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County Voters To Have Big Choice Nov. 2

Gray County's official ballot for the general election November 2 will be sufficiently big to feature eight columns for the political parties, for independents, and one for write-ins.

Parties to appear on the ballot will be the Democrat, Republican, Prohibitionist, Progressive and Socialist. Each of these parties has candidates for all offices and some for offices, but only the Democratic party boasts a candidate for every office.

County voters will find the name of James H. Haley, Canyon writer and member of the Republican line for the office of congressman in the 18th district, opposing the name of W. H. Worley, who is "not a candidate."

Worley will appear on the ballot, however, since it was filed by the Republicans in Texas.

Here is the line-up of candidate names appear on the ballot:

Democratic: for president, Harry Truman; vice president, Alben Barkley; U. S. senator, Lynn B. Johnson; governor, Beauvoir H. Jester; lieutenant governor, Allan Shivers; attorney general, Price Daniel; chief justice supreme court, J. E. Hickman; associate justice, supreme court, place 1, Few Brewster; place 2, James P. Hart; place 3, (expired term), W. St. John; judge, court criminal, Harry N. Graves; railroad commissioner, Ernest O. Simpson; railroad commissioner (expired term), William J. Murray; comptroller public accounts, George H. Sheppard; commissioner general land office, James Giles; state treasurer, James James; superintendent of schools, L. Woods; commissioner of agriculture, J. E. McDonald; chief justice, E. L. Pitts; associate justice civil appeals, 7th dist., James L. Lumpkin; congressman, 18th district, Eugene Worley; state senator 11st district, Grady Hazledorn; district attorney, Thomas B. Braly; state representative, 1st district, Granger McIlhenny; and the various county and precinct nominees.

Republican: president, Thomas Dewey; vice president, Earl Warren; U. S. senator, Jack C. Warren; governor, Alvin H. Lane; lieutenant governor, Taylor Cole; attorney general, R. R. Bryant; associate justice, supreme court, place 1, H. L. McCaskey; place 2, Dudley Lawson; place 3, Leo N. Duran; railroad commissioner, Gentry F. Talor; U. S. congressman, unexpired term, J. R. Miles; comptroller, Arnold Davis; comm. land office, H. S. Brady; treasurer, H. B. Camiade; superintendent of schools, Mrs. Margaret C. Cramer; congressman, J. E. Vette.

Prohibition: president, Claude W. Watson; vice president, Dale W. Larn; U. S. senator, Sam Morris; governor, Gerald Overholt; lieutenant governor, Ira B. Lowe; attorney general, C. V. Compton; comm. agriculture, W. S. Lawrence.

Progressive: Wallace and Taylor, president and vice president; governor, Herman Wright; lieutenant governor, Rev. Stacy Adams; attorney general, Morris Bogdanow; railroad commissioner, John Gibson; U. S. congressman, unexpired term, Joe Lira; comm. land office, Mrs. Edna M. Smith; treasurer, F. M. Johnson; Socialist: Norman Thomas, president; Tucker P. Smith, vice president.

A famous hole in the wall of the chamber of the Great Council in Venice was called the "Lion's Mouth." Through it anonymous denunciations were passed in to the members.

"Alley Oop!" is a signal used by archaists.

Godsoe Rankings Place McLean Fourth in Region

The McLean Tiger grid team was elevated to fourth place from fifth in the weekly rankings made by Frank A. Godsoe Jr., Amarillo News writer and close follower of Class A football in the Panhandle.

The Tigers started out the season in sixth place, and have advanced to fourth after winning five straight games.

Godsoe this week ranked 16 teams in his top 15 team list, indicating that he believes Levelland and Shamrock are on even terms for second position.

Here are Godsoe's rankings for the week: 1. Phillips Blackhaws; 2. Levelland Lobos; Shamrock Irish; 3. Perryton Rangers; 4. McLean Tigers; 5. Lefors Pirates; 6. Littlefield Wildcats; 7. Lockney Longhorns; 8. Sundown Roughnecks; 9. Post Antelopes; 10. Crosbyton Chiefs; 11. O'Donnell Eagles; 12. Muleshoe Yellowjackets; 13. Tulla Hornets; 14. Dalhart Wolves; 15. Canyon Eagles.

Services Held In Hedley for William Adams

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Methodist Church in Hedley for William Adams of McLean, who died at a Pampa hospital Wednesday of last week. He was 40 years of age.

Rites were conducted by Minister John R. Fulmer of the Church of Christ in McLean, assisted by Joe Preston of McLean. Interment was in the Hedley cemetery under the direction of the Womack Funeral Home.

Adams underwent an operation several weeks ago, and showed a little improvement. Another operation was performed a short time ago, and death came Wednesday while he was suffering in the Pampa hospital. He was 40 years, 11 months, and 13 days of age at the time of his death.

Adams was born in Hall County, and was married in 1929 to Hester Tidwell. He and his family lived in Alameda before moving to McLean in 1943. They have made their home here since that time.

Survivors include his wife of McLean; six children, Della, Iva Mae, Leola, Earnest, Leona Sue, and James Earnest all of McLean; three brothers, Joe Adams of Alameda, Tom Randall of San Bernardino, Calif., George Randall, address unknown; and four sisters, Mrs. Raymond Cantrell of Amarillo, Mrs. W. A. Waldo of Long Beach, Calif., Mrs. Howard Laney of Amarillo, and Miss Lottie Mae Randall of Amarillo.

City Resident's Brother Dies

Jack Ledbetter of Borger, brother of Clifford (Buddy) Ledbetter of McLean, died in Amarillo Thursday morning of last week of injuries received when he was struck by a car Wednesday night as he walked along Highway 66 east of Amarillo. He was 23 years of age.

He was taken to the hospital about 10:30 o'clock Wednesday night in an unconscious condition. He was struck by a car driven by Bill Elliott, 29, of Amarillo.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Lena Ledbetter of Borger; a daughter, Sharon Kay; his parents Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Ledbetter of Wellington; four sisters, Mrs. Mollie Agnes Frederick Okla., Mrs. Bessie Cornell and Mrs. Georgia Sibley both of Perryton, and Mrs. Nellie Trimble of Wellington; and three brothers, Clifford of McLean, and Cecil and Robert of Shafter, Calif.

Pampa B Game Not to Be Held; Tigers to Rest

The originally-scheduled grid game with the Pampa B team for this Friday night has been cancelled, Coach Al Duncan announced this week, and the McLean Tigers will rest this week-end in preparation for their second District 2-A encounter, that with the Wellington Skyrokoets Friday night, October 15.

The game with Wellington will be played there.

In place of the Pampa B game, a tilt has been tentatively scheduled with the Borger Bull Pupps, B team of that school, for Friday night October 22, which originally was an open date, Duncan stated.

The local team is still at full strength, and members have luckily avoided any serious injuries in winning five straight games. The Tigers are now the only District 2-A team which has not suffered a loss, since the Shamrock Irish dropped a game last Saturday night to Phillips by a narrow 7-6 score.

Since the local team does not play a game this week-end, a number of students will accompany their parents to Amarillo Friday to attend the Tri-State Fair on "McLean Day." The McLean High School band will attend, Bandmaster Bill Miller has announced, and will lead the parade on that date.

Several residents are making plans to attend other games this week-end. Shamrock will play at Memphis, Wellington at Clarendon, and Lefors will meet Panhandle in Lefors. McLean will be the only District 2-A team not playing.

In District 1-A, Perryton plays at Canadian, Tulla at Canyon, Hereford at Dumas, and Phillips and Dalhart have open dates.

Phil A. Spidy To Speak Here

Phil A. Spidy, elder of the Presbyterian Church in Borger, will be the guest speaker at the First Presbyterian Church in McLean Sunday morning. It was announced this week.

It had been planned to have about 40 of the children from the Presbyterian Children's Home in Amarillo present next Sunday, but the home's bus has broken down and the children will not be here.

Last Sunday's guest pastor was Rev. V. K. Aubrey of Greenville, who is a prospective pastor for the local church. He conducted both services. Rev. Aubrey is a graduate of Trinity University and McCormick Seminary.

Parliament Party members in the English Civil War of the 17th century were called "roundheads" cause they wore their hair clipped close.

Helms-Hickman Well May Open New Oil Field North of McLean

Two Local Gins Get 481 Bales From '48 Crop

A total of 481 bales of cotton from the 1948 crop had been ginned by the two Gray County gins—both located in McLean—by noon Wednesday, according to reports from the two gin managers, L. H. Earthman and S. R. Jones.

Both ginners reported that both the grade and the staple is good, and shows much improvement over that of early cotton. Some of the cotton is spotted, but the percentage of spotted cotton is dropping rapidly.

Jones, who is also buying grain, reported that he was loading his eighth car of feed Wednesday. He is representing a Fort Worth concern. Some of the fields are too green as yet, he stated, and for that reason, the amount of grain bought has not been great. He expects to buy about 30 to 35 cars before the season is over.

The cotton production of the area—determined, of course, by the amount ginned here—is expected to hit somewhere in the neighborhood of 3,000 bales. Last year's production was only about 1,600 bales.

A number of boll pullers have already arrived in the area. Last year, due to the short crop, very few out-of-area pullers showed up, but this year, due to the greater acreage and good cotton, a number of pullers will come to this area.

Tuesday's showers did no damage to the cotton or feed crops, but did bring a slightly cooler temperature to the area.

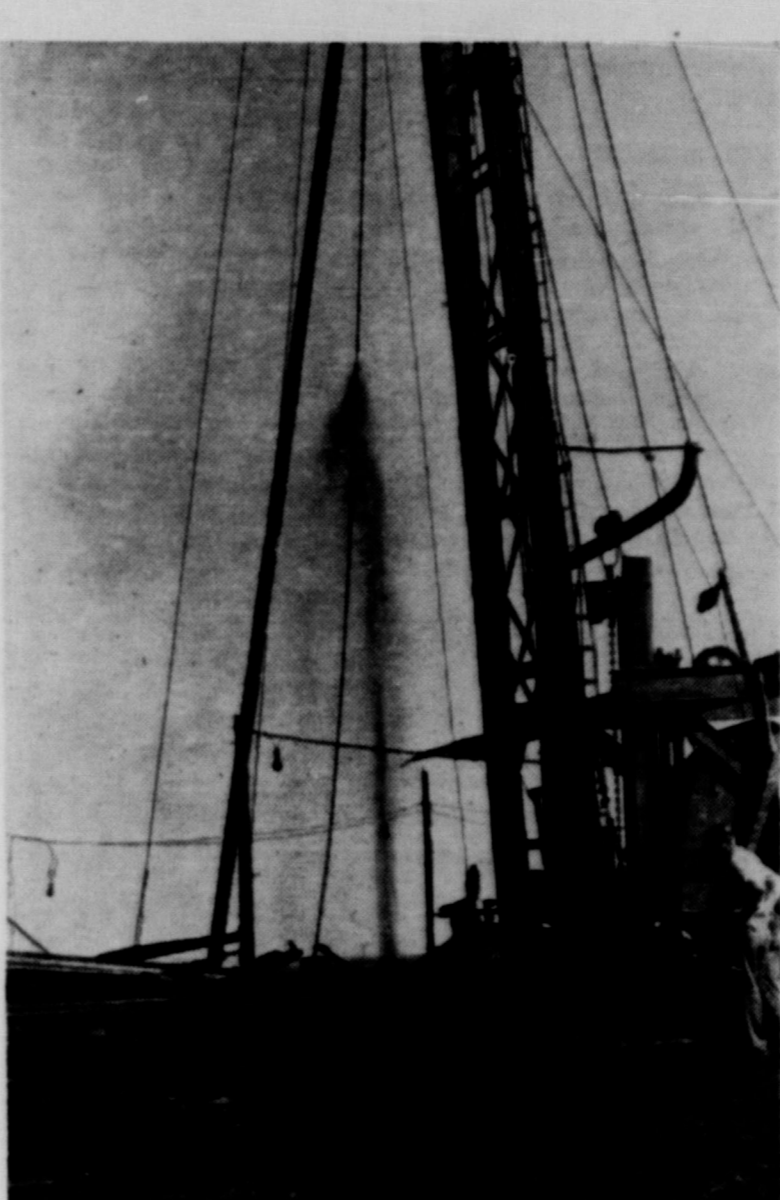
HOW THEY FARED

Last Week's Games
* McLean 46, Canadian 6
Phillips 7, * Shamrock 6
Dalhart 21, * Wellington 19
* Lefors 18, * Memphis 7
Canyon 18, * Clarendon 12
(* Denotes 2-A teams.)

This Week's Games:
Shamrock at Memphis
Wellington at Clarendon
Panhandle at Lefors
McLean, open date

Season's standings:

Team	W	L	T
McLean	5	0	0
Shamrock	4	1	0
Lefors	3	1	0
Clarendon	2	3	0
Wellington	1	3	0
Memphis	0	5	0



—Photo Courtesy H. F. Magerkurth

WHAT COULD mean very good news is this picture of the Helms-Hickman well flowing. The well began flowing late Wednesday of last week after being shot, and shows excellent possibilities of making a good producer. Early this week, the well was being cleaned out. This picture was taken by H. F. Magerkurth last Thursday morning, and shows Jack Mercer and one of the drillers looking on as the well was opened up. A large number of "hoppers" have visited the site about four miles north of town during the past week.

Commissioners Court Adopts County's Budget for Year

That Gray County expects to have a surplus of \$31,086 on hand at the end of 1948 was revealed last week-end when the budget for the year 1949 was approved by the county commissioners court. The budget goes into effect January 1, 1949.

Total resources (income) were estimated at \$475,976, and the estimated expenditure for all funds totals \$444,169.

Salaries of all county office holders and job holders remain the same. County Judge Sherman White said. The jury fund will have no allotment out of the tax money, since there is now a sufficient amount in that fund to care for the needs of 1949. Only two bond maturities come

Official Test Not Yet Run On New Well

Good news to residents of the McLean area came last Thursday when the oil test of Charles Hickman and L. A. Helms north of McLean began flowing, following the shooting of the well Tuesday of last week.

Just how well the well will turn out is not known. Helms believes it will have a potential of 100 barrels a day, but the railroad commission test had not been run Wednesday.

Workers were still in the process of cleaning out the well Wednesday morning, and at that time lacked about 50 feet of having it cleaned out.

The well began flowing late Wednesday of last week, and during a 12-hour period it put about 50 barrels in a tank through a 2-inch line. The size of the line has now been increased.

The well showed three pay locations—one at 2,614 feet, one at 2,700, and at the final depth of 2,716.

Tuesday of last week Helms shot the well, after going to the total depth of 2,716, with 460 quarts of nitro. The well started flowing, and partially cleaned itself out.

The test was made on the R. A. Brown property, known as the Thomas Estate, and has been given the name of R. A. Brown No. 1. The land is on Section 15, Block 30, H&G Survey, and the well is in the southwestern part of the north half of the east 540 acres of the section.

The section on which the well was drilled is three miles from the northwest corner of the town section of McLean. The well itself is about four miles from town.

The nearest producing well to the Helms-Hickman test is about five miles north, across McClellan Creek. There are no producing oil wells in the area south of the creek, except those in the (Continued on page 6)

BIRTHDAYS

- Oct. 10—J. W. Burrows, Mrs. Ernest Erwin, Don Emmett Cooke, Mrs. F. E. Stewart.
- Oct. 12—Raymond L. Smith.
- Oct. 13—Arnold Sharp, Mrs. Eidon Aage.
- Oct. 14—W. M. Rhodes.
- Oct. 15—John Mertel, J. M. Stevens, Jess Ledbetter Jr., Mrs. Joyce S. Jacob, Wanda Beth Stapp.
- Oct. 16—Mrs. Rose Hall, Juanita Chilton, Jerry Caldwell, Viola Mae Winn.

Tigers Blast Canadian Wildcats by Score of 46 to 6

In Brief

Team	Score
McLean	46
Canadian	6

First Downs 14-12
Yards gained rushing 316-154
Yards lost rushing 5-31
Yards gained passing 87-50
Passes attempted 8-9
Passes completed 2-3
Penalties recd. 4 for 30-3 for 15
Punts 1-4
Punt average 36-27.5
Passes intercepted by 1-0

ing with their first play from scrimmage, and tallying in every quarter to rack up their fifth consecutive win of the season. The Wildcats, who have won but one game in the past two years, and none so far this season, were an easy prey, and the Tigers were never in danger. In addition to making seven touchdowns and four extra points, the Tigers ran across with another only to have it called back for an off sides penalty.

There were plenty of stars for McLean, in the backfield and on the line. Coach Al Duncan used almost every man on the squad, once his team had piled up sufficient points for a safe lead, and the reserve did a bang-up job of holding the Wildcats. The Canadian score came in the final quarter when the Tiger team was made up mostly of reserves.

In the scoring end of the game, Johnny Haynes made two touchdowns and kicked four goals to give him 16 points; L. M. Watson made two touchdowns for 12 points; Bobby Kramer caught a pass near the goal line and raced on across for 6 points; Jimmie Newton plunged one over for 6, and Johnny Griffith made a 46-yard sprint for the final tally. Griffith also went over for another, but it was called back.

Watson carried 9 times, netted 96 yards, averaged 10.5 per carry. Griffith carried 7 times, netted 158 yards, averaged 22.5. Haynes carried 3 times, netted 27 yards for a 9 yard average. Newton carried 4 times, netted 11 yards for a near 3-yard average. Bailey carried once for 18 yards, the Cunningham once for one yard. Linemen did a fine job of holding the Wildcats on the defense.

The Wildcats then started a march downfield, but bogged down on the McLean 34. Hernandez punted to Griffith on the 2, and he returned to the 22. As the second quarter got underway, McLean finally was forced to punt, with Watson booting to the Canadian 20. Farnsworth lost one yard and fumbled on the next play, the fumble being recovered by McLean on the Canadian 17.

Haynes circled right end to the 4, but McLean was penalized back to the 32 for holding. Griffith then passed to Kramer on the 10, who went over to score. Haynes' kick was wide and the score was 13-0. Later in the second period, Griffith returned Hernandez' punt from the Canadian 42 across the goal, but McLean was off sides and the play was called back. (Continued on back page)



The State Constitution provides that, every 10 years, the state shall be re-districted, in accordance with the new census. But Texas has not been re-districted since 1921.

There have, of course, been many changes in population in 27 long years. The result is a situation of gross inequality. There are some House of Representatives districts with five and six times as many people as some other districts.

Nor is this unfair condition confined to a single part of the state. It has been said that South and West Texas are being discriminated against by the failure of the legislature to do its duty. And this is true. But consider that there is one East Texas district with 109,000 and there are lots of districts over the state with less than 25,000 citizens and one with only 19,000. Contrast this with a second district in East Texas with 127,000 inhabitants.

Yet the district with only 19,000 people has the same power in making laws as the district with 127,000—six times more people and, presumably, paying six times as much taxes.

The same condition prevails

with regard to the State Senate. One district has 110,000 people and another has 463,000, which is the 1940 census, and the latest estimate is that the district has grown to 754,000. It is the Lower Rio Grande Valley district.

Repeatedly, the legislature has failed to do its duty. Now the people have a chance to take action. In the November 2 general election, Constitutional Amendment 2 will be voted on. This provides that a commission shall have power to re-district if the legislature refuses. The commission will consist of the lieutenant governor, speaker of the House, attorney general, state comptroller, and land commissioner.

A situation whereby a man living in one district has only one-sixth of the voice in the making of the laws under which he lives as a man somewhere else is not democracy. It is indefensible.

Let's pass Constitutional Amendment 2 and change that condition!

ATTEND SESSION

Those from McLean attending the 35th annual session of the North Fork Baptist Association at Wheeler Thursday of last week were Rev. and Mrs. Ray Stephens, Mrs. Luther Petty, Mrs. R. L. McDonald, Mrs. Homer Abbott, Miss Marnelle Ledgerwood, and Wes Langham.

Mrs. Joe Graham and son, and Cecil Simpson spent Sunday in Pampa visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Simpson and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Graham.



Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Decker of Mountainair, N. M., visited last week-end with their son Bobby who is attending school here. They were accompanied by Mrs. Roy Baker and daughter, also of Mountainair.

Attend the Presbyterian Ladies rummage and bake sales in the bakery building every Saturday, beginning October 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kinkaid of Tulsa, Okla., were week-end visitors with Mrs. Kinkaid's mother, Mrs. R. L. Harlan, and daughter, June Delores Bender.

All-Day Meeting Held at Church By Baptist W. M. U.

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met last Friday at the church for an all-day session in observance of State Mission Week of Prayer. Lunch was served at noon.

The morning program was as follows: song, "Footprints of Jesus"; devotional, Mrs. George Colebank; introduction, Mrs. E. L. Price; talk, "The Ridge Road and the Express Way," Mrs. Homer Abbott; song, "Road Builders"; talk, "The Friendly Road," Mrs. R. A. Young; talk, "Many Side Roads," Mrs. Ray Stephens.

Following the lunch at noon, the following program was presented: song, "The Way of the Cross"; devotional, Mrs. S. A. Cobb; talk, "Rural Roads," Mrs. R. L. Appling; song, "Road Builders"; talk, "The Lonely Road," Mrs. Wayne Brister; talk, "Well Engineered Roads," Mrs. John Cooper; special, Mrs. Frank Howard and Mrs. Brister; talk, "The Road Ahead," Mrs. R. L. McDonald.

Others present were Mrs. J. T. McCarty, Mrs. T. A. Langham, Mrs. Bunia Kunzel, and Mrs. Luther Petty. Noon hour guests were Rev. Ray Stephens, Miss Eunice Stratton, Mrs. C. B. Lee Jr., and Mrs. Velma Betchan.

The meeting for this week was dismissed due to the revival now being carried on at the church. W. M. U. members have already packed 16 heavy boxes of clothing for foreign relief, and are still accepting contributions. Any person, regardless of denomination, is urged to bring clothing, shoes, bedding, kitchen articles, and school supplies to the church or parsonage at any time this week for packing for shipment the first of next week.

On Tuesday, October 12 at 2:30 o'clock, the Royal Service program will be given, to be followed by the monthly business meeting. The meeting will be at the church, with the new president, Mrs. R. L. McDonald, in charge. Committee chairmen will be appointed.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Plum and son of Carlsbad, N. M., are in McLean this week visiting with Mrs. Plum's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Andrews and daughters of Dallas are visiting Mrs. Andrews' parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Newman.

John Sublett, Mrs. Leon Waldrop, and Mrs. Velma Betchan made a trip Monday to Amarillo to attend the Tri-State Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rhodes and family of Borger spent Saturday and Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dusty Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harlan visited Monday with Tom Harlan who is ill at the Worley hospital in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Landers and Mrs. Perry Carruth attended the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo Monday.

Miss Pat Patton, student at Wichita Falls, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Patton.

Sam Haynes, who is attending college at Oklahoma University

at Norman, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. John Byrd Gull are the parents of a son born Saturday, October 2, at Pampa.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: L. M. Kaps, GREETING: You are commanded to appear and answer 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 18th day of October, A. D. 1948, at or before 10 o'clock a. m. before the Honorable District Court of Gray County, at the Court House in Pampa, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 2 day of August, 1948. The file number of said suit being No. 9152.

The names of the parties in said suit are Freda Kaps a Plaintiff, and L. M. Kaps as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit:

Suit for divorce. Plaintiff alleges that defendant was guilty of harsh, cruel, and inhuman treatment toward her and such conduct was of such nature as to render their further living together as husband and wife insupportable, and the custody of their two minor children to-wit: Myra Nell Kaps and Jes Ray Kaps.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the 14th day of August, A. D. 1948. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Pampa.

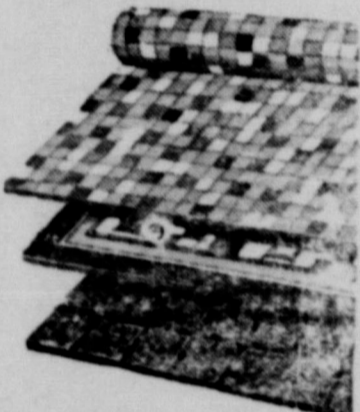
Texas, this the 14th day of August, A. D. 1948. DEER PATTERSON, Clerk, District Court, Gray County, Texas. By LOUISE STUART, Deputy (SEAL)

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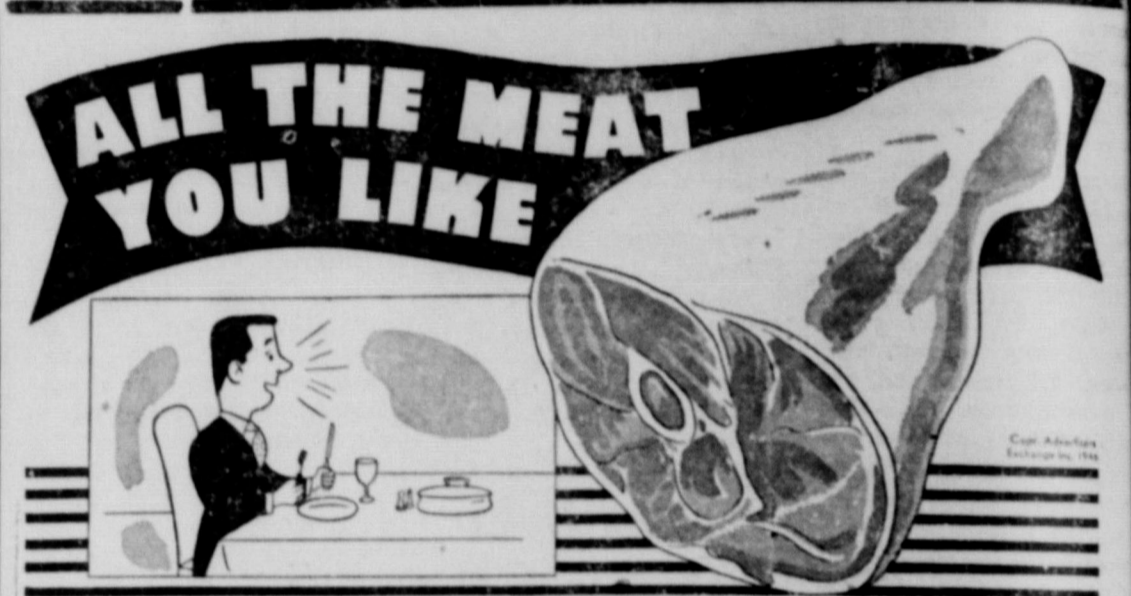
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All you like, and the way you like it—tender, tasty, delicious. You'll also like the cleanliness of our market, and the courtesy of our entire staff. Better still, you'll like our every-day, low prices. Here's a few specials for the week-end, designed to save you money on much-needed items.

- Miracle Whip
- Salad Dressing quart 59c
- Your Choice Milk Tall 2 cans 29c
- 46 oz. Pineapple Juice Dole's 42c
- Supreme Salad Wafers Crackers 2 lb box 42c
- Gold Medal Flour 10 lb 79c
- Pure Fruit Peach Preserves 2 lb. jar 39c

NEW LOW PRICE

- Hunt's Syrup Packed PLUMS 2 1/2 can 21c
- French MUSTARD 9 oz. 13c
- Tea Garden Grape JUICE qt. 39c

- Fresh Fruits and Vegetables**
- Green Pascal CELERY large stalk 15c
 - Fancy CRANBERRIES lb 27c
 - White ONIONS lb 9c
 - Fresh CARROTS bunch 7c
 - Green Bell PEPPERS lb 13c

- Peter Pan Peanut BUTTER 12 oz. 35c
- Vienna SAUSAGE Van Camp's 17c
- Quality Meats**
- Pork Our Own Make Sausage lb. 45c
- Tender Milk Fat Beef Ribs lb. 35c
- Parkey colored in quarters lb. 49c

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Methodist S. S. Officers Announced

Staff officers of the Methodist Church in McLean for the year have been announced as follows: Sunday school superintendent, S. A. Peabody; W. C. Meharig as president and Mrs. W. C. Shull as secretary-treasurer; Mrs. R. N. Ashby, ladies Bible class, with Mrs. J. W. Story as president and Mrs. A. Stanfield as secretary-treasurer; C. S. Rice, men's Bible class, assisted by J. L. Hess, with C. M. Carpenter as president and Taylor Wilson as secretary-treasurer. Sponsors of the Junior Fellowship group are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Day.

"It is our sincere endeavor to have an organization that will meet every need of those interested in the Methodist church," Rev. Longino said. "We welcome visitors and are constantly on the lookout for persons who need a church home. We therefore extend an invitation to any person interested to come and worship with us."

"Church service hours are 11 o'clock Sunday morning and 5 o'clock in the afternoon; Sunday School 9:45 each Sunday; Methodist Youth Fellowship, after the evening service, meeting at 6:15. The Methodist Junior Fellowship meets each Monday at 4:30 o'clock; Woman's Society of Christian Service, each Tuesday at 2 o'clock; and choir rehearsal each Wednesday at 7:30 o'clock.

"The early hour of the evening service will be continued throughout the winter. Our people like it because it gives them one evening at home each week. Too, it enables them to return home while it is still light. We will be happy to have you with us next Sunday evening at 5 o'clock.

C. R. Guyton left Sunday for Boyd, Okla., to be with his father, W. W. Guyton, who recently suffered a stroke. His condition was reported slightly improved early this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Day were Sunday visitors in Wellington with Mrs. Day's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Franks. Karen Day, who has been visiting for several days with her grandparents, returned to her home with them.

All Texas... State Fair on earth

OCT. 9-24

The BIGGEST and BEST EXHIBITS and ENTERTAINMENT ever assembled at any State Fair

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ICE CYCLES
TEXTILE, CULINARY and ANTIQUE SHOW
and others Galore!

State Fair of Texas
DALLAS
IRON WINDOW OF THE SOUTHWEST

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. McCluskey of Fort Worth are visiting this week in the home of Mrs. McCluskey's aunt, Mrs. E. L. Price and family.

M. D. Bentley left Monday for Atlanta, Ga., where he will spend several days visiting with his sister, Mrs. S. E. Gunn. He will also visit several brothers in other Eastern cities whom he has not seen for 53 years. He plans to be gone about two weeks.

Rummage and bake sales each Saturday, beginning October 9, in the bakery building, sponsored by the Presbyterian Ladies.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Callahan were Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Williamson and family of Cleburne, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Waters of Vega, and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Williamson and daughter of Wheeler. R. E. Stewart of Brownwood remained here for a longer visit.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACTS OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912, AND MARCH 3, 1933

Of The McLean News, published weekly at McLean, Texas, for October 1, 1948

State of Texas, County of Gray, s. Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared Lester H. Campbell, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor of The McLean News, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, circulation, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, as amended by the Act of March 3, 1933, embodied in section 537, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse side of this form, to-wit:

That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are:

Publisher, Albert Cooper, Shamrock, Texas.
Editor, Lester H. Campbell, McLean, Texas.
Managing editor, Lester H. Campbell, McLean, Texas.
Business manager, Lester H. Campbell, McLean, Texas.

That the owner is: Albert Cooper, Shamrock, Texas; Lester H. Campbell, McLean, Texas; Arval Montgomery, Shamrock, Texas.

That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 percent or more of the total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: T. A. Landers, McLean, Texas.

That the two paragraphs next above, giving the names of the owners, stockholders, and security holders, if any, contain not only the list of stockholders and se-

curity holders as they appear upon the books of the company but also, in cases where the stockholder or security holder appears upon the books of the company as trustee or in any other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation for whom such trustee is acting, is given; also, that the said two paragraphs contain statements embracing affiant's full knowledge and belief as to the circumstances and conditions under which stockholders and security holders who do not appear upon the books of the company as trustees, hold stock and securities in a capacity other than that of a bona fide owner; and this affiant has no reason to believe that any other person, association, or corporation has any interest direct or indirect in the said stock, bonds, or other securities than as stated by him.

That the average number of copies of each issue of this publication sold or distributed, thru the mails or otherwise, to paid subscribers during the twelve months preceding the date shown above is 835.

Lester H. Campbell, Editor.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of October, 1948.
(SEAL) Eunice Stratton
(My commission expires June 1, 1949).

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: Roy H. Lappin, GREETING:
You are commanded to appear and answer 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 25th day of October, A. D. 1948, at or before 10 o'clock a. m., before the Honorable District Court of Gray County, at the Court House in Pampa, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 10th day of September, 1948.

The file number of said suit being No. 9190.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Florence E. Lappin, as Plaintiff, and Roy H. Lappin as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: Carl Walter Carroll, GREETING:
You are commanded to appear and answer 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 1st day of November, A. D. 1948, at or before 10 o'clock a. m., before the Honorable District Court of Gray County, at the Court House in Pampa, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 17 day of September, 1948.

The file number of said suit being No. 9202.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Faye Carroll as Plaintiff, and Carl Walter Carroll as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff sues for annulment because of defendant prior undissolved marriage.

Issued this the 17th day of September, 1948.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Pampa, Texas, this the 17th day of September, A. D., 1948.

DEE PATTERSON, Clerk, District Court, Gray County, Texas.
By LOUISE STUART, Deputy (SEAL) 39-4c

Issued this the 11th day of September, 1948.

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Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 10th day of September, 1948.

The file number of said suit being No. 9190.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Florence E. Lappin, as Plaintiff, and Roy H. Lappin as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce.



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HERE ARE MORE questions and answers to acquaint you with the differences you may expect if our nation falls to Communism. The questions and answers are from a booklet, "100 Things You Should Know About Communism," published by the House Committee on Un-American Activities.

66. How do they (Communists) smear labor opposition? As "scabs," "finks," "company stooges," and "labor spies."
67. How do they smear public officials? As "reactionaries," "Wall Street tools," "Hitlerites," and "imperialists."
68. What is their favorite escape when challenged on a point of fact? To accuse you of "dragging in a red herring," a distortion of an old folk saying that originally described the way to throw hounds off the track of a hot trail.
69. What is the difference in fact between a Communist and a Fascist? None worth noticing.
70. How do Communists get control of organizations in which the majority are not Communists? They work. Others won't. They come early and stay late. Others don't. They know how to run a meeting. Others don't. They demand the floor. Others won't. They do not hesitate to use physical violence or ANY form of persecution. They stay organized and prepared in advance of each meeting. The thing to remember is that Communists are trained agents under rigid discipline, but they can always be defeated by the facts.
71. When was the communist Party of the United organized, and where? September, 1919, at Chicago.

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TALK

BY LESTER

The score of McLean 46, Canadian 6, just about tells the story. The Tigers were simply that much better than the Wildcas. But it did give Al Duncan an opportunity to let all squadsmen play. And as far as I could make out, they all did play, too. I was told by Vincent Lockhart, Canadian Record published, that the week before when Shamrock played Canadian, the first string of the Shamrock team played the entire game.

I got a feeling we are going to beat that Shamrock bunch.

The trick the band from McLean pulled at the half was very "stunty." In case you didn't recognize the formation, it was a gun, and the powder burning and bang was the firing of the gun. Pretty clever, I thought. Congratulations to Bill Miller for the swell job he is doing with the band.

Work is beginning to begin on the broadcasting station at Shamrock. Call letters for the station, when it is put in operation, will be KEVA, and it will be 1580 on your dial. Main stockholder of the company is Albert Cooper, who is also a partner of mine in this paper. Incidentally, Cooper's mother's given name is Eva, the last three letters in the new station's call letters—KEVA. He was here the other day, and was quite pleased with the call letters. The station may be put into operation in two or three months. There's quite a bit of work to be done, and it is now just being started. John Kennedy, a very pleasant young man with considerable radio experience, is to be the manager.

Don't think we've ever had anything in the paper about it, but W. W. Shadid has bought the beautiful rock house which was built by the late Vester Smith.

The Shadid family moved into it several weeks ago, but I kept forgetting to mention it. Mr. Shadid sold his former home to C. J. Cash, I hear.

Something else I forgot to mention is that Arvin Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Smith of McLean, suffered an ankle injury while practicing with the grid team at New Mexico A. and M. He had to have an operation, but is now getting along okay. His leg is still in a cast. Here's hoping Arvin recovers quickly—he's a nice and smart young man.

The Church of Christ building is coming along rapidly. It's supposed to be completed late in November, barring bad weather or other unforeseen developments. When completed it will be one of the prettiest churches in this section. Minister John R. Palmer is putting in a good deal of his time in the planning work, etc.

And also the financial end of the deal, too.

Since I don't know anything about oil wells, their developments, etc., I am not qualified to say much about the possibilities of the new Helms-Hickman well north of town. But I went out there the other day—twice the same day as a matter of fact—and I saw oil flowing from the well. I am easily convinced. I hope that the oil is as easily convinced and a good well is made. If that happens, then there is a good possibility, or so I'm told at least, that a field might be developed. Incidentally, it will be too close to McLean for Pampa to claim.

A field that close to McLean would be of great benefit. I am told that when the Kellerville field was first discovered, many residents here were definitely against any oil development—said they didn't want those old oil field workers messing up their little town. Well, since living here for a couple of years now, I have had the opportunity to meet a number of oil field workers, and I don't believe I have met, or will ever meet, any finer people.

But an oil field near McLean would do much, much good. In the first place, if a field can be developed that close, it will be in the McLean school district—the Helms-Hickman well is in the district, incidentally. Then our schools could get more money, etc., and we could add the necessary facilities to make the system a top grade school.

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SOCIETY

Ladies Auxiliary Program on Brotherly Love

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church met today in the church parlor.

Mattie Graham was leader of the following spiritual life program on brotherly love: song, "Somebody Today"; scripture, "Welcome Stranger"; Mrs. Troy Corbin and Mrs. James Massay; "Brotherly Love"; Miss Marjorie Goodman; the close of the program, Mrs. Curtis, vice president, conducted a short business meeting.

Present were Mesdames J. B. Bourland, F. H. Rice, H. F. Little, C. E. Cooke, C. E. Cortis, Arthur Erwin, Mat. Graham, Jess Kemp, and Miss Marie Goodman.

V. B. Reagor and Mr. Huber of Amarillo visited in the home of last week's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Landers.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pierson, and Mrs. Pat Baker, and Miss Terry left Thursday of last for Culver City, Calif., where they are planning to make home.

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Prepared by Maxine Davis, noted medical reporter, the complete chart appears in the October issue of Good Housekeeping magazine.

Categories into which the chart is divided include 1—the site or location of the cancer; 2—the frequency with which such cancers occur in each sex; 3—the common age at which they occur; 4—details of the doctor's examination; 5—technical laboratory studies; 6—treatment; 7—chances for cure; 8—preventive measures.

"No such comprehensive and succinct investigation of cancer ever has been made available to the public," the magazine declares. "In an illness in which early diagnosis continues to be the most important factor, and fear of examination a contributor to delay, this unhysterical presentation of facts renders a unique public service."

"For the first time in the history of medical science, there is reason to hope for some solutions to the tragic riddle of cancer," Miss Davis writes in an article which accompanies the chart. "In the past, although no one denied cancer's gravity, few scientists studied it. . . . So profound is the subject that few had the courage to in-

vestigate it, and the funds available to them were minuscule. Today money for research on a grand scale is being provided, and many investigators are at work.

"Your chances of suffering from cancer are not increasing, but the incidence of cancer is rising. This is because cancer is more likely in middle and later life, and as science lengthens our life span, more of us live to be cancer victims.

"Cancer is not necessarily fatal. Cures do exist. Thousands are cured each year. Nevertheless, one in every six who live into middle age is doomed to die of cancer.

"For the first time the federal government has appropriated adequate money. Last year it gave \$14,000,000 to the National Cancer Institute of the U. S. Public Health Service, staffed by as competent administrators and scientists as can be found. This year the National Cancer Institute has been given another \$14,000,000 plus authorization to make contracts amounting to \$8,000,000 for construction of essential laboratories.

"Some of this money goes for education of the public and of the medical profession; but the greater part is being spent for research. Research and education are long-time undertakings, and we may regard these appropriations merely as down payments on a bill that easily will exceed \$100,000,000 within ten years."

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Grigsby of Borger and Perry Carruth of Lamesa visited over the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Landers.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Don Morris of Amarillo visited Mrs. Morris' parents Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Grigsby, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Pettit and son of Pampa were week-end visitors with Mrs. Lena Pettit and Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Carter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mercer attended the funeral services Monday at Wellington for Jack Ledbetter, who was killed in an

Robinson Law Office Here

Elsewhere in this issue appears an ad of S. G. Robinson, attorney-at-law, who came to McLean about one year ago, and who now has an office in the Holloway insurance building on Main Street.

Robinson bears the name of being a fine man and a good attorney, according to the many letters of recommendation he has from judges of the Court of Civil Appeals, district courts, and many attorneys who know him and have practiced with him while in Texas. He practiced law in Guanah, Vernon, and Wichita Falls for six years before coming to McLean, where his children have resided for a number of years.

The Presbyterian Ladies will sponsor rummage and bake sales in the bakery building every Saturday, beginning October 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Shelton accompanied Odes Shelton and Joe Turner to Borger Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burton of Breckenridge were week-end visitors with friends in McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Mullanax and son Gayle attended the circus in Amarillo last Friday.

Mrs. L. E. Cunningham was in Amarillo one day last week for medical treatment.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Marje Hylton, GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer 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 25th day of October, A. D. 1948, at or before 10 o'clock a. m. before the Honorable District Court of Gray County, at the Court House in Pampa, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 11th day of September, 1948.

The file number of said suit being No. 9192.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Charles D. Hylton as Plaintiff, and Marie Hylton as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being

substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce.

Plaintiff alleges that defendant left him with the intention to abandon him, since which time defendant has, in all rights, abandoned plaintiff; that more than three years have expired since said abandonment, as aforesaid.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the 11th day of September, A. D. 1948.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Pampa, Texas, this the 11th day of September, A. D. 1948.

DEE PATTERSON, Clerk, District Court, Gray County, Texas.

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The Presbyterian Ladies Auxiliary will sponsor a book review Thursday, October 14, at 3:30 o'clock at the Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Bedford Harrison from Shamrock will review "No Trumpet Before Him," an \$8,000 Westminster annual award winner, by Neila Gardner White. Admission 40c. 41-2p

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Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Grigsby were visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Norman Grigsby, student at Texas Tech in Lubbock, spent the week-end visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Grigsby.

Mrs. D. M. Wiggins of Lubbock visited Tuesday with Mrs. Bob Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Key visited Monday in Wheeler.

Tigers—

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Hernandez punted out on the Canadian 34. Three plays put the ball on the Canadian 10, from where Watson found a hole through center and went over Haynes converted, and the score was 20-0.

After the kick-off to Canadian, Gray fumbled and Kramer recovered for McLean on the Canadian 45. Haynes attempted a pass, but it fell incomplete. Then Griffith tossed to Haynes and he went over for another touchdown. Haynes kicked the point and the score was 27-0. The half ended shortly after.

In the third period, Canadian kicked off to the 20, with Haynes racing down the side of the field 32 yards before being crowded out on the Canadian 18. On the second play, Haynes found that hole through the center of the line and went over. His placement failed and the score was 33-0.

Still in the third period, the Wildcats made it down to the McLean 14, but lost the ball on downs. Starting from there, the Tigers worked the ball to the Canadian 38. Charles Bailey carried to the 20, and Haynes to the 13. Two passes were attempted, and then Newton went to the 2. Newton then plunged it over. Haynes kick was blocked and the score was 39-0.

In the final quarter, the Wildcats covered a McLean fumble on the McLean 42. Hernandez passed to Rathjen to the 21. Another pass fell incomplete, and Hernandez ran to the 13. Farnsworth went through the right side and over. A pass fell incomplete for the extra point and the score was 39-6.

Near the end of the game, Brooks recovered a fumble on the McLean 46. Watson's pass to Haynes was incomplete, and then Haynes picked up 2. From there Griffith circled left end and raced 52 yards for the final counter. Haynes converted to make it 46-6. The game ended a few plays after the next kick-off to Canadian.

Oil Well—

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Kellerville field. Helms holds leases on the south half of the east 340 acres of the Thomas Estate land, and also other leases in that general area. He plans an offset in the near future. Leases to the west and to the north are held by the Warren Oil Corporation.

Just how much the Helms-Hickman discovery will mean is not known. The drillers feel that the pool is an entirely new field, while others disagree. In going down, Helms had some difficulty getting through a hard granite sand structure, which might have caused earlier tests to fail. Some speculators believe that the field will develop in a southeasterly direction, while others are inclined to believe that the development will be to the east.

A number of land-owners in the general area have already been approached for leases by out-of-town people. Most of the land, however, is already under lease.

Budget—

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appropriated \$51,287, against an income of \$458,275.

Salaries for officers and employees are booked for \$87,494 and the anticipated income is \$87,285. Commissioners set the budget to allow for surpluses, since reserves are needed in case of emergencies, Judge White explained.

Mrs. Georgia Durham and sons, Oren and E. B. spent the week-end in Alanreed with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Lofton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Montgomery and sons, Mike and Pat, made a trip Saturday to Dallas, where Pat received a medical examination.

Memorial Rites For R. J. Nelson To Be Sunday

The body of Pfc. Roy James Nelson, graduate of McLean High School with the class of 1944, will arrive in Hereford Saturday for interment in the United States.

Funeral services for the young man who was killed in action near Berlin, Germany, April 7, 1945, will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Baptist Church at Dimmitt.

Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Nelson, had been in service less than one year when he was killed in action. He had donned a uniform soon after he graduated from McLean High School in May of 1944. He was fighting with the 7th army when killed near the German capital.

He was born January 20, 1926, at the farm home of the Nelson family in Wheeler County near the Wheeler-Gray county line. He spent his first eight years of study at Heald and Kellerville, and began his high school work in McLean in September, 1940.

Nelson was vice president of the Future Farmers of America chapter in McLean in 1940-41, and he had planned to be a farmer after his release from the service.

Farm Bureau Meeting Set

A district Farm Bureau meeting will be held at the Herring Hotel in Amarillo Friday, October 15, it has been announced by J. Walter Hammond, president of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation. C. H. Kuper of Dalhart, district director, will preside. The meeting will start at 10 o'clock.

This will be one of a series of 13 district meetings being held throughout Texas during the month of October, for the purpose of bringing farmers and ranchmen first-hand information on the immediate agricultural situation, and the economic conditions of the nation as a whole.

"Farm prices have dropped 30 per cent in the past nine months, and farmers' buying power has been reduced 18 per cent," Hammond said. "Only through a workable, long range farm program that will provide for adequate price supports for farm commodities, can this nation enjoy a balanced economy and avoid another depression such as was experienced in the early thirties," he declared. The long range farm bill hastily passed during the closing days of the last session of Congress will not adequately safeguard the interests of agriculture, and it will take a strong organization of farmers in this nation to secure some necessary amendments to this bill at the next session, the Federation president emphasized.

Plans for the Farm Bureau's fall membership round-up will be discussed, and an added feature of the district meeting will be selection of a district Farm Bureau queen to participate in the State Queen Contest to be held during the state convention. Texas Farm Bureau's membership goal for 1948 is 60,000.

Miss Margaret Glass and Mrs. Ted Glass accompanied Mrs. J. T. Glass to Amarillo Monday for medical examination.

Robespierre, French Revolution leader who had thousands guillotined, finally was guillotined himself.

A dud is a shell which failed to explode.

A masque is a form of dramatic entertainment.

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TWIGS OR BRUSHES?



CHICAGO—Noel Pierce, who teaches charm and modelling, shows that clean teeth are an important asset to personal appearance. The brushes, at right that Noel is holding, however, were typical of those received in a recent survey conducted in cooperation with the American Dental Association which showed that four out of five toothbrushes now in use are so badly worn or are in such an unsanitary condition that they are no longer usable for oral hygiene.

At the top of the pile of brushes are two "toothbrushes"—twigs which are tufted at the end—which were in use by members of a Georgia family! Dental authorities believe that persons should replace their toothbrushes at frequent intervals to maintain good oral hygiene.

WCS Members Meet in Church Parlor for Study

Methodist women of the W. S. C. S. met Tuesday, October 5, in the parlor of the church for the study on "America's Frontiers" with Mrs. Frank Rodgers in charge of the program. Mrs. Rodgers gave a preview of the

things to be studied in the six weeks course.

The scripture reading, "Who Is My Neighbor?" from Luke 10, was given by Mrs. W. E. Bogan; song, "Can the World See Jesus in Me"; prayer, Mrs. J. R. Kirby; song, "Help Somebody Today."

Mrs. Ercy Cubine welcomed the guests. The parlor rooms were decorated with lovely fall flowers arranged by Mrs. D. A. Davis. Mrs. Bob Sherrod and Mrs. Sam Summers presided at the refreshment table.

Those present were Mesdames Earl Eustace, Ellen Wilson, R. D. Patterson, Callie Haynes, Guy Hibler, John Sparks, J. L. Andrews, D. A. Davis, S. J. Dyer, J. W. Story, J. E. Kirby, Ercy Cubine, W. E. Bogan, J. L. Hess, Frank Rodgers, Bob Sherrod, Sam Summers, and Christa Carol Rodgers and Doris Jean Summers.

Everyone was urged to be present Tuesday of next week when the topic of study will be Hawaii.

William James is the American philosopher most identified with the doctrine of pragmatism.

Assassination of the Crown Prince, Franz Ferdinand of Austria, precipitated the First World War.

In Catholic history, the "Great Schism" occurred in 1378 when two popes were elected by rival factions.

It is centrifugal force that throws you off the turntable at the amusement park.

C. A. Biggers Dies in Amarillo

Funeral services for Clifford A. Biggers of Amarillo, former resident of McLean, were held Tuesday afternoon of last week in the N. S. Griggs and Sons chapel in Amarillo. He died Monday morning of last week at his home, 109 Sherrill Drive, Pleasant Valley.

Rites were conducted by Rev. M. A. Meeker, pastor of the Pleasant Valley Christian Church.

Biggers 59 years of age, formerly lived in McLean, and had lived in Amarillo since 1922. He was widely known as a water well driller.

He was born in Jack County, July 14, 1889.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Margaret Biggers; two sons, Herbert and C. A. Jr., of Amarillo; a daughter, Margie Ruth Biggers of Amarillo; his mother, Mrs. Mary Biggers; four brothers, Henry of Hereford, Alex. of Perrin, Neat of McClellan, Colo., and I. O. of Amarillo; and four sisters, Mrs. Evelyn McClellan of McLean, Mrs. Nettie Marks of Portales, N. M., Mrs. Cora Miller of Dallas, and Mrs. Myrtle Smith of Amarillo.

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From 1796 to 1799 the exact power of France was held "The Directory," a body of men.

Guy Fawkes in 1605 attempted to blow up the English House of Parliament.

Florence Nightingale became famous as a nurse during the Crimean War.

Napoleon's retreat from Moscow was one of the most disastrous retreats in military history.

The longest river in South America is the Amazon, 2,900 miles.

Epicure comes from a school of philosophy founded by Epicurus in the 4th century, B. C.

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