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Saturday Date of Youth Rally, First in Series

The young people of the First Baptist Church, under the supervision of Amos Baker, church educational director, will play at the first in a series of inter-denominational youth rallies Saturday night. Plans are to have the rallies each Saturday night for the duration of the summer.

The youth rally program is a part of a nationwide movement to provide good recreation and fellowship for all young people, was explained.

Bob Black Jr., McLean college student, will be the speaker for the first program Saturday night. The program will also include singing led by Baker, and instrumental music. This will be followed by an hour and a half of recreation.

All the young people of McLean have been invited, as well as young people from Lefors, Shamrock, Tiddy, Kellerville, Alanreed, Wheeler, Mobette, and other towns in this area.

Selection of officers for the organization will be held, and officers will be selected from the general assembly which will include representatives of the various denominations.

Future meetings will be sponsored by the young people of the different churches.

McLean Nine Splits Games With Groom

McLean's baseball team won one of its first games when they journeyed to Groom Sunday afternoon for a double-header in the Caprock league play.

The local nine took the first game 5-2, and dropped the second 4-1.

No regular games are scheduled for Sunday, July 3, but on July 4 the McLean team plays host to the third-place Panhandle club.

In other games last Sunday, Fairburn tightened its hold on first place by nosing out Panhandle 8-7; Hedley, now in second place, tallied seven runs in the 10th inning and won out over last-place Goldston 10-8; St. Francis Claude postponed their game until after harvest.

Standings:	W	L
Fairburn	8	1
Hedley	7	2
Panhandle	6	2
Groom	5	4
St. Francis	4	4
McLean	3	5
Claude	1	7
Goldston	0	9

Softball— Last Week's Results:

Thursday, June 23: Baptist youth 31, M. and K. 20; Bluebirds 22, Baptist youth 11.

Monday, June 27: Alanreed 22, Warren 3; P. and G. Wonders 14, Lela 3.

Tuesday, June 28: Holloway 10, Methodist 9; Baptist adults 12, Post Office 6.

This Week's Games:
Thursday, June 30: Red Caps vs. Baptist youth; M. and K. vs. Bluebirds.
Monday, July 5: Lela vs. Warren.
Tuesday, July 5: Alanreed vs. Baptist adults; Methodists vs. Baptist youth.
Thursday, July 7: Post Office vs. Bluebirds; Red Caps vs. M. and K.
Friday, July 8: P. and G. vs. Holloway (changed from Monday).

The Standings:	W	L
Holloway	4	0
Methodist	4	1
P. and G.	4	1
Alanreed	3	1
Baptist Adults	3	2
Post Office	2	2
Red Caps	2	3
Baptist Youth	1	3
Warren	1	3
M. and K.	1	3
Bluebirds	1	3
Red Caps	0	4



DESIGNED BY Cartoonist Al Capp, creator of Li'l Abner, this certificate, printed in four colors, is now available through the state office of the United States Savings Bond Division and cooperating local savings bond issuing agencies. It signifies the ownership of a savings bond purchased by and for a youngster by a relative or friend.

Most Business Houses to Close All Day on Monday, July 4

Practically all business houses in downtown McLean will be closed all day next Monday, in observance of the July 4 holiday.

A brief survey of businesses indicated that the holiday will be observed, and only a few places of business will be open. These will include cafes, filling stations, and similar types of business.

No July 4 celebration is being planned in McLean, but most residents have indicated that they will remain here. Some will take

Six Attending Youth Camp

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Hicks and a group of young people left Monday morning for an intermediate encampment of the Methodist youth of the Clarendon district at Ceta Canyon.

Those attending from McLean were Shirley Allison, Donna Gail and June Stubbiefield, Virginia Beck, Floella Cubine, and Jeanne Sherrod.

Mr. and Mrs. Frey Cubine accompanied the group, but returned Monday night. Rev. and Mrs. Hicks will remain for the five-day period and serve as instructors in the camp.

Teen-Agers Plan Fun Nite Program

Fun Nite for teen-agers will be held in the American Legion Hall tonight, sponsors of the event said tonight. Music will be by the Sunset Ramblers.

A dance for teen-agers will also be held Monday night, July 4, it was announced.

41 Farmers Put 1200 Acres In Grasses to Conserve Soil

A total of approximately 1200 acres was planted in pasture grasses this spring by 41 farmers and ranchers who are carrying out soil conservation plans in cooperation with the Gray County Soil Conservation District, Quentin Williams, district conservationist, said this week.

Most of this planting was done on land which was no longer suitable for cultivation, but which should still produce a reasonably good growth of grass. Varieties used on the sander soils include side-oats and blue grama, Indian grass, big and little bluestem, sand lovegrass, switch grass, weeping lovegrass and Canada wild rye. Varieties used on the tighter soils were blue grama, buffalo, crested wheat and western wheat. Madrid and other varieties of biennial sweet clover were included in some of the plantings.

Most of the planting was done with the special grass drill which was purchased by the Soil Conservation District last year, with assistance from the Pampa Chamber of Commerce.

The largest plantings were made by C. P. Pursley, James Clift, and R. E. Darsey, who planted more than 100 acres each. Others from the McLean community who planted grass are: Peab Everett, Boyd Meador, R. B. Kinard, Raymond McReynolds, Henry Roth, James Massay, Homer Wilson, Homer Abbott, M. H. Hibler, Clyde Brown, A. L. Hibler, D. C. Carpenter, Clell Windom, Elmer Day, Oscar Tibbets, Ercy Cubine, Charlie Corcoran, Bert Huggins, Leroy Williams, and I. D. Shaw.

In the Alanreed community, Paul Bruce, G. M. Hall, Hugh Castleberry, E. R. Sherrod, Roy Wilson, W. A. Ayers, B. J. Shaw, and B. E. Glass.

In the Lefors community, Arlie Carpenter and Bruce Bull; in the Lakewood community, Charlie Webb and W. H. Roberts; Groom community, Tom Kirby and George Munity; Pampa community, Dr. M. Latta; Pampa community, Dr. M. C. Overton and Clyde Carruth; and in the Kingsmill community, Amos Harris.

37 Cars Wheat Bought; Price \$1.72 Bushel

Although wheat harvest in Gray County as a whole was only about 35 per cent complete Wednesday, harvesting of the golden grain in the McLean area was coming along at a faster clip.

The 37th car was being loaded Wednesday morning, according to reports from the two buyers in McLean, S. R. Jones, representing the Kimbell Milling company of Fort Worth, and M. W. Knight of the Knight Grain company.

The price being paid Wednesday morning in McLean was \$1.72 per bushel.

Harvesting got into the speedy swing last week, but was slowed down somewhat by a rain Thursday. The showers brought 74 of an inch here in McLean, Pete Pulbright, local weather observer, said. The rainfall brought the total for the month of June to 2.84 and the total for the year to 16.60 inches.

The wheat this year has not been grading as high or weighing as heavily as that of last year. It has been low in moisture content, however.

Throughout the Panhandle area, harvesting of wheat was progressing rapidly, interrupted occasionally by thunder showers.

In Donley County, farmers reported about 75 per cent complete; Hutchinson, 20 per cent; Roberts, 55 per cent; Carson, 100 per cent; Armstrong, 70 per cent; Potter and Randall, 35 per cent; Hanford, 45 per cent; Ochiltree, 60 per cent; Lipscomb, 65 per cent; Swisher, 80 per cent; Castro, 65 per cent; Floyd and Motley, 85 per cent.

The two grain loaders in McLean have been kept fairly busy during the past week, and thus far no great shortage of cars has interrupted operations. Most wheat growers are apparently selling their grain at the prevailing market prices, rather than placing it under government loan and storing it.

This season two firms are buying grain in McLean. They are the Kimbell Milling company of Fort Worth, represented locally by S. R. Jones, and the Knight Grain company, owned by M. W. Knight of Wichita Falls, who is here buying his own wheat. Wednesday both firms were paying \$1.72 per bushel, and few farmers were placing their grain under government loan. How long this price is expected to hold is not known. Approximately 50 per cent of the wheat in the McLean area has been harvested thus far, with about 60 carloads expected to be bought and shipped from McLean.

BIRTHDAYS

July 3—Mrs. W. T. Wilson.
July 4—C. B. Lee.
July 5—Mrs. Corinne Trimble, Mrs. W. M. Rhodes, Hershel McCarty, Thomas Willis, Mrs. Scott Johnston.
July 6—Eugene Henley, S. J. Dyer Jr.
July 7—Don Howard, Mrs. Zora Kennedy, Mrs. Nora Loveland.
July 8—John B. Rice, Dale Johnston, Mrs. Nolan Bunch.
July 9—Burnis Stokes, Vick McPherson, Nell Bentley.

McLean to Get Dose of Fog

The fog machine of the city of Pampa is to be used in McLean either today or Friday, Mayor Harris King said this week, in an effort to rid the city of some of the flies.

McLean city employees have used the city sprayer twice this year, but the DDT solution when sprayed seemingly is having little effect this year in killing the flies.

Mayor King said that arrangements were made to use the Pampa fog machine, and it is hoped that this will be more effective.

Lions Hear Patty Rippy

Miss Patty Ruth Rippy of Fort Worth, former resident of McLean, sang before members of the Lions Club at the regular meeting of the group Tuesday noon.

Miss Rippy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rippy, has been studying music and voice at NTSTC at Denton. Club members who had heard her sing while she was living in McLean expressed the opinion that her voice has improved greatly during the past year, and predicted success for her in her chosen field.

Before the Lions she sang two numbers, "All the Things You Are" and "The Liloa Tree."

Portable Unit to Give Free X-Rays Of Chests Wednesday, Thursday

Presbyterians To Hear New Pastor Sunday

The new pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in McLean, Rev. George MacDonald, will arrive here from his former home, Casselton, N. D. this week, and will conduct services at the church Sunday.

Rev. MacDonald, 55 years of age, was selected as pastor of the church in May. He is to assume his duties July 1.

The new pastor succeeds Rev. Karl Ernst, who resigned as Presbyterian pastor last fall. The church has been without a pastor since that time. Rev. Ernst has been making his home in North Dakota since leaving here, but recently accepted a call to the pastorate of the Presbyterian church at Dumas.

Rev. MacDonald conducted services here in May, and was extended a call at that time.

He will be here for both the Sunday morning services at 11 o'clock and the evening services at 8 o'clock.

Cotton Classing Offered Again

Plans for handling the 1949 cotton classing and market news services available to farmers without cost under the Smith-Doxey Act were announced recently by J. A. Albritton, in charge of the Altus, Okla., office of the cotton branch, Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

"Farmers should apply for these services just as they did last year," Mr. Albritton said.

To be eligible for the free cotton classing and market news services, he pointed out that farmers must meet these requirements: 1. Belong to a group of farmers organized to promote the improvements of cotton; 2. plant part of his acreage in the variety of cotton adopted by the group; 3. file an application as soon as the cotton is planted.

Groups in this area should mail their application to P. O. Box 249, Altus, Okla.

"To make sure farmers secure all the benefits due them under this program, their group application should reach our office by July 1," Albritton said. However, applications will be accepted until August 15.

He that resolves upon any great and good end, has, by that very resolution, scaled the chief barrier to it.—Tryon Edwards.

Ideas go booming through the world louder than cannon. Thoughts are mightier than armies. Principles have achieved more victories than horsemen or chariots.—W. M. Paxton.

About 80 Attend Lions Picnic, See New Officers Installed

The Lions and their families Clayton Day, tail twister; and W. A. Howard and J. D. Coleman, new directors.

W. C. Meharg was named as the "Lion of the Year," a title he won for the second straight year. He was presented the award by Dr. Roy Webb of Pampa. Balloting on the honor was done secretly by Lions at a regular meeting several weeks ago. Meharg, who served as president in 1947-48, has been chairman of Zone 2 for the past year.

Appearing on the program were Barbara Nell Williams and Shirley Allison, who played two accordion numbers as a duet.

Out-of-town guests included Dr. Webb, A. B. Whitten, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman White, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thomas, all of Pampa. The meal consisted of barbecued chicken, potato salad, beans, bread, and ice cream.

Laura V. Hamner To 'Visit' McLean On Radio Program

Laura V. Hamner, prominent author, will "visit" McLean on her regular radio program next Sunday morning at 8:30 o'clock over KGNC, Amarillo.

In her last Sunday's broadcast, the author stated that she "will light and hitch" in McLean next Sunday morning.

Recently, Mrs. Jim Back, McLean English teacher, attended the Panhandle Pen Writers conference in Amarillo, and the well-known author stated then that she would talk about McLean in the near future. She will feature in the program the creative writing of local students.

Fulmer Accepts Ministry of Olton Church

John R. Fulmer, minister of the Church of Christ in McLean since December of 1947, has accepted the ministry of the Church of Christ in Olton.

Minister Fulmer will fill the pulpit at Olton next Sunday. He and Mrs. Fulmer plan to move from McLean some time next week.

During his time as minister of the local church, the old church building was sold and the new \$50,000 structure erected, giving the local members one of the most beautiful and modern buildings in the area.

The minister resigned from the local pulpit several weeks ago, the resignation to become effective July 1.

No successor to Minister Fulmer has as yet been announced by the local church.

Shamrock Plans Golf Tourney

A two-day match play golf tournament will be held at the Shamrock City Golf Club Inc. Sunday and Monday, July 3 and 4, it has been announced.

Qualifying rounds began last Sunday and may be played at any time through July 2. J. B. Brown and Jack Stroup, who are in charge of arrangements, said.

Appropriate prizes will be awarded the winner, runner-up, and winner of the consolation in each flight. A leather golf bag will be given to the winner in each flight. A medalist prize will be given, as will miscellaneous prizes for driving, putting, etc.

Entrants will be grouped 16 to a flight, and matches will be 18 holes. Contestants may agree to nine-hole matches, however, except in the championship flight. The new Shamrock Legion home will be used as a club house during the tournament.

LIBRARY NEWS

By Lady Bryant, Librarian
An interesting visitor in the McLean Public Library recently was Mrs. A. E. McNamara of Cabaiguav, Cuba.

Mrs. McNamara is visiting her children in the States, and was en route from Detroit, Mich., to Jacksonville, Fla. She moved from the States in 1916 to Cuba, where she and her husband have a coffee plantation. When traveling over here, Mrs. McNamara makes a habit of visiting the libraries en route.

She remarked that the McLean Public Library is one of the most up-to-date libraries, both in management and in choice of books, of any in towns of this size that she has visited.

COURTESY

The NICEST courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned in this newspaper. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is to let them learn of your visit through these pages whenever you go away. The publisher will consider it a courtesy whenever you give us an item of any kind.

To Be Set Up At Dysart Firm; Hours 9 to 6

Citizens of the McLean area, regardless of whether they live in Gray County or not, will have the opportunity of receiving a free chest X-ray here next Wednesday and Thursday. The only requirement is that those taking the X-rays be 15 years of age or older.

The portable X-ray unit of the State Health Department will be set up at the Dysart Motor company showroom Wednesday and Thursday, July 6 and 7. Hours of operation of the unit will be from 9 o'clock in the morning until 6 at night, on each of the two days.

W. L. Copeland is the McLean representative of the Gray County steering committee for the visit of the unit, and will be in charge of the preliminary arrangements for the free X-rays. Mrs. Clifford Allison will have charge of the women who will assist in the registration of those taking the X-rays.

The giving of the X-rays was held only one day in McLean last year, and a total of 619 people took advantage of the service. There is no charge made for the service, since it is supported by state taxes.

"All residents of the area are urged to take advantage of the service," Copeland emphasized. "The X-rays will be made at no charge to any person 15 years of age or over. It is not necessary to be a resident of Gray County, but instead people from the surrounding counties—Donley, Collingsworth and Wheeler—are also urged to come in and have their X-ray made of their chests."

Taking of an X-ray requires only two minutes of your time, two minutes is used up in registering at the desk as you enter. Those taking advantage of the service are requested not to wear clothing with metal buttons, since metal objects will show up in the X-ray.

Following the taking of the pictures, they will be forwarded to Austin for development and study. If an X-ray shows negative, the person will be notified to that effect. If a positive tuberculosis reaction is shown, the family doctor of that person will be notified, and a further study should be made. Last year only a few positive reactions were found in the 619 X-rayed here.

About 60 were found in the several thousand X-rayed in the county.

Copeland stated that those persons who had X-rays made last year are also urged to take advantage of the service again, since tuberculosis could have been acquired since last year.

Proposed Constitutional Amendments . . .

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1

Proposing an amendment to Section 2 of Article VI of the Constitution, repealing the provision making the payment of a poll tax a qualification of an elector; requiring the Legislature to pass a general registration law for voters; providing for the necessary election, proclamation and publication by the Governor, and making an appropriation.

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

Section 1. Section 2, Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be and the same is amended hereby so as to read hereafter as follows:

"Section 2. Every person subject to none of the foregoing disqualifications who shall have attained the age of twenty-one (21) years, and who shall be a citizen of the United States, and who shall have resided in this State one (1) year next preceding an election and the last six (6) months within the district or county in which such person offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector; provided that before offering to vote at any election a voter shall have registered as an elector before the first day of February next preceding such election. This provision shall be self-enacting. The Legislature shall pass a general registration law requiring registration of voters at a time not later than the first day of February for each election to be held for that calendar year and the Legislature shall have power to prescribe a registration fee. The Legislature may authorize absentee voting."

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

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be, and the same is, hereby amended by adding to said Article a new section, to be known and designated as Section 48-d, reading as follows:

"Sec. 48-d. The Legislature shall have the power to create and establish and to authorize a tax on the ad valorem property situated in said districts not to exceed Three (3) Cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation for the support thereof; provided that no tax shall be levied in support of said districts until approved by vote of the people residing therein."

"FOR the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provisions in said Constitution making the payment of poll tax a requirement for voting, and providing for a general registration law."

"AGAINST the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provisions in said Constitution making the payment of poll tax a requirement for voting, and providing for a general registration law."

Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment; and if it shall appear from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Section 4. The sum of Five Thousand and (\$5,000) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 4

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, by amending Section 19 of Article 16, so as to provide that the qualification of no person to serve as a juror on grand juries and on petit juries shall be denied or abridged on account of sex; providing that existing provisions of the Constitution shall be construed in conformity herewith; providing for the submission of this amendment to a vote of the people of Texas; providing the time, means and manner thereof and making an appropriation for such purpose.

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

Section 1. That Section 19 of Article 16 of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 19. The Legislature shall prescribe by law the qualification of grand and petit jurors; provided that the qualification of no person for service on grand juries or on petit juries shall be denied or abridged on account of sex, and no person shall be exempt from service on grand juries or petit juries on account of sex."

Section 3. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the fourth Saturday in September, 1949, at which time all ballots shall have

printed thereon:

"FOR the amendment to the State Constitution qualifying women as grand and petit jurors."

"AGAINST the amendment to the State Constitution qualifying women as grand and petit jurors."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Section 3. The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and said election held in accordance with this Resolution and the Constitutional Laws of this State, and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if said amendment is adopted by the vote of the qualified electors of this State, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5

Proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, authorizing the Legislature to provide for the creation and establishment of rural fire prevention districts.

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

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be, and the same is, hereby amended by adding to said Article a new section, to be known and designated as Section 48-d, reading as follows:

"Sec. 48-d. The Legislature shall have the power to create and establish and to authorize a tax on the ad valorem property situated in said districts not to exceed Three (3) Cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation for the support thereof; provided that no tax shall be levied in support of said districts until approved by vote of the people residing therein."

"FOR the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provisions in said Constitution making the payment of poll tax a requirement for voting, and providing for a general registration law."

"AGAINST the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provisions in said Constitution making the payment of poll tax a requirement for voting, and providing for a general registration law."

Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment; and if it shall appear from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Section 4. The sum of Five Thousand and (\$5,000) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5

proposing an Amendment to Section 5 of Article III of the Constitution relating to sessions of the Legislature and what may be considered thereat and an Amendment to Section 24 of Article III relating to compensation of Members of the Legislature; specifying the time when the Amendment shall take effect if ratified; and providing for the submission of the proposed Amendment to a vote of the people.

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

Section 1. That Section 24 of Article III of the State Constitution be amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 24. Members of the State Senate and House of Representatives shall receive from the State Treasury an annual salary of Three Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$3600), to be paid in monthly installments on the first of each month.

"They shall also be entitled to mileage in going to the seat of government for each session of the Legislature and returning therefrom, which mileage shall not exceed Two Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$2.50), for every Twenty-five (25) miles, the distance to

be computed by the nearest and most direct route of travel from a table of distances to each county seat prepared by the State Comptroller."

Section 2. That Section 5 of Article III of the Constitution be amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 5. Two (2) regular sessions of each Legislature shall be held; and until otherwise provided by law, the time of the convening of the first regular session shall be at noon on the second Tuesday in January of each odd-numbered year, and of the second regular session, at noon on the second Tuesday in January of each even-numbered year.

"At other times, when called by the Governor, the Legislature shall convene in special session.

"Appropriations for monthly recurring expenses and salaries paid by the State shall be made for a period of not more than twelve (12) months.

"At the second regular session of each Legislature, only proposals to amend the Constitution and to make appropriations to pay monthly recurring expenses and salaries and such other measures only as four-fifths (4/5) of the Membership of each House may determine shall be considered."

Section 3. The Amendments proposed herein, if ratified by the people, shall become effective January first, A. D. 1950.

Section 4. The foregoing Constitutional Amendments shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this State at a General Election to be held throughout this State on the fourth Saturday in September, 1949, same being September 24, 1949, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendments relative to sessions of the Legislature and to compensation of its members."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendments relative to sessions of the Legislature and to compensation of its members."

Each voter shall express his vote on the proposed Amendment in the manner prescribed by law.

Section 5. The Governor of this State shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 15

proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new Section to be known as Section 48-b, authorizing the Legislature to provide for the establishment of health units, and authorizing a tax in support thereof.

Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be and the same is hereby amended, by adding a new Section to Article III of said Constitution to be designated Section 48-b, reading as follows:

"Section 48-b. The Legislature shall have the authority to provide for the organization of county-city health units and the operation thereof and to authorize counties and cities to provide a tax of not to exceed twenty cents (20c) on the One Hundred Dollar (\$100) valuation of taxable property in counties and cities for the purpose of financing the said county-city health units; provided that no such tax shall be authorized except by a vote of the people residing in the city or county in which said tax shall apply. The foregoing tax shall be levied only on county valuations."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the fourth Saturday in September, 1949, at which election all ballots shall have written or printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to pass laws for the creation and operation of city-county health units and to authorize cities and counties to vote a tax in support thereof" and

"Against the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to pass laws for the creation and operation of city-county health units and to authorize cities and counties to vote a tax in support thereof."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments thereto.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 19

proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for Civil Service in certain counties upon a vote of the people therein.

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

Section 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be and the same is hereby amended by adding to said Article a new Section, to be known and designated as Section 62-c, reading as follows:

"Section 62-c. The Legislature is authorized to provide for the creation of Civil Service Systems for county employees in the respective counties of this State, but any system so authorized and established shall be approved by a vote of the people in said county. Any Civil Service System established by virtue of this Section shall apply to appointive offices only, and the limitations on term of office heretofore provided by Section 30 of this Article shall not apply, but the duration of such offices shall be governed by the provisions of such Civil Service System. This Section shall not apply to counties having a population less than seventy-five thousand (75,000) people."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held on the fourth Saturday in September, 1949, at which election all ballots shall have printed or written thereon (or in counties using voting machines the said machine shall provide for) the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for Civil Service in counties upon a vote of the people therein;" and

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for Civil Service in counties upon a vote of the people therein."

Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment; and if it shall appear from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 22

proposing an Amendment to Article V, Section 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that the Judge of the District Court shall conduct its proceedings at the county seat of the county in which the case is pending, except as otherwise provided by law; providing for election proclamation and submission to qualified electors of the State.

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

Section 1. That Section 7 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Sec. 7. The State shall be divided into as many judicial districts as may now or hereafter be provided by law, which may be increased or diminished by law. For each district there shall be elected by the qualified voters thereof, at a General Election, a Judge, who shall be a citizen of the United States and of this State, who shall be licensed to practice law in this State and shall have been a practicing lawyer or a Judge of a Court in this State, or both combined, for four (4) years next preceding his election, who shall have resided in the district in which he was elected for two (2) years next preceding his election, who shall reside in his district during his term of office, who shall hold his office for the period of four (4) years, and shall receive for his services an annual salary to be fixed by the Legislature. The Court shall conduct its proceedings at the county seat of the county in which the case is pending, except as otherwise provided by law. He shall hold the regular terms of his Court at the County seat of each County in his district at least twice in each year in such manner as may be prescribed by law. The Legislature shall have power by General or Special Laws to make such provisions concerning the terms or sessions of each Court as it may deem necessary. The Legislature shall also provide for the holding of District

Court when the Judge thereof is absent, or is from any cause disabled or disqualified from presiding.

"The District Judges who may be in office when this Amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on September 24, 1949, at which time all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment providing that the District Court shall conduct its proceedings at the county seat of the county in which the case is pending, except as otherwise provided by law;" and

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment providing that the District Court shall conduct its proceedings at the county seat of the county in which the case is pending, except as otherwise provided by law."

Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment. In counties or other subdivisions using voting machines, the above provision for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine in such a manner that each voter shall vote on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment.

Section 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 23

proposing an Amendment to Article I of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto another Section following Section 15, providing that the Legislature may provide for trials in lunacy cases without a jury; further providing for the submission of this Amendment to the voters of this State; prescribing the form of ballot; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof.

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

Section 1. That Article I of the Constitution of the State of Texas be and the same is hereby amended by adding another Section thereto following Section 15, to be designated Section 15-a, to read as follows:

"Section 15-a. The Legislature shall have the authority to enact all laws necessary to provide for the trial, adjudication of insanity and commitment of persons of unsound mind and to provide for a method of appeal from judgments rendered in such cases. Such laws may provide for waiver of trial by jury in cases where the person under inquiry has not been charged with the commission of a criminal offense, and shall provide for a method of service of notice of such trial upon the person under inquiry and of his right to demand a trial by jury."

Section 2. That the foregoing Constitutional Amendment be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the fourth Saturday in September, A. D. 1949, at which election all ballots shall be printed thereon:

"FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that the Legislature may provide for trials without a jury in lunacy cases;" and

"AGAINST the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that the Legislature may provide for trials without a jury in lunacy cases."

Each voter shall scratch out one (1) of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one (1) expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment. In counties or other subdivisions using voting machines, the above provision for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine in such a manner that each voter shall vote on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment.

Section 3. That the Governor of the State of Texas issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 26

proposing an Amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature of the State of Texas to provide for the establishment and creation of hospital districts; providing for the Governor's proclamation and submission to the

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

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be and the same is hereby amended by adding to said Article a new Section to be designated as Section 60, reading as follows:

"Section 60. The Legislature shall have the authority to provide by law for the establishment and creation of hospital districts in the counties of this State under such conditions as the Legislature may fix by law, and to provide for the support of said districts by a tax on the ad valorem properties situated in said counties; providing, however, that before any such district shall be created it shall be approved by a vote of the people in said district."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held on the fourth Saturday in September, 1949, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon (or in counties using voting machines the said machines shall provide for) the following:

"FOR the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the establishment and creation of hospital districts;" and

"AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the establishment and creation of hospital districts."

Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment; and if it shall appear from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 28

proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Texas by adding to Article XVI thereof a new Section to be numbered 63 and authorizing the Legislature to provide for a statewide system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the several counties of this State; providing that participation therein by counties shall be voluntary, and authorized by the qualified voters of such county; and providing that administration of said system may be committed to the same body as set up to administer the statewide municipal retirement system authorized under section 51 of Article III.

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

"Section 63. The Legislature shall have the authority to provide for a statewide system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the counties of this State under such a plan and program as the Legislature shall authorize; provided, that participation therein by counties shall be voluntary, and shall first be authorized by vote of the qualified voters of such county. Administration of such system may be committed to the same body as may be set up to administer the municipal retirement system provided for by Section 51 of Article III."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors at an election to be held throughout the State on the fourth Saturday in September, 1949; and at said election the ballots shall have printed thereon the words "FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing a statewide system for retirement and disability pensions for appointive county officials and employees." Each voter shall

scratch out one of said clauses on his ballot, leaving the one unmarked which expresses his vote upon the proposed amendment.

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the foregoing proposed amendment pub-

lished as required by the Constitution for proposed amendments thereto.

Section 4. If at said election a majority of the votes cast "FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing a statewide system for retirement and disability pensions for appointive county officials and employees," shall become Section 63 of Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas, the Governor thereof.

Section 5. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, hereby appropriated out of funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such proclamation, notice of election.

"FOR the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the establishment and creation of hospital districts;" and

"AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the establishment and creation of hospital districts."

Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment; and if it shall appear from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 32

proposing an Amendment to Article I of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto another Section following Section 15, providing that the Legislature may provide for trials in lunacy cases without a jury; further providing for the submission of this Amendment to the voters of this State; prescribing the form of ballot; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof.

Section 1. That Article I of the Constitution of the State of Texas be and the same is hereby amended by adding another Section thereto following Section 15, to be designated Section 15-a, to read as follows:

"Section 15-a. The Legislature shall have the authority to enact all laws necessary to provide for the trial, adjudication of insanity and commitment of persons of unsound mind and to provide for a method of appeal from judgments rendered in such cases. Such laws may provide for waiver of trial by jury in cases where the person under inquiry has not been charged with the commission of a criminal offense, and shall provide for a method of service of notice of such trial upon the person under inquiry and of his right to demand a trial by jury."

Section 2. That the foregoing Constitutional Amendment be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the fourth Saturday in September, A. D. 1949, at which election all ballots shall be printed thereon:

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"AGAINST the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that the Legislature may provide for trials without a jury in lunacy cases."

Each voter shall scratch out one (1) of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one (1) expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment. In counties or other subdivisions using voting machines, the above provision for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine in such a manner that each voter shall vote on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment.

Section 3. That the Governor of the State of Texas issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 36

proposing an Amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature of the State of Texas to provide for the establishment and creation of hospital districts; providing for the Governor's proclamation and submission to the

qualified electors at an election to be held throughout the State on the fourth Saturday in September, 1949; and at said election the ballots shall have printed thereon the words "FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing a statewide system for retirement and disability pensions for appointive county officials and employees." Each voter shall

scratch out one of said clauses on his ballot, leaving the one unmarked which expresses his vote upon the proposed amendment.

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the foregoing proposed amendment pub-

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Miss Juanita Little, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tedder of Le... has enrolled in summer school at Abilene Christian College. She is a freshman majoring in education.

Mr. Herman Brown and daughter Linda, Mrs. Perry Nichols, and Mrs. Dennie Roan, all of Pampa, spent Friday with Mrs. Roan's mother, Mrs. Lady M. Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bayless of Borger visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Abbott Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hanner and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hunt attended a singing convention in Shamrock Sunday.

Mrs. Cecil Callahan visited in Childress Thursday with Mrs. Margaret Callahan.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harder of Canyon were guests Saturday and Sunday in the Horace Brooks home.

Mrs. Wheeler Carter and son were in Pampa Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Biggers and family have returned from a vacation trip to Houston and other points.

Mrs. Mabry Epright and daughter Josephine of Amarillo were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. George Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Boyd Smith and daughter were Pampa visitors Saturday.

Mrs. C. P. Hamilton Sr. of Mangum, Okla., and Mrs. DuMont Harrison of Altus, Okla., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hamilton Jr. at their ranch home south of Alameda.

Fred Carpenter of Albuquerque, N. M., visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith have returned from Henrietta, Okla., where they have been attending the bedside of Mrs. Smith's mother who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bizzell and children visited in Eick, Okla., Sunday.

Pfc. Kenneth Gibson visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gibson Saturday and Sunday. He was en route from Chanute Field, Rantoul, Ill., to Wichita Falls, where he will be a weather observer at Sheppard Field. Other visitors in the Gibson home over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dillon and son and Mrs. Henry Dillon, all of Ordway, Colo. The Dillons also visited in the Bob Thomas home in the Keller-ville community.

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Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hibler and children left recently for a vacation trip to Austin and Paint Rock. Mr. Hibler returned last week, but Mrs. Hibler and children remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. J. L. Hess, Mrs. W. E. Ballard, and Mrs. C. J. Magee and daughter Marilyn were Pampa visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sides were guests in the home of Mrs. Sides' father, Harris King, last week. They were en route from Boston, Mass., where Sides has been attending Harvard University, to their home in Dayton, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Campbell and Chris spent Saturday night and Sunday in Stillwater, Okla.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: MRS. BELL M. CALHOUN,
the heirs and unknown heirs of Mrs. Bell M. Calhoun, their legal representatives, and the legal representatives of the said Mrs. Bell M. Calhoun. 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 11th day of July, A. D. 1949, at or before 10 o'clock a. m., before the Honorable District Court of Gray

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County, at the Court House in Pampa, Texas.
Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 26 day of March, 1949.
The file number of said suit being No. 9382.

The names of the parties in said suit are: B. F. A. Byrum as Plaintiff, and Mrs. Bell M. Calhoun, the heirs and unknown heirs of Mrs. Bell M. Calhoun, their legal representatives, and the legal representatives of the said Mrs. Bell M. Calhoun, as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Said suit is an action in trespass to try title as defined by the statutes of the State of Texas, and prescribed by the Rules of Civil Procedure, alleging the ownership in fee simple by plaintiff, B. F. A. Byrum, of the title to and possession of the following described land and premises located in Gray County, Texas, to-wit: Lots Nos. 2, 3, 4, and 5, in Blk. No. 3, of the Talley Add. to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas, alleging additionally that plaintiff have title under the five (5) and ten (10) year Statutes of Limitation; that the defendants actually own no interest therein, and any apparent

interest should be removed as a cloud upon plaintiff's title; and seeking recovery of the title and possession of the land and premises above described, together with the removal of any apparent cloud upon the title of the plaintiff, costs of court and general relief.
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THE POLL TAX

IN LAST WEEK'S issue of The News ten proposed constitutional amendments, to be submitted to the voters of the state next fall, were published.

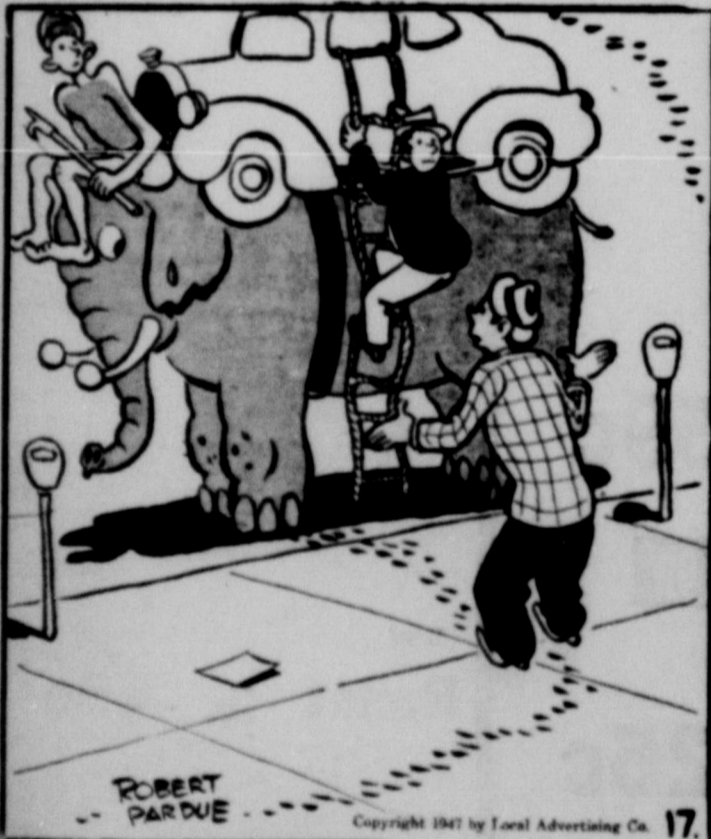
The News would like to go on record now as favoring at least one of them—that one termed Senate Joint Resolution No. 1.

S. J. R. No. 1, in case you glanced over the proposed amendments, calls for the repeal of the law which provides for the poll tax, and for setting up a system of registration instead for citizens to qualify as voters. The ten proposed amendments, incidentally, appear again in this week's issue, and all citizens should read them thoroughly.

But back to the poll tax question. The law which calls for the poll tax was enacted many, many years ago—we don't have the date—but it was enacted primarily to prevent Negroes from voting. For a long period of years, the poll tax served that purpose, but it is no longer working in that direction. However, that part of the situation has nothing to do with whether or not the poll tax should be repealed.

The reason, the real reason, is this: We call our nation a Democratic nation, yet Texas has a penalty—in dollars and cents—for voting. You now have to pay to be entitled to vote in any election. We'll grant the cost isn't prohibitive to the great majority of people, but it is to some people. Then, too, even if everyone otherwise qualified to vote could afford to pay the tax, the principle of the thing is all wrong.

Most people simply forget to pay their poll tax, until it is too late to be of any value. Under the proposed registration system, would-be voters must register each year prior to February 1. Any many people may forget to register. The registration, however, will be free. You won't have to pay to vote. You will be living in a Democratic state—that is, if we who paid our poll taxes this year approve the repeal.



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LES TALK

This is something which I had intended to mention several weeks ago when I first found out about it, but I forgot to. The matter is a little out-of-date now—I hope. But I believe it is worth mentioning.

I have been elected a member of the "Storm Cellar Sitters Club" of Station KPDA, Amarillo. The announcement of my election to this elite group was received by me several weeks ago in the form of a very nice letter, plus a fancy membership card. I carry the membership card in my billfold and will be most happy to exhibit it at any time.

The letter I received was as follows: "You've been elected a member of our Storm Cellar Sitters Club. There are NO dues, fines or fees—yet this card, when displayed to any doubting person, is your legal passport attesting the authenticity of the tale you're about to relate. It's also proof you are a survivor of some sort of a disaster—even if just having listened to my 6:45 a. m. program which some believe to be the 'WORLD'S WORST FIFTEEN MINUTES ON THE AIR'."

"Frankly, you're urged to contribute to my program. It's one way of having your story heard in safety. Each and every member of our S-C-S Club firmly believes in 'Caution Above Bravery.'"

"If you want to nominate a candidate for our Disaster Club just send the name and address on a penny post card to KPDA, Amarillo, Texas, attention: Chief Cellar Sitter. The card will be mailed promptly."

"Cautiously yours,
Pat Flynn
Chief Cellar Sitter,
KPDA, Amarillo."

And that was the letter I received. Don't know whether you are acquainted with Pat Flynn or not, but he is quite a character. He is probably the biggest promoter who ever promoted. Mr. Tack once said in his column that if Pat Flynn had someone to take care of the business end of anything that Pat Flynn was running, then Pat Flynn would become one of the richest men in the world. And I'll agree that Flynn is quite a promoter.

The card I received is pretty clever. If you care to belong to the Storm Cellars Club, let me know and I will write Flynn to send you a card. After all, it's quite an honor to belong to a storm cellar sitters club. Not everybody goes as often as I.

Notice that Andy Watkins is applying the paint and trim brushes to his Magnolia station. And it is really looking nice. It would be a wonderful thing for the town if all the business houses along the highway looked as well as Andy's and some of the others. Fortunately most of the business

houses do look good. But not all of them.

... Sure wish the work on the new municipal building would start. Maybe work will be underway by the time this gets into print.

... Daughter Chris can really be swell at times. We took her to the Lions Club picnic in the City Park Friday night, and she slept like a log (a little log) all the time. Didn't even whimper. People there marveled at her nice conduct. They ought to hear her exercise her lungs at home some time. But don't misunderstand—she's worth it.

... In regard to the proposed Camera Club, which I must emphasize is really in the proposed stage only, Mrs. Lady Bryant has brought me a magazine which gives some of the work done by such a club. And there is much more to a Camera Club than I had imagined. Anyway, the magazine article tells where to write for information on organizing one, so I have written for this info. When I receive this info, I will be happy to let you look over it if you desire to do so.

... Many of the businessmen tell me that business in general has been very slow in McLean during the past few weeks. Naturally our business has been off, too, for this advertising business is a fair index of other business. But I hasten to say that business in most other places is down in volume. My colleagues in Shamrock, and Wheeler, both state that their business is off, as are other businesses in those two towns. I have also read in the Amarillo papers where business in

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... that city is down. There are exceptions, of course. Such places as Perryton, where wheat harvest is acting as a stimulant, and in that instance, where a little oil boom has helped business, the volume of sales is good. But there are not many Perrytons and Herefords in the Panhandle area.

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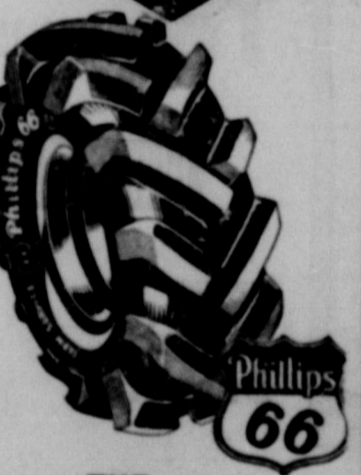
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and Mrs. Sherman Spear,
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ta Fe and other points in New
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Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper and
children, Mr. and Mrs. George
Seabank and Mrs. C. B. Lee
are vacationing at Monument
in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mann and
daughter of Sunnett visited rela-
tives here over the week-end.

Mrs. Milton Banta of Borger
visited relatives here last Friday.

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AMARILLO

Mrs. Ralph Boyd and children
of Fort Worth are visiting in the
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Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Elliott of
Amarillo were week-end visitors of
Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Wilson.

Miss Sue Holcomb and Rex
Mauldin of Amarillo were guests
of Jan and Bob Black Sunday.

Mrs. Jeannie Chapman of Ama-
rillo spent Sunday and Sunday
night in the C. S. Rice home.
Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Legon Burris,
and Mrs. Ruby Haynes accom-
panied Mrs. Chapman to Amarillo
Monday.

Sunday guests of Mrs. J. W.
Story were Bob Story of Plain-
view, Mr. and Mrs. Charles
Lowry of Clarendon, and Miss
Jewell Cousins of Borger.

Mrs. W. W. Boyd, accompanied
by Mrs. Ralph Boyd and children
of Fort Worth, spent Monday in
Pampa in the Sherman White
home.

Mrs. L. E. Cunningham left
Saturday for a two-weeks' visit
in the home of her grandson, Roy
W. Lasswell, at Albuquerque, N.
M.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rippy and
daughter Patty Ruth of Fort
Worth are visiting with Mrs. A.
Stanfield and other relatives here.

A. C. Huff returned to his home
in Temple last Thursday after
spending a week in the home of
his daughter, Mrs. Pete Fulbright.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Newman
had as their guests last week
their daughters, Mrs. Ray Singlet-
terry of Clovis, N. M., Mrs. W.
B. Andrews of Dallas, and Mrs.
W. S. Etchison of Borger.

Mrs. Rex Shedrick and daugh-
ter are visiting in Oklahoma City
with Mrs. Shedrick's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Corbin and
son spent from Sunday until
Tuesday with relatives in Dalhart.

James E. Corbin has returned
home after spending the past nine
months in Denver, Colo., where
he was a student in the Mid-
West Trade School.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Lee are the
parents of a son born Wednesday
of last week.

Lee Guthrie of Iowa Park spent
last week with his sister, Mrs.
Hattie Heasley.

Vivian and Maxine Johns of
Plainview were guests Sunday of
Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Ford and
children of Amarillo were week-
end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leon
Crockett.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Corinne
Trimble were Mr. and Mrs. D. W.
Jones of Amarillo and Mr. and
Mrs. Norman Trimble and Gary
of Borger.

Mrs. E. C. Bowman and daugh-
ter Judy of Oklahoma City vis-
ited in the home of Mrs. Bow-
man's sister, Mrs. Bill Cash, last
week. Mrs. Cash and son ac-
companied them home Friday for
a short visit.

Haydn Bodenhamer, who is at-

tending school in Lubbock, spent
last week-end with his family
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Kennedy Named To Class Office

Paul Kennedy of McLean, who is attending West Texas State College this summer, has been named to the entertainment committee of the summer graduate class, it has been learned here.

Philip John of San Antonio was a guest from Saturday until Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bogan.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams and daughters of Oklahoma City visited in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Harris King, last week-end.

Monta Jean Kennedy is spending this week in Canyon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kennedy, who are attending summer school.

Mrs. A. Stanfield, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rippey and Patty Ruth, spent Monday in Clarendon with Judge and Mrs. W. J. Williams.

Sunday visitors in the A. L. Hibler home were Mrs. Ernest Jones and daughters, Nova and Linda Sue, of Shamrock; Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hibler and children of Wheeler, and George Shuttin of Dale, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Woodley of Paducah attended services at the First Baptist Church Sunday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty and other friends of the Liberty community. Mr. Woodley, a former resident of the Liberty community, left here about 17 years ago.

Cpl. E. L. Phillips of Langley Field, Va., visited Monday and Tuesday in the home of his sister, Mrs. Roy Kiser. He was en route from Amarillo, where he had been visiting his parents, to Langley Field.

Mrs. Zora Kennedy attended the wedding of Miss Wilma Shuette to Travis Knox Sunday afternoon at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moore are the parents of a son, Richard Dean, born June 21. He weighed 7 pounds and 5 ounces.

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Society

Junior, High School Music Clubs Have Picnic Lunch

The Junior Music Club and the High School Music Club met in the closing session of the season last Friday morning at Mrs. Willie Boyett's studio. A picnic lunch was served on the lawn.

The club meetings were presided over by Beth Brooks and LaWanda Shadid. The programs consisted of piano and accordion numbers. Appearing on program were Beth Brooks, Barbara Ruth Carter, Betty Ruth Dickinson, Mollie and Pauline Erwin, Othella Eustace, Linda Foster, Glen Howard, Monta Jean Kennedy, Donna Ruth Magee, Pat Shadid, Lester Sitter, Pat Turner, Deanne Clayton, Glenda and Laura Mae Switzer, Mary Lou Watkins.

Floella Cubine, Shirley Allison, Sue Glass, Betty Jean McClellan, Barbara Nell Williams, June and Donna Gail Stubblefield, Norma Chapman, Patricia Ferguson, Billy James Rainwater, Darlene Shadid, Dicky Silgar, and Barbara Beck.

Jan Black and Irma Ruth Fulbright, former club members, favored the group with a solo each. The following received pins for attendance, conduct, and the required grades for the year: Beth Brooks, Othella Eustace, Monta Jean Kennedy, Glenda and Laura Mae Switzer, Mary Lou Watkins, June and Donna Gail Stubblefield, Barbara Nell Williams, Floella Cubine, Norma Chapman, Patricia Ferguson, Dicky Silgar, Patsy and Peggy Tindall.

Pins were presented earlier in the year to Bobbie Boyd, Barbara Ruth Carter, E-tty Ruth Dickinson, Donna Ruth Magee, Sue Glass, and Billy James Rainwater.

Recognition was given to the 22 members who received pins and certificates for making passing grades in the National Playing Guild held at Pampa May 10.

Mrs. Boyett expressed her appreciation for the lovely luggage presented by the class.

The honor roll for June is as follows: Beth Brooks, Barbara Ruth Carter, Betty Ruth Dickinson, Mollie and Pauline Erwin, Othella Eustace, Linda Foster, Glen Howard, Monta Jean Kennedy, Donna Ruth Magee, Glenda and Laura Mae Switzer, Mary Lou Watkins, Lester Sitter, Pat Turner, Donna Gail Stubblefield.

Sue Glass, Betty Jean McClellan, Barbara Nell Williams, Norma Chapman, Floella Cubine, Patricia Ferguson, Billy James Rainwater, Shirley Allison, Dicky Silgar, Patsy and Peggy Tindall, LaWanda Shadid, and Wanda Rose Watkins. Last Friday evening, LaWanda Shadid was presented in a recital of eight solos and one concerto, with Billy James Rainwater as accompanist. Patty Ruth Rippey sang four numbers, accompanied by Irma Ruth Fulbright.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Close of Miles City, Mont., arrived Wednesday for a visit with Mrs. Close's mother, Mrs. A. Stanfield.

Mrs. Miro Pakan and children left Tuesday for a month's visit with her parents in Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. W. E. Green is suffering from a spider bite received Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Linsay Boyd of Wichita Falls are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Earthman of Alanreed.

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Request Recital To Be Given by Patty Ruth Rippey

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Miss Rippey, now a resident of Fort Worth, formerly made her home in McLean. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rippey.

She will be assisted in the recital, which is being given on request of many friends, by Misses LaWanda Shadid and Irma Ruth Fulbright.

The program will include vocal numbers by Miss Rippey, who will be accompanied by Miss Fulbright, and piano numbers by Miss Shadid.

Mrs. Smith Leads Program at Meet Of Ladies Auxiliary

The Presbyterian Ladies Auxiliary met Tuesday in the church parlor, with Mrs. Haskell Smith as leader of the following missionary program:

Devotional, Mrs. Arthur Erwin; missionary names and prayer, Mrs. Cort Meyers; Ganado School of Navajoes, Mrs. C. O. Goodman; Africa, Mrs. Smith; prayer, Mrs. Smith; closing prayer, Mrs. Mattie Graham.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. C. E. Cooke and Mrs. Graham, to Mesdames F. H. Beiland, F. E. Hambricht, Marvin Wells, Smith, Meyers, C. O. Goodman, K. L. Goodman, and Erwin.

Baptist W. M. U. Works on Clothing For Orphans Home

The Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon at the church for industrial day.

Material was cut out to make garments for the orphans at the Mexican Orphans Home at San Angelo.

Present were Mesdames E. L. Price, Clayton Day, R. L. Appling, Homer Abbott, R. L. McDonald, and Luther Petty.

Quarterly reports were made preceding the meeting. The meeting next week will be for Royal

Service program, with members of the Nina Hankins circle in charge of the program and the Elizabeth Pool circle in charge of serving refreshments.

Miss Lillie Williams of Reed is in Dalhart for an extended visit.

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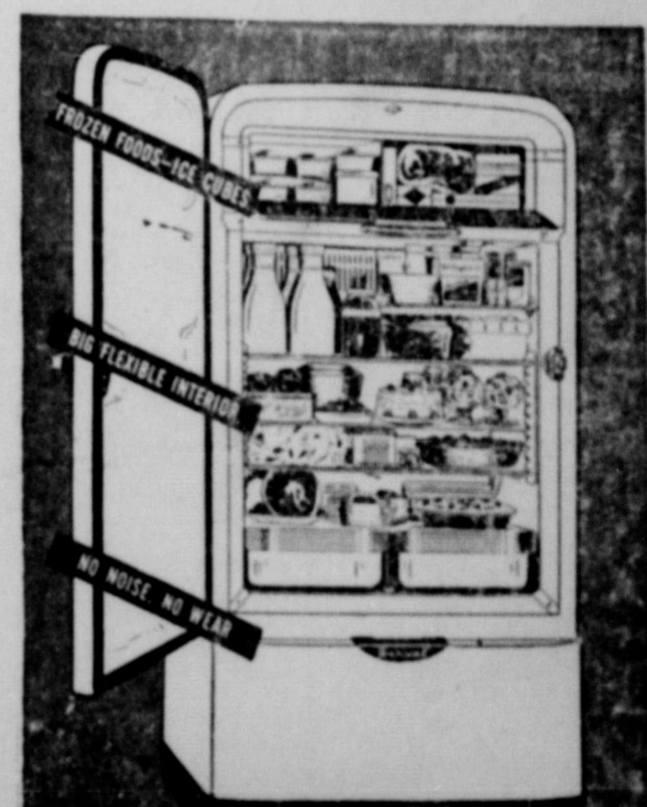
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