is My Shepherd."

In the business session conducted by Mrs. Laverne Back, president, the group voted to buy an electric water cooler for the cafeteria and plans were made for the Mothers' March.

The fifth grade mothers were hostesses, and Mrs. Lou Gething's fifth grade won the room banner.

All members are urged to attend the next meeting at the cafeteria Feb. 9 at 7:30 with the sixth grade mothers as hostesses. The program will be "Seeing Our Schools in Action."

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty visited during the week end in Amarillo with the Calvin Pickett family and in Canyon with Mrs. Catherine Donald and the Tom Langstons.

Remember the senior chili dinner Saturday at the grade school school cafeteria.

Public Installation For Rainbow Girls

Installation for the Order of Rainbow for Girls will be held Saturday, Jan. 30, at 7:30 p. m. in the Masonic Hall.

Christa Carol Rodgers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rodgers, will be installed as worthy advisor and Judy Glass, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Glass, will be installed as associate advisor.

Advisory board members will also be installed at this time and all members are urged to be present.

The installation is open to the public and everyone is invited to attend.

BIRTHDAYS

Jan. 24—Toni Mertel, Alice Cunningham, A. L. Grigsby.

Jan. 25—Kinnie Smith, Norma Page, Jennie Fay Smith, Mrs. H. L. Chase.

Jan. 26—Mattie Wheeler, Mrs. Joe Gibson, Richard Don Brown, Douglas Ellison.

Jan. 27—Mrs. E. H. Kramer, Mrs. J. C. McClellan, W. E. Green, Harold Smith, Mrs. Frances Burrows, Mrs. Clarice Medley.

Jan. 28—Mrs. E. T. Duncan, Mrs. T. A. Landers, Jim Mac Hall, Bonnie Darnell, H. W. Brooks.

Jan. 29—Mrs. Leon Waldrop, T. A. Landers, Dora Mae Bailey, Don Tindall.

Jan. 30—Worth Miller, Mrs. D. L. Hall.

Martha Cardwell In College Play

Miss Martha Cardwell, 1959 McLean High School graduate and freshman student at Texas Women's University, will appear in a TWU production of "The Madwoman of Chaillot," scheduled for March 3, 4 and 5.

Miss Cardwell, a speech major, will play the part of a lady press agent. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Parvin, former McLean residents, now of Perryton.

Eat good home made chili and pie with the seniors at the grade school cafeteria Saturday, Jan. 23 from 11 a. m. until 2 p. m.

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ophy, psychology, theology and whatever else there is to have an astute opinion of.

The result is an endless barrage of ridiculous newspaper "star" quotes on everything from foreign aid to the nature of God.

Witness this quote by lovely Jane Russell, an erudite theologian: "I love God. And when you get to know Him you'll find He's just a Livin' Doll."

And speaking of religion it too has its share of phoniness.

Religion is a subject which I have always considered extremely personal, and consequently feel that the high-pressure salesmanship of mass religion in America today is in singularly bad taste.

While reformed and ministerialized ex-taxi drivers and Jake-leg mechanics with little or no formal education and no much self-education have consistently badgered, cajoled and half dragged their prospects to the church door with offers of coffee, Green Stamps and other incentives to becoming "saved," this column has not made mention of same for fear of likewise exhibiting bad taste.

On second thought, however, and at the calculated risk of being obnoxious, perhaps it is high time somebody mentioned the gross elements in organized religion.

By the grosser elements I am referring to the attitude on the part of some zealots who apparently feel that the entire list of sins—or at least the unpardonable

ones—consists of irregular church attendance, penny-ante poker ante games, any joyful movement of the body which might be construed as dancing, the taste, smell or proximity of any form of alcohol (rubbing or otherwise), a game of snooker, or any other activity which might afford the participant some undue amount of gaiety.

These zealots are generally the ones who assist God by compiling sin lists of citizens attending social dances or otherwise falling short of the glory. And at the drop of a hat you can stir up a heated pubgracienmutw(—uyT heated public argument with them on anything from Evolution to Original Sin.

ITEM: A rising evangelist recently sent The News a pre-revival biography sheet for publication in which he modestly admitted to having ranked fifth last year in total conversions all over the state of Texas. I understand he is doing somewhat better in the 1960 Soul Winning Derby.

For my money, I feel he might find a closer communion with the Almighty by closing his tally sheet long enough to drink in a western sunset.

While there are numerous intelligent, sensible, well-trained and tolerant ministers today, I suspect that Thomas Jefferson, Abraham Lincoln and a dozen or so of the other Presidents of the United States who were not affiliated with any church would have been condemned and all but ostracized socially had they lived in today's so-called Bible Belt

where the grosser elements of Christianity exhibit so much intolerance.

Religion is one riddle to which nearly everybody is completely sure he has THE right answer . . . and all through the country and around the world these right answers are a little different.

The colonists got tired of old King George III and his predecessors instructing them as to the correct religious beliefs, and therefore launched a new nation with Religious Freedom as a guiding principle—which is rather ironic in view of common practice today.

Just try, for instance, to be a Unitarian, Buddhist, Hindu or even an agnostic today and see how long you get left alone.

I hear a lot about religious freedom in America, and I would like to see a little more of it.

See now, I've at least kept my resolution one week anyway, by being vociferously candid—or was it obnoxious?

Said Lincoln: "I have never united myself to any church because I have found difficulty in giving my assent, without mental reservations, to the long complicated statements of Christian doctrine . . . When any church will inscribe over its altar, as its sole qualification for membership the Master's condensed statement of both Law and Gospel, 'Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart and with all thy soul and with all thy mind, and thy neighbor as thyself that church will I join with all my heart and soul.'"

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Lucneon Held by Centennial Club

The Centennial Culture Club met Friday, Jan. 8, in the home of Evelyn Stubblefield for the annual lucneon with Oma Abbott, Loree Barker and Carrie Kirby as co-hostesses.

A delicious meal was served from a beautifully decorated table.

In the business meeting the following officers were elected for a year: Evelyn Stubblefield, president; B. B. Kinard, vice president; Lizzie Gilreath, secretary-treasurer; and Loree Barker, reporter.

A gift was presented the outgoing president, Eva Peabody.

Those attending were Oma Abbott, Loree Barker, Pearl Bogan, Essie Burrows, Myrtle Guill, B. B. Kinard, Carrie Kirby, Mae Massay, Eva Peabody and Evelyn Stubblefield.

The next meeting will be with Eva Peabody on Friday, Jan. 22.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank everyone who helped me in the recent News contest. It was your cooperation that helped me to place second. So thanks again.

Mrs. Clarence Voyles

4-H Champions Back from Chicago

Two 17-year-old Texas girls are 1959 state winners in 4-H canning and garden programs.

They are Elaine Friske of Gainesville and Barbara Ann Kolar of 212 Oak Drive, Waco.

Both were on expense-paid trips to the 38th National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago during the first week of December.

Miss Friske, the garden project winner, as junior leader helps other members with gardening



Miss Friske Miss Kolar

record books and demonstration. She is vice president of the Gainesville Girls 4-H Club.

On her Chicago award trip she was the guest of Allie-Chalmers Mfg. Co.

Canning expert for 1959 is Miss Kolar.

Junior and recreation leader, this eight-year 4-H'er is county council secretary and past president of the McLennan County 4-H Club. She also was named county Gold Star 4-H Club Girl.

She plans to attend North Texas State College as a major in home economics, then become a home demonstration agent.

Her Chicago trip was provided by the Kerr Glass Mfg. Corp. The Cooperative Extension Service directs 4-H activities.

Liberty HD Club Meets January 12

Mrs. Earl Eustace was hostess to members of the Liberty Home Demonstration Club Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 12.

The program was given by Mrs. Elizabeth Litch. Topic of the program was clothes for the right occasion.

Present were Mesdames O. O. Tate, L. L. Gordin, James Clift, Olen Davis, J. J. Rallsback and Walter Bailey. Refreshments were coffee, strawberry salad and chocolate cake.

Friendship Class Has Luncheon

The Friendship Sunday school class of the First Baptist Church was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown in their home Friday for a quilting and luncheon.

Invited guests present were Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Price, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Abbott, O. L. Tibbets, Raymond Smith, Luther Petty, Mrs. Jesse Leonard and Mrs. Jack Matthews. Members present were Mesdames Pearl Turner, O. L. Tibbets, W. N. Miller, Mary Howard, Stella Pharis, Bunia Kunkel, T. A. Gibson, Jeanne Brown and Velma Langham, C. E. Hunt, Pearl Matthews, W. J. Hanner, Ola Henderson and Luther Petty.

There were 45 members present. A luncheon of cold cuts was served at noon.

Baptist Women Study Cuba

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday, Jan. 12, at 11 a. m. for a Royal Service program on Cuba. Topics discussed were "What Has Thou Given?" and "What Are We to Think of Fidel Castro?"

No doubt the American people are divided in opinion by the swift manner in which the execution of prisoners was carried out and lands and possessions of foreign people seized. The Baptist Temple in Havana was run down, money was needed, and came from an Arkansas couple, the George Bottoms, who helped build three missionary apartments, classrooms, Sunday schools, seminary and training school.

A skit was staged in an airport in Miami, Fla., with Mrs. Jean Bohlar as ticket agent and three ladies asking for a chance to fly to Cuba while they're at Miami attending the Southern Baptist Convention. The main part of the program was given by three missionaries just flown from Cuba and the interesting conversations between them. Assisting with the program were Mesdames Edna Taylor, Joann Turner, O. L. Tibbets, W. N. Miller, Mary Howard, Stella Pharis, Bunia Kunkel, T. A. Gibson, Jeanne Brown and Velma Langham, C. E. Hunt, Pearl Matthews, W. J. Hanner, Ola Henderson and Luther Petty.

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Langham Celebration To Be Held Sunday

Open house in observance of the Golden Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Langham will be held Sunday, January 24, at their home.

Friends are invited to call between the hours of 2 to 4.

Party Honors Former Residents

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Rogers of South Gate, Calif., were honored with a surprise party Saturday night, Jan. 16. They were presented a lovely house plant for their 39th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers are still recuperating from injuries received in a car accident last October.

Those present, all former McLean residents, were Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Rogers of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin B. Ledbetter of Compton, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Chilton of Whittier, Mrs. Bob James of McLean (now visiting in Whittier), Mr. and Mrs. Cat Armstrong of Long Beach, Mrs. Opal Bell of Bellflower, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Litchfield of Bell Gardens, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Woodrome and Mrs. Y. B. Lee of Downey.

Pervey Cooke and Wood Hindman left Monday for Panhandle. John Kibler is giving his house a new coat of paint.

Duncan Graham returned last Thursday from St. Louis.

Miss Opal Weaver came in Monday night from Dexter, N. M., to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bell and daughters left Wednesday for Granite, Okla., to visit friends.

Mesdames Overton and Crabtree and the latter's little daughter left Wednesday for Ballinger.

R. R. Faulkner and family returned last week from Plainview.

CARD OF THANKS

My love and thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in my recent sorrow; for the beautiful service, floral offering, food, cards and other kindnesses. May God's richest blessings rest with each of you.

Mrs. Hugh Longan and brother, Wiley Phillips

WSCS Members Honored at Tea

Charter members of the WSCS of the Methodist church were honored with a silver tea on the 20th anniversary of the organization.

Hostesses were Mrs. W. M. Rhodes and Mrs. Jack Riley when they met in the church parlor at 2:30 Jan. 12.

Charter members present were Mesdames J. E. Kirby, Cliff Day, R. N. Ashby, Clyde Magee, J. L. Hess, Ellen Wilson, Alice Wilson, W. E. Bogan and C. M. Carpenter.

Other members present to hear Mrs. Magee review the book, "Dear and Glorious Physician," were Mesdames Roy McCracken, C. P. Hamilton, John C. Haynes, Elmo Whaley, Jack Riley, J. H. Bradley, W. M. Rhodes, Clifford Allison, Madge Page, Amos Page, Jesse Coleman, Paul Mertel, and a guest, Mrs. Hubert Tindall of Shamrock.

the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Carter spent the week end in McLean with the F. L. Daltons.

Mesdames Charlie Bruns, Leona Gladney and Emmett Allen attended the funeral of their nephew and cousin, James Ray, in White Deer Friday.

Rev. John I. Herndon left for Fort Worth Monday to attend the evangelistic conference for pastors and laymen.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cox and children of Pampa visited the George McCracken family over the week end.

Mrs. Al Cooke is visiting in Fort Worth this week.

Mrs. L. H. Earthman, Mrs. John I. Herndon and Mr. McCracken have been on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Mendenhall of Wichita Falls visited in the J. J. Palmer and A. H. Moreman homes during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Miller and son of Amarillo visited with relatives here Saturday.

Mrs. Paul Cooper has returned

home from a Pampa hospital. The Baptist WMS presented a special Royal Service program to the church Wednesday night.

Rev. John I. Herndon presided at the devotional. Ladies assisting with the program were Mesdames Donnie Burdine, Lena Carter, Lela Sherrod, Harriet Greenwood and Mae Moreman.

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By MRS. CECIL CARTER

Albert Yake spent the week end in Pampa with his sister, Mrs. Jane Bowen, and girls.

Mesdames Leona Gladney, Myrtle Allen and Charlie Bruns were in Pampa on business last Thursday.

Mrs. F. L. Dalton of McLean and Mrs. Cecil Carter made a business trip to Pampa Thursday.

Mrs. R. O. Cunningham of McLean visited Mrs. W. H. Blakney

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High School Reopens Monday

The high school department of McLean public school, which closed last week because teachers were not available after Mr. Teague's and Miss Billingslea's connections with the school were severed, reopened Monday with F. P. Wilson and Mrs. Luther McCombs in charge of the work formerly done by Mr. Teague and Miss Billingslea.

The desire of the teachers and

school board to have as many patrons as were interested in the work of the high school present Monday morning was announced in the churches Sunday, and a large number were there at the time for opening.

Members of the school board, the incoming teachers, and a number of the patrons made brief and interesting talks on the mistakes that had been made by all parties concerned, discussing means for correcting them or insuring against a repetition. All the patrons present pledged their heartiest support and fullest cooperation to the teachers and the board in their efforts to conduct the school credibly.

In taking charge of the school Mr. Wilson did so for a period of only two weeks, or until another superintendent could be secured, as he will be forced to neglect his farm and cannot give school work his undivided attention for a longer time.

Hall-Bates
Mrs. J. Y. Bates of 1606 Fillmore Street, Amarillo, and H. H. Hall, also of this city, were united in marriage on Jan. 7 at Rochester, Minn.

Mrs. Hall was formerly a Sherman girl, but has lived in West Texas for the past few years where she has made many friends.

Mr. Hall has been in the employ of the Santa Fe here for some time and is also well known and highly thought of in this community.

These many friends join in wishing them many years of happiness and success.—Amarillo News



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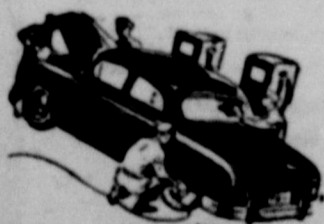
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Editorial

Economic predictions for 1960 indicate wholesale failure in the small business world. If the money market remains the same as it is now, or becomes worse, small firms will be going under at the rate of 300 per month.

Chief among the causes for this tight money market is the ever-rising interest paid on government bonds, which clamps down on loan money from the huge corporate concerns, eventually arriving at the small business man.

It stands to reason that when a government bond will pay back 4 1/4%, the big lenders and investors are not going to risk loans for the small increase to 6 or 8%. They draw almost as much interest from the government with the insurance of having it invested in a sure thing.

From whatever money may be left from the bonds, buying paper on FHA homes, etc., consumes another large part of the big concern's investing.

It eventually leaves very little to pass on to the small business man, who is seldom financially independent enough to operate without loans, let alone expand to any degree.

Last week Eisenhower requested that the interest ceiling on bonds be raised again. This, according to the financial experts, will be another crushing blow to the already diminishing money market, should it be passed.

As heavily taxed as citizens are in order to keep up with government spending, when more bonds must be sold, then the solution can only point to a cut from the capitol, not this wholesale peddling of more bonds.

When bonds are redeemed, either more must be sold or taxing accelerated to pay them off, and then the cycle will begin again—a few more billion in the red.

Take this, and throw in unemployment, compensation, subsidization, retirement, benefits, and millions of other such gifts, and it's all adding up to an annually perplexing mess. With elections forthcoming, politicians will again drive in the "gift" peg to hang their platform on. When it finally comes across to enough people that the U. S. is "gift"ing itself on the vehicle of liberalism from democracy to socialism, then the handouts might cease to be the sufficient element to get a man elected to office.

In the meantime, it'll be the small businesses as always who'll be paying the toll.

C. E. C.

IT DOESN'T MAKE SENSE

Are you interested in socialization of the electric power industry?

According to published figures, the taxpayers of 48 states have been assessed \$5 1/2 billion for non-taxpaying federal power plants. If the socialized power program is continued as planned, it is estimated the cost will double and treble in a few years—a needless waste of taxpayers dollars because publicly regulated, independent, taxpaying electric companies are ready in every state to supply the full power requirement if allowed the opportunity.

In a statement to the House Ways and Means Committee, E. Roy Gilpin, an attorney for the electric industry, said the government will lose \$11 1/2 billion in revenue in the next 17 years if present tax exemptions and preferential treatments are continued in the electric power field. He based this forecast on the amount of taxes investor owned companies would have paid had they conducted the electric power business of non-taxed agencies.

It seems useless to talk about stemming inflation when Congress sanctions expenditures for government-owned commercial projects which are favored by tax-exemptions and other privileges. They eliminate taxpaying businesses with which they compete. The public power advocates would scream to high heaven if tax-exemption was proposed for investor-owned electric companies in order to reduce rates for the users of such services. It just doesn't make sense.

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"Captain R. B. Marcy discovered the Red River had two forks and the land in between became a center of dispute." Will Wilson points out.

Who Must File a 1959 Tax Return

Requirements for filing federal income tax returns for 1959 were announced this week by Wiley E. Davis of Internal Revenue Service.

To sum it up—"most people with \$600 or more of gross income for 1959 must file a return with Uncle Sam," Davis said.

Every citizen or resident of the U. S. A.—whether adult or minor—who had \$600 or more gross income in 1959 must file; if 65 or over, \$1,200 or more.

"However," Davis continued, "if you're self-employed, you file a return if your self-employment income was \$400 or more, even though your gross income was less than \$600."

The revenue representative added these potent points: A person with income of less than these amounts should file a '59 return to get a refund if tax was withheld. . . a married person with income less than her or his own personal exemption (s) should file a joint return with husband or wife to get the smaller tax or larger refund for the couple.

Members of the armed forces should give name, service

serial number and permanent home address.

Area taxpayers are urged to file their returns for '59 with their IRS district director as soon as possible.

"Although the filing deadline is April 15, folks who wait until the last minute find it more difficult to get technical help the nearer the final day approaches.

"Also," Davis said, "last minute filers make more costly errors in their returns."

Checks or money orders for any tax due should be clipped, not stapled, to the return and should be made payable to the Internal Revenue Service.

Taxpayers with technical problems may have them solved by phoning IRS at MO 4-2131, Pampa or by visiting the office at 120 W. Kingsmill St. Special tax assistance day is every Monday, 8:30 to 12:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Brown, Rev. and Mrs. Jesse Leonard and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty attended the workers conference at the Sammorwood Baptist Church last Thursday night.

NOTICE

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: PATRICK WARDEN, GREETING:

You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 15th day of February, A. D. 1960, at or before 10 o'clock a. m., before the Honorable 11th District Court of Gray County, Texas, at the Court House in Pampa, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 14 day of November, 1959.

The file number of said suit being No. 12,936.

The names of the parties in said suit are: MILDRED WARDEN as Plaintiff, and PATRICK WARDEN as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce and custody of the minor children and division of the community property.

Issued this the 30th day of December, 1959.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Pampa, Texas, this the 30th day of December, A. D., 1959.

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"Battle Border"

Little known facts about Texas boundaries.

(Editor's Note: This is the 5th in a series of articles outlining the numerous boundary conflicts dating back to 1716, pointing up little known facts which shaped the Texas of today.)

Greer County lies at the base of the east side of the Texas Panhandle between the forks of Red River.

For many years people in that county did not know whether they were part of Texas or Oklahoma. The trouble goes back to the treaty between the United States and Spain fixing Red River as boundary at a time when the Texas Panhandle area was unexplored wild Indian territory.

They did not even know Red River had two forks.

In 1852, Captain R. B. Marcy discovered two forks of the river and attempted to locate on the ground the 100 meridian fixed in the old treaty as the northern boundary of Spanish territory.

And his location caused the trouble.

Attorney General Will Wilson, currently fighting another boundary battle, that of the tidelands suit before the U. S. Supreme Court, pin-points the controversy.

"If the 100th meridian crossed below or downstream from the river's forking then the land belonged to Texas unquestionably."

In 1855 a treaty with the United States and the Choctaw and Chickasaw Indians called for the ground location of the 100th meridian.

A. H. Jones and H. M. C. Brown, contract government surveyors, located their first boundary monument on the north bank of the south fork of Red River. They were convinced that the meridian crossed Red River 50 miles west of the junction of the forks.

The land in between seemed irrevocably headed for dispute.

The Texas legislature jumped into the middle of the issue and created a county out of the entire disputed area, Indians and all. That was in 1860.

The same year saw the beginning of the war between the states. The boundary dispute took a back seat until 1885 when Congress officially recognized the controversy and appointed officers to join with Texas represent-

atives in ascertaining the point. Any chance of this commission's accomplishing anything was doomed from the word go. Representing the United States were four army officers whose luggage consisted primarily of foregone conclusions, misconceptions of their function and a bag full of court martial tricks.

"They came to Texas with nothing to offer in the way of an agreement and they left the same way," Wilson observed.

In the next article will be related how the federal government took another bite out of Texas and Texas lost Greer County.

Thursday, January 21, 1960



A man and two of his friends were involved in a serious automobile accident in which the car was demolished but no one was injured. As they pulled themselves out of the overturned wreck, a farmer appeared and asked if anybody was hurt.

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PUBLIC SERVICE

Area Observations

Is Man Animalistic? or 'liberalism' in Christianity." It actually stems from the new CECL O. WAGGONER in the CLAUDE NEWS; Someone was teachings of our age which em-wondering. "What is 'modernism' braces the "animalistic nature of

man." The Freudian theory of psychology and present day teachings of evolution have brought the "animalistic nature of man" to the fore. In an effort toward sophistication and in an attempt to keep in step with the ever-changing mood of scientific belief, many church groups abandoned former beliefs in fear they will lose the intelligentsia of their commune. They seem to forget Christianity was founded among every supernatural element of the

the unsophisticated and unwashed Christian faith.

You can recognize "modernism" and "liberalism" when you find is end teachings lead to a denial of Christ. It cannot help itself, because, eventually, it must deal with Christ in one form or another. Consequently the denial eventually places Christ as a moral teacher or human force in man.

In such teachings you will find the denial of the inspiration and authority of the holy Scripture; the unique deity of Christ; the sacrificial atonement for sin; the bodily resurrection of Christ; the personal resurrection of the saints; the coming again of Christ to final judgment; heaven and hell. In fact it must of its nature deny every supernatural element of the

How has this come about? It is due to the weakness of the lay member, in that his Bible has been substituted by quarterlies; his meditation periods have been replaced with TV, newspapers and magazines; and his Sunday worship with social doctrines completely foreign to the original intent of the church group.

Since the Bible has become ornamental and archaic, Christian groups have been forced to turn their healing arts over to the M. D.; their forgiveness of sin over to psychologists; their benevolence over to the government; their child training over to a secular school system; and the explanation of the origin and purpose of man over to the physical scientists. Through each pro-

fesses to seek truth, each eventually denies the basic truth.

Do you wonder, then, that we find moral degeneration in the free world today and that we find ourselves being hopelessly invaded by godless communism?

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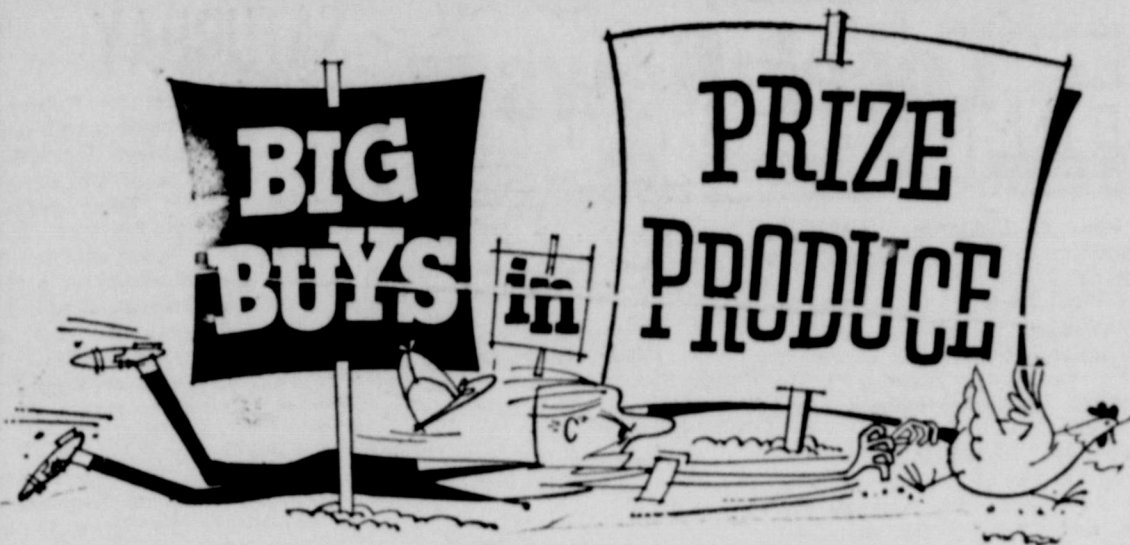
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A Public Affairs program under the direction of Mrs. Ray Boyd was presented to the Art and Civic Club at their regular meeting in the civic center Thursday night, using the quotation, "The Nobles Motive Is the Public Good," by Virgil.

Sgt. Albers of the Highway Patrol was guest speaker, stating: "If the present trend of accidents continues, every second child now born will be critically injured or killed on highways." A film, "Aim High and Get the Picture," was shown on safe driving.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Adams and the driver's education class of the high school were special guests of the evening.

LEFORS PLACES 2 CHAMPS IN GLOVES MEET

Gary Smith, one of Lefors' top fighters, fought his way to the finals as he won Wednesday and Thursday nights in the Pampa district Golden Gloves three-day meet. He TKO'd both of his opponents and then went on to win the 126 lb division by beating last year's district champ, Charles Moore of Borger, in a fight that was one of Smith's best.

Gene Shipman, fighting in the 135 lb class, fought two times Wednesday night, taking a decision. Robert Young, then later in the evening lost a very close decision to Albert Milno.

John Atchley won a runner up spot as he lost a decision to Wayne Bonar of Hereford in the 175 lb class.

Dickie Kimberly, Lefors heavy weight, who was unopposed during all three nights, won the heavyweight crown.

Wayne Koscheski, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Combs, who has been stationed in Iwo Jima for the past year, has returned to his family in Lubbock. The Koscheskis and their son, Robert, visited in the Combs home over the week end along with Mr. and Mrs. Joel Combs and Carla of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Combs of Levelland and the James Jinks family of Lefors.

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Marcia McDonald New GA President

Marcia McDonald was installed as president of the junior Girls Auxiliary of the Baptist church in a candlelight ceremony to begin the activities for 1960.

Marlene Cates played the G. A. hymn and Dawn Hill led singing for the service. Mrs. H. L. Teel was installing officer and gave the duties of each officer as he took a white rose and placed it in a crystal vase on the white covered table. Green and gold candles were used to carry out the G. A. colors.

Other officers installed were Nancy Sims, vice president; Sue Stubblefield, secretary; Marlene Cates, treasurer; Leahwana Nowlin, program chairman; Sherrie Rossom, prayer chairman; Janice Elms, mission study chairman; Dawn Hill, chorister; Judy Barnes, community missions chairman, assisted by Margaret Robinson and Larry Click; Sue Thacker and Sandy Wells, social chairmen.

Presented to the girls by Mrs. R. E. McDonald, from the counselors.

A mission program on Cuba followed the service. The girls then visited Mrs. David Robinson, a counselor, who has been recovering from injuries suffered in a car wreck.

Baby Shower Honors Mrs. Roberts

Mrs. Charles Roberts was honored with a baby shower Thursday afternoon, Jan. 14, in the home of Mrs. D. T. Pfiel, by members of the Lefors Home Demonstration Club, with Mesdames James Gatlin, B. J. Thacker, O. O. Bishop and Pfiel in charge of decorations, refreshments and program.

Mrs. Roberts was presented a corsage of pastel colored pantries arranged as a nosegay on blue net. A similar corsage was presented to Mrs. C. B. Vernon of Shamrock, mother of the honoree.

Mrs. Gatlin served the pink and white cake as Mrs. Thacker presided at the crystal punch service. Crystal plates and cups, baby motif napkins and sterling forks completed the table appointment.

Present were Misses Connie Thacker, Doris and Molly Carlton and Tammy Brumley; Masters Ricky Robertson, Matthew Flinchum, Randy Johns and Morris Roberts; Mesdames A. M. Dickerson, Charlie Tutor, A. T. Cobb, H. L. Braly, L. G. Fort, Bud Whiteley, Bill Wall, Earl Lane, Lila Williams, R. H. Bradford, L. C. Ford, M. L. Rippey, L. D. Rider, Aubrey Carlton, R. T. Jinks, Dale Brumley, B. D. Vaughn, C. B. Vernon, Jeff Bradley, O. O. Bishop, C. C. Wells, Verl Williams, Ray Gossett, L. M. McCather, Wayne Harris and T. C. Ogden.

Farewell Party Given Mrs. Boyd

Between 60 and 65 persons called at the civic center Friday morning, Jan. 15, to bid farewell to Mrs. Ray Boyd Jr., who moved with her family Saturday to Rayville, La., to make their home.

Having lived in Lefors for the past 18 years, the Boyd family was very active in civic affairs, clubs, church and school, and will be greatly missed. He was employed by the Coltex Gasoline Co. and the family resided at the gasoline camp east of town.

Hostesses were Mesdames Ray Chastain, Herndon Sloan, J. F. Morris, C. C. Mullins, Dean Higgins and Earl Atkinson.

Names of guests were secured and placed in a container along with a gift for the honoree.



Mrs. C. C. Mullins was taken Saturday to Worley Hospital with the flu.

Philip Earhart is in Worley Hospital where he was taken for an appendectomy. His father, C. H. Earhart, also remains in the hospital recovering from a heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McBee and Billy D. visited in Borger over the week end with Norma's sister and family, the Marshall Fraziers.

Weather Slows MOD Campaign

Boyd Beck, chairman of the March of Dimes, reported Monday that \$103.89 was taken in for the MOD in the bucket brigade held Saturday, but due to the bad weather the brigade was not finished and will be continued next Saturday, Jan. 23.

\$74 was netted for the March of Dimes in the coffee sales at Mrs. Buddy Montgomery's cafe Saturday.

Canisters have been placed by Beck in all the businesses, and the Mothers' March will take place on Jan. 28.

The drive is getting off to a slow start due to bad weather, but no damper had affected the efforts of the workers, and it is hoped that Lefors will overshoot its quota.

Baptist WMS Meets In Circles

The Women's Missionary Union of the Baptist church met in circles Tuesday, Jan. 14.

BLANCHE GROVES circle met with Mrs. Elmer Hill for Bible study from the book, "Soul Witnessing," by Mrs. J. V. Guthrie. Present were Mesdames Robert Vought, C. H. Butrum, J. V. Guthrie and Johnny Taylor.

HOPKINS circle met with Mrs. Bailey Carter, with Mrs. Buster Sublett teaching the Bible study. Mrs. E. N. Cyfert, W. M. U. president, was guest. Others present were Mesdames B. J. Spradlin, J. L. Ethridge, Wendell Akin, R. C. Shirley, Clara Blythe, J. B. Horn, Joe McCartney and H. L. Harrington.

"Reaching Rural Churches" was the mission study topic for the NINA HANKINS circle which met with Mrs. Alba Shores and the LOTTIE MOON circle which met with Mrs. W. E. Dumas. Present in the two circles were Mesdames O. C. Mills, W. B. Minter, Walter Jackson, Robert McGill, Edward Lehnick, L. M. Berry, A. L. Michael, Ira Rogers, J. L. Lockard, A. C. Cates, J. D. Halley and Robert Howard.

Focus Week was observed Wednesday morning, Jan. 13, to welcome new members.

Present were Mesdames A. L. Michael, L. M. Berry, Ira Rogers, J. D. Halley, Roy Howard, Alba Shores, Joe McCartney, J. R. Sparkman, Joyce Tucker, H. L. Harrington, B. J. Spradlin, R. N. Cyfert and Ronald Adams.

Farm Facts



A. U. S. farmer produces enough to feed himself and 29 others. In Russia a farmer produces enough to feed himself and one other.

HEXT RITES SATURDAY

Funeral services for Robert K. Hext, Lefors resident for 47 years, were held Saturday, Jan. 16, in the Lefors Church of Christ, with Minister Charlie Tutor officiating. Mr. Hext died at 11:20 Thursday of a heart attack. He was pronounced dead on arrival at Highland General Hospital.

In his early years Mr. Hext did ranch work, performing the duties of a cowboy, but later turned to work in the oil fields as a teamster.

Mr. and Mrs. Hext celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in 1958 at their home in Lefors. The couple was married in Gray County and lived in New Mexico for a few years, later returning to spend their life in the Texas Panhandle.

Born in August, 1884, Mr. Hext was very active up until the time of his death, spending much time reading, watching television and visiting with his many friends.

He is survived by his wife, Beulah; two daughters, Mrs. M. L. Hester of Borger and Mrs. Leslie Cunningham of Dumas; three sons, O. E. of Stinnett, C. of Odessa and Uel of Houston; two sisters, Mrs. Loe Bingham of Seminole and Mrs. Homer Smith of Cherokee; two brothers, Duward of Seminole and Barber of Brady; 12 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Charles Roberts, C. B. Todd, Burl Davis, Dick Bull, John Fulton and A. W.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bromlow of Longdale, Okla., visited their son and family, the J. F. Bromlows.

Mrs. Freda Dale Looney of Pampa visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Montgomery over the week end.



Capt. and Mrs. Jimmy Vaughn of Metuchen, N. J., are the parents of a girl born Jan. 11 and weighing 6 pounds, 8 ounces. She was named Lisa Diane, and is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Vaughn.

Lt. and Mrs. B. J. Bishop, stationed at Badenim, Germany, are the parents of a daughter born Jan. 11, on the anniversary of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Bishop of Lefors. She was named Tamara Lynn.

Chisum. Burial was in Memory Gardens, Pampa, under the direction of Duenkel-Carmichael Funeral Home.

WSCS Observes 20th Anniversary

The Women's Society of Christian Service observed their 20th anniversary under that name Monday afternoon, Jan. 18, with a book review by Mrs. Jerry Jacobs and a tea in the Methodist church building.

"Dr. Ida" by Dorothy Clark Wilson, the true life biography of "A Schuffer who spent her life helping the sick diseased country of India, fighting for and building much needed hospitals, schools and colleges, was presented by Mrs. Jacobs, guest speaker.

Charter members honored were Mesdames W. R. Combs, C. P. McMaster, Bernard Johnson, L. R. Spence and W. C. Breining.

Guests present were Mesdames L. P. Banks, C. H. Gustin, Jerry Jacobs, Charles Roberts; Misses Judy Atkinson and Sue Stubblefield; Messrs. Jeff Stubblefield and C. P. McMaster.

Members present were Mesdames Bill Teel, Cleve Johnson, Earl Atkinson, D. W. Willis, A. R. Elms, J. W. Stubblefield, Raymond Barnes and Floyd Hines.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Painter from Tulsa, Okla., accompanied by Troy Painter, a brother, and Mrs. R. N. Casper, are visiting in the R. N. Casper home.

PIRATES MOVE TOWARD TITLE IN DISTRICT

In basketball, the Lefors Pirates, favored to win the district title, came a step closer to the crown here as they rolled over White Deer 48 to 27. They now have a district record of two wins and one loss.

The girls team lost a close game to White Deer girls with a score of 54-38 to fall into second place in the district race. They now stand two wins and one loss.

HOSPITAL BED AVAILABLE

Paul Blankenburg reports that a hospital bed is now available for use by the public at the fire station. A mattress must be secured for this bed. It will be available to anyone who would have need of it in the community of Lefors.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cooksey Jr. attended the funeral of their nephew, Jerry Lynn Thompson, age nine, Sunday, Jan. 10, in Reed, Okla. The child was killed by a bull from which he could not escape.

Ralph Carruth is in Worley Hospital with the flu and lung congestion. Many others are sick with flu and colds.

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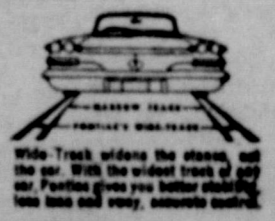
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