

# The McLean News

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(More or Less)

Gerald Fitzgerald of Fort Collins, Colo., will fill the pulpit in the First Presbyterian Church Sunday. Rev. Fitzgerald has been selected as a candidate for the pulpit, which has been vacant for some time. Sunday School will begin at 10 o'clock, and church services at 11. Evening services will begin at 7 o'clock.

The youth of the nation have different ideas on the future outlook. And sometimes those different attitudes show up even in brothers. One resident of McLean recently received a letter from a lady with two sons, the sons having definite and different outlooks on the future. Here's an excerpt from the letter which we thought interesting:

"Bob is the one who has 'nightmares' at the thoughts of having to go, and thinks the boys of today don't have much to look forward to with a war staring them in the face. Tuffy takes a more wholesome attitude. He says God made the world and the people, and all things happen for the good of those who love the Lord; and no one has a load heavier than he can carry except of his own making. He is not afraid of the future or anything or anybody. But he is meek and humble."

That's really two different attitudes from two boys in the same family. Multiply that by millions, and you have the United States in its entirety, we imagine.

We didn't think to mention it last week, but the McLean Lions Club finally got around to naming a Lion cub of the month this month. In the 1949-50 school year, the club named one senior boy each month as the Lion cub, had him attend each Tuesday luncheon, and gave him the rights and privileges of the club just like any other member. This year the idea fell through for the first semester, but last Tuesday it was rejuvenated. So the Lion cub for January is L. M. Watson, member of this year's senior class.

E. L. (Smokey) Price received a very icy reception when he went to work Tuesday morning. No, it wasn't that a bill collector was waiting at his barber shop door for him. It was really ice and water, quite a bit of it. Seems that the water line which runs from his shop to the apartment above the shop had frozen some time Monday night. As a result, the water came pouring down into Smokey's barber shop and M. D. Bentley's insurance office. Some of the water managed to get out into the street, for quite a sizeable frozen patch could be seen alongside the curb for almost a block in length. After considerable sweeping of ice and water on the part of Smokey and Mr. Bentley, the "mess" was cleared up and business went on as usual. The apartment, incidentally, was empty.

Members of the McLean Lions Club were entertained by a trio of vocalists at the regular meeting Tuesday noon. Doing the warbling were Joanne Pharis, Jane Williams, and Barbara Barrett. They were accompanied at the piano by Barbara Beck.

Attention, you users of Mrs. Tucker's Meadolake margarine. You can help a worthy cause by saving the flap bearing Mrs. Tucker's picture on each carton of Meadolake oleo you buy. The Progressive Study Club of McLean is conducting a campaign to collect these certain flaps, for they can turn them in to the company and receive five cents for each one sent in. Incidentally, individuals cannot send in the flaps and receive payment—it must be done by some non-profit organization. The offer is good only until April 10, so each time you buy a pound of the oleo, save that flap and contact Mrs. Clyde Andrews, president of the Progressive Club, Mrs. J. C. Claborn, secretary-treasurer, or any other member of the club. They will be glad to call for the flaps. The money derived from the project will be used to aid them in caring for a boy at Boys Ranch near Amarillo whom the club recently "adopted" as its ward.

John Kelly Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lee of McLean, who was injured January 8 in the Korean war, is expected to recover from his injury in fine condition. (Continued on back page)

## A prayer for our Soldiers

BY MAJOR GENERAL ROY H. PARKER  
Chief of Chaplains, United States Army

Almighty God, the Creator and Preserver of all mankind, we commend to Thy special care and keeping those serving in our Army. Though they be in the midst of dangers, do Thou send Thy guardian angels for their protection. Walk beside them as they go through the valley of the shadow of death.

Knowing that all good things come from Thee, grant them courage and loyalty, through a firm faith in freedom's cause, in the present conflict. When sacrifices are called for, let them be made in the knowledge that Thou art the rewarder of Thy servants. Enable them to live valiantly and serve nobly, in the full realization that no man liveth unto himself. Grant them clear minds, strong bodies, resolute wills, and pure hearts free from hatred and bitterness, renewing them each and every day with strength, like strong men of old, who against enthroned wrong stood with confidence and courage.

Awaken in them a lively faith that will keep them close to Thee. Enable them to rest their cause upon Thy Word that though the foe be strong, yet knowing the cause as they battle for the right, they can never fail. Fill their hearts with the assurance that with Thee nothing is impossible and that all things work together for good to them that love Thee.

If it be Thy will that injuries be sustained, let them experience the touch of Thy healing hand and do Thou bless the means and the ministries employed for the restoration of their health.

In these difficult times, when the forces of evil are running rampant and many hopes seem about to be crushed, fill their hearts with an abiding sense of Thy reality and the certainty of Thy continual presence. Enable them to look to Thee when loneliness and longing overtake them, fulfill their yearnings by granting them Thine own companionship and fellowship. Enable them to realize the full meaning of Thy promise, "Lo, I am with you always."

Thou who art the Protector and Helper as well as the Giver of victory, grant unto them every good gift of body and soul and unite us with them in faith and love unceasing. Amen.

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## Now in Effect—

### PRICE CONTROLS

No doubt there will be numerous changes to come, and many details to be worked out, but price control went into effect Friday night of last week.

Along with price control went wage controls. That means the government has a lot of horse-trading to do before the hardships caused by the sudden freeze can be thawed out.

Actually, the action taken set a ceiling on prices at their highest level between the period of December 19 and January 25. As for wages, they were frozen at the January 25 level.

Food seemed to be drawing the most comment from people throughout the U. S. Most food prices which are now prevalent in the stores you visit will remain about the same, and in many cases, the ceiling will be higher than you are paying now. There will be some foods which will have to come down in price, however.

Meanwhile, Housing Expediter Tighe E. Woods was seeking this week a rent control provision to match the price-wage freeze. He stated that rents are skyrocketing in many places, and that it would be impossible to stop them from

being raised without a law to work under.

Price and wage officials appealed to the public for patience. They said the fastest way to cure injustices caused by the freeze will be to issue new orders rather than to deal with individual cases.

Cyrus S. Ching, chairman of the Wage Stabilization Board, told one labor leader: "When a freeze is issued it lowers the temperature all around. In such a cold situation, it's advisable to keep your shirt on."

Price Director Michael V. DiSalle said Monday a new "margin of profit" system of price controls may be ordered by the end of this week. As outlined by DiSalle, the proposed system would clamp a limit on profit margins down the line from manufacturer to retailer. Sellers would be required to peg their prices at cost plus a fixed margin of profit.

Henry Wadsworth Longfellow is the only American whose bust is in Westminster Abbey in England.

In the legends of King Arthur, the Holy Grail was the cup used by Jesus at the last supper.

## Lions Sponsor Chicken Project

A project designed to encourage the youth of the area to raise more chickens as a "money crop" is being started under the sponsorship of the McLean Lions Club.

The idea is simple, and not original. It's been tried in other places similar to McLean, with great success.

The plan is this: Each member of the Lions Club buys 50 or 100 chicks (depending upon the number of chicks which is wanted) for one boy or girl under the supervision of Clyde Magee in his vocational agriculture department of McLean High School. The Merit Feed Mills furnishes five pounds of chicken feed, and the John Scott Feed Store, local Merit dealer, another five pounds of similar feed, to enable the boys and girls to get off to a good start on feeding their chicks.

From then on, the raising of the chickens is left up to each individual boy or girl. When the chickens become frying size, each boy or girl is required to give back to the Lion who sponsors

their project six fryers, as a means of paying for the original 50 chicks (if the project calls for raising 100 instead of 50 chicks, then 12 fryers are to be given to the Lion sponsor).

The Lion sponsoring a boy or girl is out \$7 originally for the 50 chicks, and gets back six fryers for that \$7 cash outlay. The boys and girls must furnish their own feed, after the original 10 pounds furnished them by Merit and the John Scott Feed Store, but when the chickens become fryers they may sell them all (except the six which go to their sponsor) and thereby realize a substantial profit. There will be losses, however, but as a general rule, Magee expects practically 100 per cent of the chicks to be raised.

The chicks are due to arrive here February 20. Johnnie Beck, chairman of the Lions committee in charge of the project, said: "The Merit mill will write each boy and girl a letter, explaining that they may pick up their 10

pounds of feed from the local dealer, John Scott, when the chickens arrive. The students and their sponsors are as follows: Ticie Glenn, sponsored by M. W. Standish; Warren Smith, J. C. Claborn; Wayne Smith, Johnnie Beck; Donald Smith, Amos Page; Dan Taylor, Howard Horne.

Bobby Howard, Lester Campbell; Joyce Bruner, C. W. Bogan; Jerry Henley, Lester Dyart; Eddie Reeves, John Cooper; Wayne Scates, Buell Wells; Wayne Moore, Howard Williams; Joe Crockett, Hickman Brown; Betty McClellan, J. D. Coleman.

David Knutson, Logan Cummings; Shirley Pearson, Larry Sutton; George Rallsback, Boyd Meador; Linden Immel, Tom Smallwood; Don Godfrey, D. A. Davis; Jack Hupp, Clifford Allison; Jesse Wayne Roberts, J. M. Payne; Bette Gudge, J. H. Kritzer; Carl Pettit, Ted Simmons; Jo Ann Stevens, Guy Hibler; Texetta McCurley, Emory Crockett; Dixie Turpin, Carl Jones; Junior Brooks, Jesse Coleman.

## Citizens Open Hearts, Purses For Dimes Fund

McLean and area citizens opened their hearts and their pocket-books at the same time during the past week, and gave, gave, gave to a cause which they believe right and good.

The occasion was the annual March of Dimes campaign to raise funds for the Gray County chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

J. Lester Dyart, chairman of the local drive, stated that a total of approximately \$1,350 had been contributed by Wednesday morning. This does not include the money which has been placed in any of the various March of Dimes cans throughout the town and surrounding area. But it does include that money solicited in a canvass of the business houses, the Saturday street solicitations, donations from the Grade School students, and money from the benefit basketball game and annual dance.

Outside of the more than \$700 which was collected by workers in a canvass of the business district Thursday of last week, the largest amount was brought in by the men who stood in the cold weather last Saturday and asked—without hesitation or embarrassment—for donations.

The volunteer workers collected a total of slightly more than \$369 on the streets Saturday, and most of the money came from tourists. The affair was to be a contest between the Lions Club and the American Legion post, to determine which group could raise the most money, but the cold weather forced the few workers to work with either group, and no separate account of the money taken in by either group could be made. But the workers didn't seem to care, so long as they got the money.

The contributions made up the largest amount ever collected in the McLean area for the March of Dimes campaign. People of the area were more conscious of the dreaded disease, since there were four cases in McLean alone last summer. Two of the cases, Lou Ann Graham and Roy Norvell, are still undergoing treatment and are almost entirely paralyzed.

Polio workers explain that the high cost of treating one patient accounts for the heavy expenditures annually. Many of those patients now being treated have been undergoing treatment for several years. In other words, thousands of dollars may be spent on one patient alone, in an effort to restore that person's ability to handle himself.

## Sister of Local Resident Dies

Mrs. Elizabeth Glenn of Red Oak, sister of Mrs. J. M. Payne of McLean, died Sunday. She had been in ill health for a number of months.

Funeral services were to be held at Lancaster. Mr. and Mrs. Payne left Friday for Red Oak.

## Snow Blanket Covers Local Area, Brings Greatly-Needed Moisture

### 1951 Car Tags On Sale Today At City Hall

Auto license tags for 1951—those dainty little pieces of tin which so well-dressed car can go far without—went on sale today at the office of Mrs. Chas. Cousins, deputy tax collector, in the City Hall.

The tags are once more orange and black, this time with black letters on an orange background. Numbers assigned to be sold in McLean are as follows: Passenger cars, ART000 through ART599; commercial vehicles, MC2700 through MC2794; farm vehicles, RB6550 through RB6599; and trailers, TA5500 through TA5549. All tags are the same color, black letters and numerals on orange.

The tags may be bought at any time, beginning today, and then may be placed on the vehicles immediately. They must be on all vehicles by April 1. Mrs. Cousins explained, to avoid penalty to the car owner.

Since several people often want numbers which might be remembered more easily than others, they may be obtained by calling at Mrs. Cousins' office and asking her to "tag" these numbers. Then when the numbers come up for sale, they will be held for the person desiring them.

## Two Executives Get Promoted By Power Firm

Promotions were forthcoming today for two officials of the Southwestern Public Service company, with the announcement by J. E. Cunningham, president, that J. G. (George) Ausman has been elevated to the position of executive vice president, and that H. O. (Herb) Hodson has been named vice president and operating manager.

Ausman has been associated with the Southwestern Public Service company since 1928. He moved to Amarillo as operating



GEORGE AUSMAN



HERB HODSON

manager in March, 1945, and was made vice president in January. (Continued on back page)

## Cagers to Meet Price College Boys, St. Mary's Girls

Both the boys' and the girls' basketball teams can be seen in action here Friday night, when they meet teams from Amarillo. The girls will play the first game, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, with the St. Mary's Academy sextet. The boys will then meet the powerful cagers from Price College by a 56-53 margin.

In games earlier in the season, played at Amarillo, the girls swamped the St. Mary's team by a score of 72-35. The boys barely lost out to Price College by a 56-53 margin.

Following this Friday night's games, only one more night of home playing will be held before the district tournaments are held here. The boys and girls will meet similar teams from Groom on February 9 here. The district tournaments, both boys and girls, will be held in the Municipal Building Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, February 15-16-17.

## Farm Work Not Automatic To Miss Draft

Emphasizing that the draft law provides no blanket deferment for farm workers, Brigadier General Paul L. Wakefield, state Selective Service director, declared this week that local boards are required both by law and regulation to consider each agricultural worker's case individually, just as other men's cases are considered.

General Wakefield said that regulations issued by the President provide for a deferred classification for farm workers only when the following conditions are met to the satisfaction of the local board: 1. The man must be "employed in the production for market of a substantial quantity of those agricultural commodities which are necessary to the maintenance of the national health, safety, or interest."

2. "The production for market of a substantial quantity of agricultural commodities should be measured in terms of the average annual production per farm worker which is marketed from a local average farm of the type under consideration. The production of agricultural commodities for consumption by the worker and his family, or traded for subsistence purposes, should not be considered as production for market. Production which is in excess of that required for the subsistence of the farm families on the farm under consideration should be considered as production for market."

The state draft director observed that "this still doesn't give the complete picture," and added that (Continued on back page)

## Zero Weather Comes, Stays For Full Week

The McLean area—and just about the entire Panhandle—was blessed with a beautiful white covering of snow Tuesday and Wednesday.

The snow began in McLean early Wednesday morning, and continued throughout the day, falling lightly. No heavy snow flurries came the entire day. The only trouble with the snow was that it was not "wet" enough, or enough of it either. Actually, less than six inches of snow fell, and it was hard to tell just how much did fall due to the wind which kept moving the dry, hard flakes about.

It was moisture, however, badly-needed moisture, and even the light fall was welcomed by farmers. Especially pleased were the wheat growers, who find their crops in need of moisture.

The cold spell actually started last Saturday, when the temperatures dropped down to an approximate zero early Saturday morning. The cold weather, rising as high as 40 degrees during some of the days, was still present late Wednesday. More cold weather was predicted.

Highways in the McLean area remained open Wednesday. Highway maintenance workers were out early Wednesday morning, preparing to clear the snow drifts which might occur, but little work was necessary to keep the roads clear. The roads were icy and slick, and dangerous to drive. No auto accidents in the general area had been reported late Wednesday.

The cold spell is the second prolonged spell of the season. Practically all of the winter's days have been extremely mild, and only last week, the temperature rose to a mark in Amarillo which was near the high record for January since weather records have been kept there. The snow was also the second snow of any consequence this season, one falling earlier in January.

By Wednesday afternoon at about 3 o'clock, the skies had cleared over McLean, and it appeared that the snow might be on its way to another territory.

## BIRTHDAYS

- Feb. 4—Carlton Patterson.
- Feb. 5—Mrs. D. A. Davis, Mrs. Jess Ledbetter, Frances Collier, Carolyn Ann Pool, Erey Eugene Hambricht, Mrs. L. J. Kohls.
- Feb. 6—Mrs. H. W. Finley, Mrs. Hester Adams, Otheilia Eustace.
- Feb. 7—Jerry Mounce, Byrd Guill, Patricia Ferguson, E. G. Wood.
- Feb. 8—James A. Prock.
- Feb. 9—Mrs. Carl Baker.
- Feb. 10—Mrs. W. B. Earles, Mrs. Paul M. Bruce, Archie Hibler.

It takes 10 inches of snow to equal an inch of rain.

## Annual Dinner—

### SENIORS HONORED

The first treat of the year for the senior class of 1951 of McLean High School is over, but the memory lingers on.

That treat was the annual dinner for the seniors, given last Thursday night at the First Baptist Church by members of the Eaptist W. M. U.

Rev. James O. Todd, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Shamrock, gave the principal address of the evening. The program was as follows, with Rev. Buell T. Wells, Baptist pastor, serving as toastmaster: song, by class; invocation, Mrs. Tommy Hulsey; welcome, Mrs. Hubert Waldrop; response, Waneta Hupp; piano solo, Barbara Beck; girls' duet, Jeanne Pharis, Barbara Barrett; reading, Charlotte Wilson; address by Rev. Todd; and benediction, Hubert Waldrop.

A color scheme of red and white was carried out in the decorations. Featured on the tables were baskets of red and white rosebuds,

flanked by white tapers.

The menu consisted of tomato juice cocktail, baked chicken and dressing, snow-flaked potatoes, string beans, pear salad, cranberry sauce, pickles, hot rolls, butter, coffee, and cherry pie with whipped cream.

Special guests, in addition to those on the program, included Mrs. Logan Cummings, Tommy Hulsey, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kennedy, and Mrs. Buell Wells.

Seniors present were Vic Shelton, Pat Reeves, Edward Phillips, Naomi Phillips, L. M. Watson, Nadine Lee, Don Tindall, Margaret Biggers, Charlotte Wilson, Carroll Hall, Thad Helma, Keith Myatt, Jane Williams, J. N. Smith, Alvin Blackshear, Barbara Beck, Waneta Hupp, Audrey Young, Mary Ann Beck, Barbara Barrett, Mary Ruth Holloway, Wilma McIlroy, Patay Jones, Ella Ann Herridon, Dorothy Gudge, Dorothy Jolly, Jeanne Pharis, Betty Gudge, Bobby Bruner, and Donald Knutson.

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## THE OCTOPUS

WE DON'T KNOW whether you read the funnies or not, including Li'l Abner, but sometimes there is food for thought in the comics if that thought is applied in the right manner.

Recently Li'l Abner has been entangled with another man—seems that they got mixed up in a wrestling match, and were not able to untangle themselves. So they are going around together.

Then along came a wrestling promoter and noticed them (as who wouldn't?), and decided that the two men, Li'l Abner and the other man, would make a sensational hit as the octopus wrestler.

Anyway, the promoter took the entangled men to a match-maker's office, and asked for a wrestler to meet them—claiming, of course, that the gate receipts would be extremely heavy to see such a fight. But the match-maker felt that the octopus would wreck organized wrestling, and at the time this is being written, he stated that the octopus must be eliminated.

Now the point we wish to make is this: At the present time, our government has assumed the proportions of an octopus. Its many arms are reaching daily more and more into our lives, and taking away more and more of our privileges of making our living as we see fit so long as we regard the rights of others.

We do not refer to the defense program, but rather the general all-around program which has, during the past ten or 15 years, caused us to drift more and more toward socialism. We refer to the government's interference in business, principally.

For example, the government is in the power business, competing with private utilities; the government is in the printing business, competing with private printing concerns; the government is in the insurance business, competing with private insurance companies; the government is wanting to get in the medical business, it seems, to compete with the medical men and women in keeping the health of the nation.

These are but a few examples of government interference in business. And government interference in business is only one means by which the many arms of the federal octopus are taking over our daily life.

The pair of men in the comic Li'l Abner might easily wreck the wrestling profession, if such were actually true. The government octopus can eventually wreck our way of independence—and that fact is true.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDonald visited over the week-end in Port Worth with their son, Rev. Leo McDonald and family.

Mrs. J. B. Pettit, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Carter, and Bill Pettit visited Sunday with Bazel Pettit, who underwent an operation Saturday morning in the Highland Hospital in Pampa.



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## LES TALK BY LESTER

There are some days when I don't actually feel like "Les talking." Some days there just isn't much to talk about. And on such days you would probably be better off if I didn't even write it. That is, if you read it at all.

I have used up all the subjects I have on hand at the moment, in other words.

I have jumped down Harry's throat so many times for things he has done or said, or things he hasn't done or said, that I feel like an apple bobbing in a tub of water—Adam's style apple, that is.

I have written up and written down the city government until there are those connected with the city government who quite often barely speak, and when they do it isn't always a cheery hello. At the moment, as I say, I can think of nothing good or bad about the city government, or perhaps I might try that again. Nothing like losing another friend, if I have any left.

I have advocated every bond issue which came along, and there's none along right at this time. Could be one by the time this paper is in your hands, but now I know nothing about one. I have never failed to advocate a bond issue—guess I figured all were for a good thing—but when one does show up that I'm against, I guess all the sit-stillers and do-nothings will pass out as quickly as did long dresses.

I have written up most of my kinfolks, and many of you have stuck through columns on them, just to pass your time away. Such contributions of your time are appreciated, for I know it hurts. But I've about run out of kinfolks to write about.

I have talked about days gone by, and things I used to do. Most of them were as uninteresting to you as your former experiences would be to me, and I doubt seriously if you managed to last through a column on them. Either I'm getting old and can't remember any experiences to write about today, or else I wouldn't want them to be made public. So none of them today.

I have hopped on Harry's socialized medicine and compulsory medical insurance plans so many times I am expecting to get a letter from him just any day. But I'll be careful not to mention Margaret, or he might even pay me a personal visit.

My football predictions and forecasts have graced this page each fall for four years running, and I have received so much kidding on my predictions that I sometimes feel like a lamb-skin, no, not pigskin. But football season is over, so you won't get any more of that in this column.

I have harped on the formation of a chamber of commerce, even been so bold as to say this last time that it would work. But it didn't, and I guess it was as

much my fault as it was yours. I'm willing to try again on that score, and, incidentally, am now thinking about a junior chamber of commerce. You'll hear more about this, but not today.

My donut-dunking club which I proposed fell by the wayside because of a lack of a source of donut donators, although I thought I had the answer when I nominated Mrs. Bob Thomas as president of the club. But the whole deal fell through from the lack of a second to the nomination.

I have used names in this column from time to time, as many different ones as I could think of, in an effort to find something to write about. I have even tried carrying the names each week of those paying their subscription during that week, but even that grew old, and my hair got grayer, and I decided you had had enough of that.

I even made a trip once to Berger, and went through a rubber plant, and wrote all I remembered about the plant in this column. If you read it, you probably felt like butadiene when you got through, and wouldn't care for a single sip of latex now.

I have offered freely, from time to time during the political season, my sage advice on who to vote for in some of the races. One time I even turned Republican and supported Ben Guill, didn't lose a friend that I know of, and no subscribers. I have urged over and over for people to pay their poll tax, and then I have urged over and over for everyone who could vote to go vote. But not many listened, and my voice got hoarse from talking and my fingers got raw from hitting the typewriter keys. And people still won't take advantage of their voting privilege.

I have tried rambling columns just jotting down my thoughts as they came to me, and usually on one of these I got so confused I didn't know where I was, and I'm sure you didn't either.

I have, a few times, written sentimental columns, depending on

one of those days. I should have stayed in bed.



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### Nonfat Dry Milk Adds Flavor and Nutrition



Here's nutritious goodness! This cream of turkey soup is made with economical nonfat dry milk which is high in protein, calcium, riboflavin and lactose.

There's nothing more warming nor more nourishing than a bowl of steaming hearty soup on cold wintry days. Soups can be made even more nourishing and flavorful when economical nonfat dry milk is used.

Nonfat dry milk is fresh pasteurized milk with only the fat and water removed. It contains these important milk nutrients—protein, calcium, riboflavin and lactose. Nonfat dry milk is extremely economical for a one-pound package costs from 35 to 39 cents, and this quantity yields five quarts of nonfat milk.

Homemakers are learning of the many advantages of nonfat dry milk. It is available at the grocer's in convenient one-pound packages and it will keep almost indefinitely on a cool dry shelf if the package is opened and closed carefully after each using.

It can be used in most recipes calling for milk. It can either be liquefied easily first, or in some recipes it may be used in its dry form and water added as the liquid.

Here is a tasty soup recipe which can be made with either left-over turkey or chicken:

**Cream of Turkey Soup**  
 (Makes 6 servings)  
 3 tablespoons butter  
 1 tablespoon chopped onion  
 5 cups water  
 1 cup Starlac (nonfat dry milk)  
 5 tablespoons flour  
 1 teaspoon curry powder, if desired  
 1/4 teaspoon salt, about  
 1/4 teaspoon pepper  
 2 bouillon cubes  
 1 cup cooked shredded turkey  
 1 tablespoon finely chopped pimiento  
 1 tablespoon finely chopped parsley

Melt butter in top of 2-quart double boiler over direct heat. Add onion and cook until tender but not brown. Remove from heat. Pour water into pan. Combine Starlac (nonfat dry milk), flour, curry powder, salt and pepper; sprinkle over top of water in pan. Beat with rotary beater until Starlac (nonfat dry milk) is dissolved. Add bouillon cubes. Cook over simmering water until thickened, stirring constantly. Add turkey and pimiento and continue cooking until heated through. Serve at once. Sprinkle each serving with chopped parsley.

### Texas Polio Cases Total 2778 for Year

Texas wound up 1950 by setting a grim new record in polio incidence—2778 cases for the year.

Never before in state history have so many cases been reported during a 12-month period. Eight cases occurred during the last week in December.

That is itself is significant, for not a single week passed that did not see at least one case of the so-called hot weather disease being diagnosed in some part of the state.

The total 1949 incidence of the dread disease reached 2,355 cases, establishing a record up to that time. But there were 53 weeks in 1949 instead of the normal 52, and that figure includes cases occurring all 52 weeks.

Two hundred and three counties out of the state's 254 were involved in the 1949 outbreak. That's comparable to the 201 counties which experienced polio in 1950.

The counties of Coleman, Harris, Jefferson, McCulloch, Nees, Tarrant, and Tom Green each reported a single case of polio the last week of the year. A Veterans Administration hospital had one case as the year ended, bringing the total for the week to eight from all sources.

The disease reached its peak on August 12, when 131 Texans fell ill. That marked the greatest single weekly incidence ever to be reported.

At that time State Health Officer George W. Cox ruefully predicted that 3,000 cases would be diagnosed before the year ended. He missed his estimate by 222.

Twenty-eight counties had 20 or more cases; ten had more than 50 cases; six had more than 100 cases; and three counties—Dallas, Harris, and Tarrant—had more than 200 cases each. Those three areas represent the most populous regions in Texas.

Early in the polio season, Dr. Cox pledged the facilities "of the entire State Department of Health" to local communities in combating polio. The health agency's laboratory and field personnel, working in cooperation with civic organizations and local health units, were credited with keeping the epidemic from reaching even greater proportions.

State health department death records show 201 polio deaths through the first 11 months of 1950, and 192 deaths from that cause during all of 1949. Complete death figures are not yet available for December, a department spokesman said.

10. You must love your pigs and strive to take a little better care of them tomorrow than you did today. The last rule is the golden rule of the hog business.

It seems almost like a return of old time conditions—a little rain every few days.

It has rained. The McLean country has for the past two days and nights been visited by an almost continual downpour that threatens to soak the soil so full of prosperity that it will be impossible to produce a "nubbin" crop for the next two years. The exact amount of rainfall is estimated at anywhere from six inches to six feet, and it is still falling as we go to press.

They say the ground is wet so deep they are pumping rainwater out of the wells.

### Insects Cost Cotton Farmers Over 100 Million

Insect damage to the 1950 cotton crop in Texas amounted to approximately \$107,035,000, destroying 11 per cent of the total harvest, according to an unofficial preliminary estimate compiled by the National Cotton Council. George O. Chance, chairman of the Texas

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unit of the council, said. "Insects kept approximately 456,000 bales of cotton and an estimated 187,000 tons of cottonseed off the market this year. Based on average prices, this lint would have brought Texas farmers some \$91,119,000. And the seed would have meant an additional profit of \$15,916,000," the council spokesman said.

per cent of the crop, valued at approximately \$598,565,000 was destroyed. In dollars and cents, losses in 1950 were second highest on record, exceeded only by 1949 when damage amounted to more than \$617 million."

Chance announced that the National Cotton Council will hold the fourth annual cotton insect control conference in Memphis, December 7 and 8, to discuss insect damage in Texas and other

Cotton Belt states. This conference at the Hotel Peabody will bring together state and federal entomologists, representatives of the insecticide industry, agricultural education workers, and cotton industry leaders to plan an integrated program of cotton insect control for 1951.

Mrs. Corinne Trimble visited in Borger Sunday with her son, Norman Trimble and family.

This price control business should help to keep prices down, and we have long exercised our own self-control to aid you in keeping your budget under control. So continue to shop our store for tops in quality and service . . .

**Shurfine Orange JUICE** 46 oz. can **31c**

**Shurfine Fruit COCKTAIL** 2 1/2 can **39c**

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**Folger's COFFEE 86c**

3 lb Shurfine "None Better"

**Shortening 99c**

Worth No. 5 Bucket **SYRUP** each **65c**

### 40 Years Ago—IT HAPPENED HERE

Taken from the Files of The McLean News, February, 1911

#### 10 Rules for Hog Raisers

And then let us look at the matter from the standpoint of the expert who knows how to raise hogs. While the McLean country is busy coming to the front as a producer of pork, it might be well for us to keep an eye on the best methods that are being pursued by the men who have made and are making the business a study. The following, taken from a Chicago paper of recent date, is to the point:

A net increase in the income from pork of \$30,000,000 annually in Illinois, Iowa, Missouri, and Minnesota, can be secured by the adoption of ten simple rules for hog growers, according to Prof. R. K. Bliss of the agricultural department of the Iowa State College at Ames, Iowa.

Professor Bliss estimates that there are 13,974,000 hogs in these states at the present time and that their total value is \$147,370,000.

The rules are as follows:

1. Select thrifty, vigorous, well-bred breeding stock.
2. Do not feed the brood sow too much corn.
3. Brood sows should have exercise. Fat, lazy sows will not give good results. They should be fed light enough so that their appetites are keen, and then if allowed to follow milch cows or stock cattle, this will keep them strong and vigorous.
4. Provide good shelter at farrowing time—the hog-house should be dry, well lighted and free from

drafts. One pig, or at most two pigs will pay for a nice little house for each sow, and yet hundreds of thousands of farmers raise an average of three pigs per sow, all because they do not provide shelter.

5. Do not overfeed the sow at farrowing time—water is all a sow needs the first day after farrowing. The second day she can have a light feed and the third day a little more, the rate of increase depending upon the size of the litter and the milk-producing ability of the sow.

6. Keep the pig growing—the cheapest gains are made when the pig is young. As soon as the pigs are old enough they should have a "side table" of their own where they can be fed away from the other hogs.

7. Provide green pasture from early in the spring till late in the fall—the cheapest gains are made on pasture. An acre of clover, rape, or alfalfa pasture will make from 400 to 800 pounds of pork, worth at present prices from \$30 to \$60 per acre.

8. Provide pure, clear drinking water—at all times—do not allow pigs to drink out of mudholes.

9. Keep the herd healthy—to get rid of lice, dip twice in a coal, tar or crude oil dip twice in the spring and twice in the fall. To prevent worms, make charcoal out of corn cobs and other trash, mix in some salt and let the pigs eat it. To prevent cholera, vaccinate the hogs with good vaccine. Keep the buildings and lots disinfected and clean.

**Free AIR**

One man in a thousand is a leader of men; the others follow women.

A lot of brainy women earn their living, but the sensible ones let men do it for them.

It's all right to get in the swim if you watch where you splash the water.

There was once a lady dancer who climaxed her act by leaning over backwards and picking up her handkerchief with her teeth. For an encore, she leaned backwards and picked up her teeth.

We're proud of the new roof on our station, and we want to share it with you. So whether it's raining or not, drive in often—of course, we hope you'll let us fill that tank with good Chevron gas when you do.

**Chevron Gas Station**  
 Odell Mantooth

### Repair Loans Still Available

10% Down Payment—30 Months to Pay

Here are some of the repairs which are permissible:

- Build a garage
- New roof
- Paint the roof or the house
- Painting and paper the inside of the house
- New sidewalks
- Add an extra room
- New bath fixtures
- Floor furnaces

Any permanent repairs are eligible under this program.

— Consult Your —  
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 McLean, Texas

## GROCERY SPECIALS

<b>CORN</b> Shurfine 2 12-oz. tins	<b>33c</b>
<b>Wilson's Canned PINTO BEANS</b> 2 cans	<b>19c</b>
<b>C. H. B. Home Style PICKLES</b> 2 1/2 jar	<b>29c</b>
<b>Shurfine Pie CHERRIES</b> No. 2 can	<b>23c</b>
<b>Dole's Crushed PINEAPPLE</b> No. 2 can	<b>29c</b>
<b>10 lb American Beauty MEAL</b> sack	<b>73c</b>
<b>Shurfine Apple Butter</b> 28 oz.	<b>21c</b>
<b>Admiral Colored Quarters OLEO</b>	<b>1b 35c</b>
<b>Borden's Farm Style Cottage CHEESE</b> 12 oz.	<b>23c</b>
<b>Kraft's Parkay OLEO</b>	<b>1b 39c</b>

**Self-Service PRODUCE**

<b>Crisp Firm Heads LETTUCE</b>	each <b>10c</b>
<b>Tender Fresh RADISHES</b> 2 bunches	<b>13c</b>
<b>China CABBAGE</b>	<b>1b 11c</b>
<b>White GRAPEFRUIT</b> 2 lb	<b>13c</b>

## As Sure As

... two and two make four, you simply won't—or can't—go wrong by saving Gunn Bros. Thrift Stamps. They cost you absolutely nothing, yet you redeem them for valuable premiums. Start your collection today.

Remember—Every Gunn Bros. Thrift Stamp You Fail to Collect Is a Definite Loss to You

It's Got to Be Good Before It's SHURFINE

# Cooper's FOODS

The Biggest Little Store in the Panhandle

## WHAT'S COOKIN'

In Gray County R. D. Work  
By Mary Anne Duke,  
County Home Demonstration Agent

### Highland General

We can tell you more about what's cookin' at Highland General Hospital this week than what's going on in Home Demonstration work, because we've been here exactly a week following surgery.

Highland General Hospital is an institution of which everyone in this county and surrounding counties can be justly proud! In

### The First STEP

... a baby takes is like a first ad a merchant takes. It's nearly always wobbly, a little uncertain, and often doesn't pay off too well.

fact, the services here are so nearly perfect one cannot find fault. There are no "favorite" nurses, they're all wonderful. The busy doctors somehow maintain that sense of humor we admire. The food, well, it's mighty good and there's plenty of it.

### The Friendly People

Truly, the people in Pampa and Gray County are the friendliest to be found anywhere. How much we've enjoyed every visit, every call, all the cards, books, fruit, candy, and to be sure the lovely flowers. With all this to make us happy, we'll soon be back in the office.

### Staff Members

Joy Williams, assistant home demonstration agent, has been her usual wonderful self to help keep the home demonstration program moving along.

Dorothy Guinn, office secretary, has certainly done her part, too.

### Ralph's Radio Program

One of the radio programs we've enjoyed this week has been that of County Agent Ralph Thomas. The hour is 6:30 a. m. and you'll enjoy Ralph's interviews with people you know here in

### The Second STEP

... is a little surer, but still not firm and not too definite. Like a second ad, though, it does attract more attention from more people.

### Gray County.

#### Dressmaking Bulletins

For the many women who will be starting their spring sewing soon and need to know how to get a good fit as well as how to cut and construct the dress, the U. S. Department of Agriculture is offering single copies of two publications: Pattern Alteration (P. B. 1968) and Making a Dress at Home (F. B. 1954).

For one or both Bulletins, address requests to Office of Information, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington 25, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Clevy Hancock and family spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Neil McBroom in Skellytown.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Meacham visited with Mrs. Meacham's sister, Mrs. Guy Hedrick and family of Lefors, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Smallwood spent Sunday visiting in Clarendon with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Pittman.

Visitors of Mrs. J. T. Glass and Margaret over the week-end were Mrs. Frankie Purdy and daughter Mickey of Amarillo.

Week-end visitors of Mrs. M. M. Newman were her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Etchison, and her husband of Phillips.

Roger Powers of Lubbock was in town visiting with friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Davis were in Groom Sunday visiting with Mrs. D. M. Davis.

### The Third STEP

... like a third ad, in a series, shows that confidence is being established, that there is something to look forward to... in walking, or in advertising.

## SOCIETY

### Rainbow Installs Evelyn June West As Worthy Advisor

Miss Evelyn June West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. West of Kellerville, was recently installed as worthy advisor of the McLean Rainbow Assembly at the Masonic Hall.

A rainbow against a background of blue and silver featured the decorative setting in the east. Carnations in colors of the rainbow adorned each color station.

Other officers taking over their duties were: worthy associate advisor, Charlotte Wilson; charity, Donna Stubblefield; hope, Margaret Biggers; faith, Barbara Beck; recorder, Bethie Mantooth; treasurer, Pat Patterson; chaplain, June Stubblefield; drill leader, Floella Cubine; love, Betty Jo Patterson; religion, Ann Cooper; nature, Billie Sue Pettit; immortality, Sue Glass; fidelity, Dorothy Jolly; patriotism, Virginia Beck; confidential observer, Pat Shelton; musician, Shirley Allison; mother advisor, Mrs. Evelyn Stubblefield.

Waneta Hupp served as installing officer, assisted by Mary Ruth Holloway, installing marshal; Mrs. Hazel Smith, chaplain; Mrs. Sue Cubine, recorder; and Barbara Barrett, musician.

New board members of the assembly are Mesdames Tressie Mantooth, Hazel Smith, Vera Thomas, Clara Hupp, Georgia McDonald, Daphne Morris, Joy Harlan, and Sue Cubine; and Clifford Allison, Ercy Cubine, Earl Stubblefield, E. D. Morris, J. F. Hupp, R. L. McDonald, Bob Thomas, Boyd Smith, Bill Pettit, Odell Mantooth, and Harry Harlan.

After the installing marshal declared the officers duly installed, Waneta Hupp dedicated the poem, "Don't Quit," to the new officers and to Mrs. Evelyn Stubblefield, new mother advisor.

Following the installation, the

### The Fourth STEP

... means the baby is really on its own, just as a merchant who advertises consistently demonstrates that he is proud of his merchandise and will stand behind it.

new worthy advisor was invited to enter the rainbow garden where she received the beautiful carnations from the girls representing the color stations. She in turn presented them to Mrs. Hazel Smith, retiring mother advisor.

Barbara Barrett was presented the official past worthy advisor pin, and Waneta Hupp was presented a white Bible for outstanding rainbow work.

Mrs. Smith presented the service awards, and white Bibles were given to Floella Cubine, past recorder, and Betty Jo Patterson, past treasurer.

A reception followed the installation, and lovely refreshments were served by Evelyn June West.

### Intermediate G. A.'s Meet in Home of Rev. Buell Wells

The Intermediate G. A.'s met in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Buell Wells Tuesday, January 30, at 4 o'clock.

After the program and prayer, candy bars were served as refreshments. Those present were Mary Lou Watkins, Frankie Tucker, Mary Brown, Nedra Graham, Joyce Nicholas, and Mrs. Wells.

The meeting adjourned until the next meeting on Tuesday, February 6.

Mrs. Clay Hunt visited in the J. H. Jenkins and the Frank Carpenter homes over the week-end. Mrs. Hunt has just returned from Japan, where she has been the past year with her husband, who is stationed there with the U. S. army.

Kenneth Gibson, who has been stationed with the air force in Hawaii, has been transferred to Guam.

Marsalee Windom spent her between-semester time from W. T. S. C. of Canyon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Windom, over the week-end.

Mrs. Charles Lowry from Clarendon spent last week with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Story.

Mrs. Mattie Graham was visited by her niece and nephew, Mrs. Alvera McBrayer and Clyde Cooper, both of White Deer, Sunday.

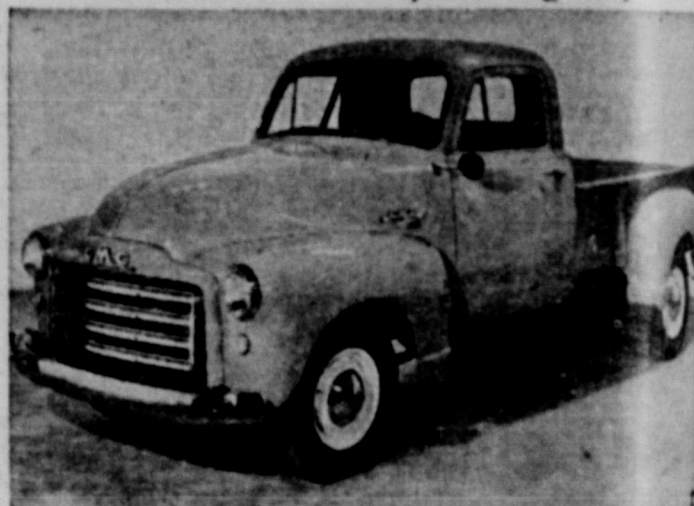
Buddy Wells was a Saturday and Sunday visitor in the John Cornett home. Wells, just back from Korea on medical leave, was en route to a Georgia naval base.

### GI in Korea Receives 100,000,000th Copy



NASHVILLE, TENN. — When The Upper Room reached its hundred millionth copy, a huge figure in the religious field, the dedication was made to present it through a chaplain to a G. I. in Korea. Sergeant Keith C. Heckel of Buffalo, New York, a radioman with famous Mosquito Squadron, is shown receiving it from Chaplain Thoburn Speicher of Long Beach, California. The presentation of this copy, which marks a significant milestone in religious publishing, is symbolic of the many hundreds of thousands of copies that have been used by servicemen. Some are presented by chaplains and some come from loved ones and churches at home.

### Powered For Any Emergency



PONTIAC, MICH. — Ready for any emergency is this new GMC one-half ton pickup truck, model 100-22, engine in which has stepped up to 100 horsepower. Many other new features in the engine and chassis design include stronger and longer-wearing but stronger axles to carry heavier loads and ventipanes in the hood which permit the driver to control fresh air ventilation with passing car comfort.

H. M. Glass of Pampa visited Mrs. J. T. Glass Saturday.

## THE STRAIGHT LINE

... a baby finally learns to walk means that success in his first big venture has been attained. To the consistent advertiser, it means he, too, has grown up, has gained the confidence of his prospective customers by inviting them in through advertising, by telling them the truth in his advertising, by backing up what his ads said he would do.

## Advertising Protects the Customer --

A Product Has Got to Be as Good as It's Advertised  
Or It Simply Won't Be Bought Again

A Man Buys an Arrow Shirt Because He Knows It Has to Be Good—A Woman Buys Kraft Cheese for the Same Reason

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The McLean News

# SOCIETY

NO OVERCOAT HERE!



While the less fortunate are shivering in winter's icy winds, lucky girls are soaking in sunshine at Florida and California resort spots. No overcoats needed here! This pretty miss is dressed for the sun in a blazer striped cotton swim suit by Cole of California. Solid and striped cotton are combined for this eye-catching effect.

### Mrs. Trimble Given Shower in Home Of Mrs. E. Immel

A pink and blue shower was given recently honoring Mrs. George Trimble and baby son, Johnny, in the home of Mrs. Elmer Immel of Kellerville. Co-hostesses were Mrs. L. P. McDonald and Mrs. Marie Boyd.

Those present were Mrs. Clifton Shirley, Glenda and Mary Lois, Mrs. L. Sargent, Mrs. D. Brock, and Sharon, Clifford, and Betty McDonald.

### Progressive Club Meeting Is Held In Story Home

The Progressive Study Club met January 25 in the home of Mrs. J. W. Story, with Dorothy Beck as hostess.

Lucille Parker gave the program on "New Drugs." The following officers were elected for next year: President, Odie Claborn; vice-president, LaNell Waldrop; secretary and treasurer, Dorothy Andrews; parliamentarian, Lucella Stokes; reporter, Evelyn Stubblefield.

Refreshments were served to Dorothy Andrews, Loree Brown, Odie Claborn, Pearl Dickinson, Mary Howard, Tressie Mantooth, Lucille Parker, Gladys Smith, LaNell Waldrop, Marie Wood, Dorothy Beck, and two visitors, Mrs. Story and Mrs. Charles Lowry.

### Miss Bonnie Willis, Kenneth Simpson United in Marriage

In a double-ring ceremony Friday evening, January 26, at 8 o'clock, Bonnie Willis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Willis, became the bride of Kenneth Simpson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Simpson.

Rev. Buell Wells, pastor, read the service in the First Baptist Church. An arrangement of white gladioli in tall baskets flanked the altar.

Mrs. Travis Stokes, organist, played "Souvenir," "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life," "Indian Love Call," "Will You Remember?" "Always," and "I Love You Truly" as a pre-nuptial prelude. Mrs. Bob Thomas sang "Oh Promise Me" and "Because." The traditional wedding marches were used for the processional and recessional.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a light blue suit accented with orchid accessories. She carried a bouquet of white roses.

As maid of honor, Marnelle Ledgerwood was attired in a navy blue suit with white accessories. She wore a corsage of white carnations.

Philip Lisman served the groom as best man. Ushers were Vergal Smith, brother-in-law of the bride, and Frank Simpson, brother to the bridegroom.

Mrs. Willis, mother of the bride, wore a beige suit with brown accessories, and a corsage of pink carnations. Mrs. Simpson, mother of the groom, wore a black dress with brown accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

Following a wedding trip to Tucumcari, N. M., the couple will be at home in McLean.

Mrs. Simpson was graduated from McLean High School, and Mr. Simpson also is a McLean High School graduate. He is employed by Warren Oil corporation.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Magee and son Joe Lynn, and Mrs. Farris Hess and son Jake, made a trip to Fort Worth, where they attended the Fat Stock Show Saturday and Sunday.

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### Nothing Better Than Good Food, Says Ohio Man

If a man isn't able to eat the foods he likes he's in mighty sorry shape—imagine going through life without being able to enjoy a fine big platter of bacon and eggs. That is the way Joseph N. Damillot, 3414 E. 5th Street, Dayton, Ohio, used to be, but since he has been taking HADACOL, he feels just fine and is able to enjoy lots and lots of fine foods. Mr. Damillot found that taking HADACOL helped his system overcome a deficiency of Vitamins B, B<sub>12</sub>, Niacin and Iron.

Here is Mr. Damillot's statement: "My first bottle of HADACOL convinced me that HADACOL was what I needed for the gas on my stomach at night. I could not keep food on my stomach, but after the first bottle I was going great. Now I eat bacon and eggs, and other foods that never would stay with me. I also can sleep well at night. Thanks to HADACOL, I will never be without it, and can recommend it to all who suffer with the above ailments that I had. I know because I have suffered for quite some time."



EFFIE LOU CARPENTER, bride-to-be

### Miss Carpenter, Richard Everett Betrothal Revealed

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Carpenter of McLean announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Effie Lou, to Richard L. Everett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peb Everett, also of McLean.

The marriage vows will be repeated Wednesday, February 14.

Benny Cooper spent his between semester time from Texas University with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper.

Merle Bentley's brother, Ray Cooke of Rifle, Colo., visited here last week.

### Norma Chapman Becomes Bride of Valta Earl Tarbet

Norma Kathleen Chapman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brent Chapman of Kellerville, became the bride of Valta Earl Tarbet, son of Mr. and Mrs. Valta Tarbet of Shamrock, in a double-ring ceremony read by Rev. W. O. Cooley in the Kellerville Baptist Church Friday night.

The vows were exchanged under an arch of gladioli and greenery, flanked by lighted tapers in candelabra.

Mrs. Odie Claxton Jr. was matron-of-honor, and the groom's brother, Cottie Tarbet, served as best man. Candles were lighted by Marcella Sargent and Peggy Tindall. John Chapman, brother of the bride, served as usher.

Margaret Sue D'Spain played the traditional wedding marches and selections and accompanied Mrs. Edwin Owen, who sang "Oh Promise Me." Rev. H. Price Elishop offered prayer before the processional.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was dressed in a pale gray suit and a small gray hat, and wore a corsage of orchids. At the reception, given in the home of the bride's parents, Mrs. R. A. Tindall, Mrs. J. W. Harris, and Mrs. David Bumpass served coffee, wedding cake, sandwiches, and jell-o salad.

Attending the reception were Mr. and Mrs. Valta Tarbet and Mr. and Mrs. Brent Chapman, parents of the groom and bride; Eddie and R. A. Tarbet, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Tarbet and Lois, Mrs. Odie Claxton Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Harold Landrum, Mr. and Mrs.

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Edwin Owen and Gail, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bruton, Rev. and Mrs. W. O. Cooley, Rev. and Mrs. H. P. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Johnson, June and Dale Tarbet, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Tindall, Phyllis and Peggy, Cottie Tarbet, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. David Bumpass and Mary Elizabeth, John Chapman, Marcella Sargent, Margaret Sue D'Spain, Patsy Richardson, Mary Jones, and the bride and groom.

Both the bride and groom graduated with the 1950 class from Shamrock High School. They will make their home in Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Allen and daughters of Pampa were among those attending the Willis-Simpson wedding Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gordon of Borger visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dawson and family over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hamilton were in Amarillo last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Nichols and Eugene Brady of Euid, Okla., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barton Sunday.

Mrs. W. P. Tindall of Cranfills Gap is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Tindall.

Mrs. J. W. Story was visited by her daughter, Miss Jewell Cousins of Borger, last week-end.

Symptoms of distress arising from STOMACH ULCERS DUE TO EXCESS ACID QUICK RELIEF OR NO COST  
Ask About 15-Day Trial Offer  
Over four million bottles of the WILLARD TREATMENT have been sold for relief of symptoms of distress arising from Stomach and Duodenal Ulcers due to Excess Acid—Poor Digestion, Sour or Upset Stomach, Gasiness, Heartburn, Sleeplessness, etc., due to Excess Acid. Ask for "Willard's Message" which fully explains this remarkable home treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Kemp spent Monday in Amarillo on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Reeves of Pampa spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cousins.

Law Offices of Clifford Braly Thomas C. Braly Combs-Worley Bldg. Pampa, Texas

James L. Cooke was home between semesters from Lubbock, where he is attending Texas Tech.

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Brooks CATSUP bottle	21c
All Green ASPARAGUS No. 1 can	19c

COFFEE 83c Folger's 1 lb can

Pink SALMON tall can 58c  
Turner's Country Made SORGHUM 1/2 gal. 69c

CRISCO 3 lb can 99c  
FLOUR Mother's Pride 25 lb sack \$1.78  
GARDEN FRESH VEGETABLES  
ONIONS White lb 5c  
CARROTS bunches 2 17c  
RADISHES bunches 2 9c  
Central American BANANAS lb 12 1/2c

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### Whooping Cough Can Be Prevented With Anti-Serum

"Your child can be protected from whooping cough by the use of anti-serum available for the immunization of youngsters," according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer, as he advised parents not to take this communicable disease lightly.

"Since whooping cough is particularly dangerous for babies, the need for early protection against it is undisputed. Research has shown that preventive treatment may safely and effectively be given at the age of two months or earlier. Older children who have been previously immunized should receive booster doses of the vaccine."

Pointing out that Texas has had over 10,700 cases of whooping

cough so far this year, Dr. Cox reminded parents that whooping cough is sometimes fatal to young children. It may also leave the lungs and other affected parts permanently damaged.

"In an effort to control whooping cough emphasis is placed upon the great importance of calling the family physician at any time when a child is not in normal health. If the first signs of a cold do not disappear after a few days of good home care, including rest in bed and isolation from other children, the physician should be called as the cold in itself may be dangerous. The physician will prescribe proper treatment and report any cases of communicable disease to the public health officer."

Robert Fulton was a portrait painter before he became an inventor.

## Farmers in Gray County Plan To Reseed Large Grass Acreage

Editor's Note: The following article was prepared by the Gray County Soil Conservation District, and concerns the seeding of grasses. Members of the board for the district are Arlie Carpenter, chairman, and Jack Stephens, W. B. Jackson, W. M. Wagoner, and Homer Abbott.

In another month it will be time to start seeding grasses, say the supervisors of the Gray County Soil Conservation District. Thus far this year some 2,000 acres of re-seeding has been planned. Most of the acreage making up this figure is found in old fields which have in the past failed to produce field crops in such amounts as to make them a good investment. In the past two years many of these old fields throughout Gray County have been reclaimed by the re-seeding of permanent vegetation and are now sound economical units. Land so heavily used and eroded that it will no longer produce crops is now being revived by its original parent vegetation—grass.

A big question which arises concerns what grass is best to plant. Just as in any other crop, the soil where the re-seeding is to be done must be considered. For the sandier types of soil, a mixture of sideoats grama, Indian grass, switch grass, little bluestem and sand love grass has been very successful in Gray County. These grasses are native to this country and can be found growing in the better condition, native pastures throughout the county. Much success has been obtained in the pure seeding of introduced grasses such as weeping love grass and King Ranch bluestem. A very promising grass which is to be seeded in this county this spring is blue panicum. This is a tall grass and resembles sudan very closely. It has been proven to be a good range grass by the Mill Iron Ranch near Childress. This large ranching unit has turned back all its cultivated land to blue panicum.

To meet the large demand for grass seeding assistance this year, the Gray County Soil Conservation District has purchased two more grass drills. In all the district owns four drills which are available to farmers cooperating with the district. Any farmer or rancher interested in sowing grass this spring should contact the Soil Conservation Service on the third floor of the court house in Pampa. Samples of all the grasses mentioned are in the Soil Conservation office and any information concerning seeding can be obtained there.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allison made a business trip to Amarillo last Friday.



### Pianist to Be At Shamrock

Leonid Hambro, brilliant piano virtuoso, will appear in concert in Shamrock on Friday, February 2, as an outstanding presentation of the Wheeler County Municipal Concert Association. The concert will be held at the Clark auditorium and will begin promptly at 8 o'clock.

Heralded for his virtuosity, Leonid Hambro holds great appeal for the trained musician and the average concert-goer as well. For this trained musician, Hambro brings a dazzling technique coupled with a profound understanding and interpretation of the works of the old masters as well as the modern composer. For Mr. Average Citizen, the concert will be top-flight entertainment as Hambro, possessor of a most charming personality along with his great talent, communicates his definite ideas on music.

Hambro firmly believes that the great composers were equally great men equipped with great minds which in the last analysis means that they fully understood their fellow men. Human nature has not changed with the passing of the years. Our likes and dislikes, ambitions and goals—all remain pretty much the same. And as Hambro performs at the piano he takes the position that he is merely assisting the composers in telling the tale, in music, of our daily thoughts. Couple that insight with a delightful sense of humor and add to it a talent of mammoth proportions, and we have the recipe for that most unusual of persons—the true artist.

The Hambro concert may be attended only by those holding mammoth proportions and we have the Wheeler County Municipal Concert Association.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McIlroy and daughter Beverly, and friend Shirley of Vernon visited in the Clifford Allison home Sunday.

Visitors in the Roy Barker home Friday were Mrs. C. F. Adams of Mangum, Okla., and her daughter, Mrs. Wesley Walker of Stillwater, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Day were in Pampa Friday and Saturday nights where he was a member of the cast of the variety show given for the benefit of the March of Dimes campaign.

### WHAT'S COOKIN'

In Gray County H. D. Work

By Mary Anne Duke, County Home Demonstration Agent

Services of the Home Demonstration Program

Information on home and family problems was given to more than three thousand individuals by telephone during 1950. This service is available to anyone by calling 244, Pampa.

Information on many home and family problems is available in bulletin form and is free for the asking at the agent's office, first floor of the court house in Pampa. More than a thousand bulletins were asked for in 1950.

Some of the free leaflets and bulletins are: frozen foods, how to freeze, how to cook; household insects, silverfish, cockroaches, clothes moths; the cotton comfort; refinishing furniture; refinishing floors, walls and wood-work; bedrooms for comfort; how to choose and use potatoes; how to choose and use tomatoes; how to choose and use onions; how to choose and use carrots; how to choose and use snap beans; and how to choose and use cabbage; prenatal care; infant care; your child from one to six; guiding the adolescent.

The Gray County Council has recently purchased two valuable sources of information which may be used in the agent's office, or checked out to club women by permission. These are the Consumer's Research Monthly Bulletin, and the book, "Food for Fifty."

Club Organizations  
The agent, upon request, will meet with any group of interested rural homemakers and assist them in organizing a Home Demonstration Club. The clubs have year-books and meet twice monthly throughout the year.

Special Interest Groups  
Any group of rural homemakers interested in doing special work, such as ten or more lessons on interior decoration, or special phases of child care, can make this request to the agent and arrangements will be worked out to meet the needs of the group.

Frozen Pies  
Mrs. J. F. Boyd, new member of the Merten Home Demonstration Club, prepared cherry pies for the club members one day, but due to the severe weather the club members did not show up. Thanks to her freezing facilities, the 18 present enjoyed the de-

licious cherry pies the following Thursday afternoon.  
Radio Program  
The extension service radio program will be heard regularly at 11 o'clock each Saturday morning.

Bob Black Jr. spent last weekend in Abilene visiting with his sister Jan, who is attending McMurry College.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Monday Sunday visiting with Mrs. Boyd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith, and her sister, Mrs. Weems and husband in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester and daughter Chris visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stiles, Mrs. Laura Campbell and family in Turkey.

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BEWARE OF THE K9 IN '51

### Hess Enters Bulls in Show In Fort Worth

Jake Hess of McLean has entered 10 Hereford bulls in the Southwestern Exposition and Fair Stock Show in Fort Worth January 26 through February 4. A record-breaking number of livestock from 30 states, Canada, and Cuba will be displayed. The Fort Worth exposition is offering the largest amount of premiums in the 55 years' history of the Southwest's oldest and greatest livestock show—\$146,000 (including the rodeo and horse show). The world's greatest indoor rodeo will be presented in mag-

best for tenderness and preventing stickiness and shrinkage. In 4 to 4½ minutes this temperature also gave a golden brown glint over the top of the meringue.

**4-H Pledges**  
For this new club year, many beginning 4-H Club boys and girls are learning the 4-H Club pledge: I pledge my head to clearer thinking, my heart to greater loyalty, my hands to larger service, and my health to better living for my club, my community, and my country.

**4-H Parents' Pledge**  
We hope this 4-H parents' pledge will be practiced by parents of 4-H boys and girls all over Gray County. We 4-H parents pledge our heads to help our youngsters plan their projects wisely, our hearts to constant encouragement, our hands to help them reach their goals, our health to keep them strong and well for their club, their community, and their country.

**McLean Women Meet**  
A group of McLean women met in the home demonstration office recently to discuss plans for organization of a home demonstration club in McLean.

Miss Joy Williams, assistant home demonstration agent, showed slides on "Storage in the Home" and "Farm Home Interiors." She explained the services of the extension work and showed them about the office, explaining various articles that were available for home use. Those present were Mesdames E. J. Windom Jr., J. H. Kritzler, J. C. Claborn, F. D. Daniel, W. M. Rhodes, Haskell Smith, and Elton Johnston.

nificent Will Rogers Memorial Coliseum, with Verne Eljett, "Mr. Fedco" himself, as the producer. Some 375 cowboys, the top competitors of the rodeo world, will contest for the championship honors and the rich rewards—approximately \$50,000. A new feature will be the wild horse race, which is truly rugged. Interspersed with the rodeo contests will be the horse show events with nearly \$25,000 in prizes in quarter horses, cutting horses, Palominos, and gaited horses. Skeeter, 1950 world's champion cutting horse, will compete in the open event. Specialty acts and new clowns will appear. The Southwestern championship square dance contest, which drew packed houses a year ago, again will be presented each afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Orrick and son Bobby visited with Mr. Orrick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Orrick, in Shamrock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. H. W. Brooks made a trip to Texas A. and M. at College Station, to take Jack Brooks, Bob Kramer, and Cliff Callahan to school.

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#### Food Sale Plans

Mesdames C. A. Jones, Paul Rice, Jim Chase, and Charles Warminski form the steering committee in charge of producing these good plate lunches and home made pies at the Hereford Breeders Association show and sale February 5-6. This committee has met and delegated the many tasks to various committees.

It is hoped that all the clubs will follow the action taken by the Wayside Club Friday at the home of Mrs. W. E. Green. Almost every club member pledged

to make two pies for each day of the food sale.

As usual, when the subject of cream pies is brought up, someone wants to know how to prevent shrinkage, "weeping," wateriness underneath, and stickiness which makes cutting difficult.

Recent meringue-making studies, reported by the New York State Experiment Station, may help you and other cooks avoid these difficulties. Secrets of fine quality meringue revealed in these tests are: whipping egg whites and sugar to just the right stiffness, placing meringue on a hot filling, and baking at 425 F. for 4 to 4½ minutes.

For tender, moist meringue, able to hold its high fluffiness, the right amount of whipping is important. In the tests, best re-

sults come from this method. Have the whites at room temperature. Add a pinch of salt for each white. Beat until the foam is relatively fine and forms rounded peaks when the beater is lifted out. Then add sugar gradually—2 tablespoons for each white—and continue beating until the meringue is stiff but not dry.

Meringues baked on hot fillings in the tests cooked more evenly and were less likely to "weep" than those baked on a cold pie. Baking at 425 F. for 4 to 4½ minutes proved more of a protection against leakage than baking at a lower heat a longer time, as many recipes recommend.

Beating the tests showed, results from too long cooking, causing over-coagulation of the whites. A temperature of 425 F. proved

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**MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT**  
Washington, D. C. December 21, 1950

- Establish 40 hour week for yardmen with increase of 23 cents effective October 1, 1950, and additional 2 cents effective January 1, 1951.
- Set aside 40 hour week agreement until January 1, 1952, and establish 6 day work week for yardmen. Effective with the first pay roll period after 30 days from the date of execution of the formal agreement, yardmen required by the carrier to work on the 7th day to be paid overtime rates except engineers who shall receive straight time rates for the 7th day. This does not create guarantees where they do not now exist. On and after October 1, 1951, three months' notice to be given of desire to go on 40 hour week. Provide for consideration of availability of manpower and 4 cents per hour if and when the 40 hour week actually becomes effective.
- Settle rules for 40 hour week and 6 day week.
- Grant yard conductors and brakemen other rules such as daily earnings minimum, car retarder operators and footboard yardmasters as recommended by Emergency Board No. 81.
- Settle following rules: Initial Terminal Delay (Conductors and Trainmen) Interdivisional Runs Pooling Caboose (Conductors and Trainmen) Reporting for Duty More than One Class of Service Switching Limits Air Hoses (Conductors and Trainmen) Western Differential and Double Header and Tonnage Limitation (Conductors and Trainmen, all Territories)
- Road men to receive 5 cents per hour increase effective October 1, 1950 and additional 5 cents per hour increase effective January 1, 1951.
- Quarterly adjustment of wages on basis of cost

of living index (1 point to equal 1¢ per hour. First adjustment April 1, 1951. Base to be 176).

8. Agreement embodying principles applicable to yardmasters to be entered into for benefit of yardmasters.

9. Effective October 1, 1950, the basic hours of dining car stewards shall be reduced from 225 to 205 hours per month; no penalty overtime to accrue until 240 hours have been worked, the hours between 205 and 240 to be paid for at the pro rata rate.

Effective February 1, 1951, overtime at time and one-half shall accrue after 220 hours have been worked. The basic monthly salary to be paid for the 205-hour month shall be the same as that now paid for the 225-hour month. Except that four dollars and ten cents (\$4.10) shall be added to the present monthly rate effective January 1, 1951.

10. In consideration of above, this agreement to be effective until October 1, 1953, and thereafter until changed or modified under provisions of Railway Labor Act. Moratorium on proposals for changes in wages or rules until October 1, 1953, as follows:

No proposals for changes in rates of pay, rules or working conditions will be initiated or progressed by the employees against any carrier or by any carrier against its employees, parties hereto, within a period of three years from October 1, 1950, except such proposals for changes in rules or working conditions which may have been initiated prior to June 1, 1950. Provided, however, that if as the result of government wage stabilization policy, workers generally have been permitted to receive so-called annual improvement increases, the parties may meet with Doctor Steelman on or after July 1, 1952, to discuss whether or not further wage adjustments for employees covered by this agreement are justified, in addition to increases received under the cost of living formula. At the request of either party for such a meeting Doctor Steelman shall fix the time and place for such meeting. Doctor Steelman and the parties may secure information from the wage stabilization authorities or other government agencies. If

the parties are unable to agree at such conferences whether or not further wage adjustments are justified they shall ask the President of the United States to appoint a referee who shall sit with them and consider all pertinent information, and decide promptly whether further wage increases are justified and, if so, what such increases should be, and the effective date thereof. The carrier representatives shall have one vote, the employee representatives shall have one vote and the referee shall have one vote.

11. If the parties cannot agree on details of agreement or rules they shall be submitted to John R. Steelman for final decision.

The usual protections for arbitrators, miscellaneous rates, special allowances, and existing money differentials above existing standard daily rates will be included in the formal agreement.

\*\* The foregoing will not debar management and committees on individual railroads from mutually agreeing upon changes in rates, rules and working conditions of employees covered by this agreement.

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We have some new Roper cook stoves, including one complete automatic model. Callahan's, Phone 184. 1c

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COLOR SYMPHONIES

We're tooting all horns full blast today for one of the prettiest and most versatile fashions this year, stoles. There's something so alluringly feminine about them, the way they cradle arms and shoulders, then fall from the wrists in a cascade of folds. They make midday look so fragile, yet at the same time, so gently and elegant. What's even more desirable, but not sufficiently realized; stoles can be had to match all costumes and clothes. They're in cotton broadcloth as well as sable and mink. Of course, they also come in the not-so-high-ticket skins, like mink-dyed muskrat. But we'll leave the furr versions for those who can afford them, except to point out that stoles are also done up in those new imitation furs, too. Expensive or inexpensive, a fur stole does wonders for a suit. And from this type, it's a long but happy flight to those gossamer, web-like stoles they're showing for fall dresses. In pastel net and tulle, these will-o'-the-wisp stoles make a shrine around bare shoulders, like a grove of misty clouds. It would be so simple to make one yourself.



NEWS FROM KELLERVILLE

A bridal shower was given Wednesday afternoon of last week in the Kellerville Baptist Church parlors, honoring Miss Norma Chapman, who became the bride of Earl Tarbet Friday night. A large number of gifts were sent by Mesdames O. L. Thompson, E. H. Kephart, A. C. Havens, Clarence Drum, R. A. Tindall, H. A. D'Spain, R. D. Holmes, R. L. Brown, J. B. Brown, Gene Nicholas, J. D. McClellan, E. C. Emmel, L. V. Miller, O. M. McPherson, A. M. Dean, B. R. Gray, Price Lea, L. A. Richardson, Arthur Wells, W. S. Marshall, Wayne Stafford, Valta Tarbet, Claude Tarbet, C. P. Callahan, W. E. McDonald, Custer Lowery, Jerry Hamilton, J. M. Bruton, Luke Johnson, J. D. Roth, R. B. Kinard, Raymond McReynolds, D. M. Fry, W. O. Cooley, E. C. West, S. B. Kiser, Archie Farren, Fred Silgar, Joe Harris, Jack Boyd, W. W. Hughes, Dick Sargent, H. P. Bishop, L. P. Shelburne, A. V. Jones, Newt Barker, Ruth Bidsell, Joe Bidwell, C. B. Peabody, Bob Thomas, Ray Coasett, Byron Holley, H. T. Miller, Jack Harris, Misses Peggy Tindall, Palay Richardson, Marcella Sargent, Phyllis Tindall, and Maymie McPherson. Refreshments of cake, tea, and coffee were served by the hostesses, Mesdames R. A. Tindall, Clarence Drum, Joe Harris, E. H. Kephart, and O. M. McPherson.

Farm Work—

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a man, to be eligible for farm deferment, must also meet the requirements in the section of the Selective Service regulations defining necessary employment. He quoted as follows:
"A registrant's employment in industry or other occupation, service in office, or activity in study, research, or medical, scientific, or other endeavors shall be considered to be necessary to the maintenance of the national health, safety, or interest only when all of the following conditions exist:
"1. The registrant is, or but but for a seasonal or temporary interruption would be, engaged in such activity.
"2. The registrant cannot be replaced because of a shortage of persons with his qualifications or skill in such activity; and
"3. The removal of the registrant would cause a material loss of effectiveness in such activity."
General Wakefield stressed that deferments based on agricultural and other civilian occupations are not permanent. "They are issued for one year or less," he said, "and local boards have instructions to classify a registrant as available for service whenever the cause for his deferment ceases to exist."
He explained that the designation Class II-C is used to indicate those who are deferred because of agricultural occupation.

Gossip—

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John Kelly obtained a short furlough from his hospital in San Antonio, where he is undergoing treatment, and met his parents and his wife in Lubbock last week-end. His father stated, on returning to McLean Monday, that one bone in his arm was shattered but that it was healing. He does have some difficulty working his fingers on that injured left arm, but this trouble is being given treatment. He received the injury while on the front lines. He was attempting to reach a trench for protection, when hit by a bullet from a Chinese Red fighter.

Mounce Named to Journalism Group

Claude E. Mounce of McLean has been elected to Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalistic fraternity, at the University of Texas. Members are selected on the basis of scholastic standing in journalism courses, on journalistic work, and on whether they plan to take up journalism as their career. Mounce is a junior majoring in journalism. He is a member of the Naval ROTC, the Baptist Student Union, and the Texas Club, independent men's social organization. He holds a Jesse H. Jones naval scholarship given in honor of Fleet Admiral Ernest J. King, and was recently awarded a student property deposit scholarship of \$100. Mr. and Mrs. Hal Mounce are his parents.

"SMALL BUSINESS"

Many government officials say present national inflation is caused, in part, by too much money being in circulation. But another set of officials took a different action to solve Norway's inflation, according to ECA Bulletin #1956.
Marshall Plan gives Norway \$130 million to "combat inflationary pressures resulting from the excessive amount of money pumped into the nation's economy during the war."
In other countries American taxpayers' dollars have been given to fight deflation.
"Others will order water poured on the blaze; others will order gasoline pumped on the flames."
"I shall expect the Federal Trade Commission to be alert and vigorous in its enforcement," Mrs. Truman signing the anti-trust bill designed to plug a gap in anti-trust laws.
But, small business leaders ask, will this mean just more "big services," as Wendell Berge, former head of the Dept. of Justice Anti-Trust Division, labeled anti-trust enforcement for the past 35 years before a Congressional committee.
Anti-trust is an enforcement protecting the public is the responsibility of the Justice Department and the Federal Trade Commission.
The report states internal strife and office politics pervade the agency. The report also refers to a "premium placed on inter-office deals, strategic alliances," etc. Investigating Congressmen also found that the FTC is split into small cliques with every division jealous of any powers given any other division.
The House Small Business Committee also accuses the FTC of jumping on a horse and galloping off in all directions.
Investigators found the FTC failed to follow up on cases. Why? Congressmen are determined to find out. Next week there'll be more facts.
Everybody knows small newspapers are plagued with a shortage of newsprint, also exorbitant newspaper prices.
That is, everyone knows except apparently Marshall Plan officials, who have given \$1 million worth of newsprint to Ireland, or the equivalent of a year's supply for 1,000 substantial American weekly newspapers.

Executives—

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1947. Hodson joined the organization as superintendent of the Pecos Valley Division with headquarters in Roswell, N. M., in 1928, and has been chief engineer of the company with headquarters at Amarillo since 1941. Ausman and Hodson have, during the last seven years, directed the planning and construction of new power plants and other equipment costing approximately \$100,000,000.
"These promotions," said Cunningham, "are in line with the company's policy of obtaining its officers from within the company's organization so that the company's official family consists of friends and neighbors of the people served and are thoroughly familiar with local problems and requirements.
"Our company is faced with a big financing job," Cunningham continued. "We will, during this year, spend about \$20,000,000 on new equipment, more than our total sales. This expansion has been going on for two years, and, with the speedup due to the national emergency, will continue indefinitely in the future. We an expert lubrication from us. Saves motor and body wear. Gulf Service Station, Ernest Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Drum and sister, Mrs. Charles Dunnam, at Lubbock over the week-end.

Johnny and Freddie Sagner have returned to their home at Iola, Kans., after visiting friends here for a week.

Archie Farren is ill at his home with the flu.

The Laury Daisy Club met January 25 with Mrs. Newt Barker. Refreshments of sandwiches and pop were served to Mesdames H. A. D'Spain, R. D. Holmes, W. S. Marshall, Brent Chapman, John Gregory, Archie Farren, O. L. Thompson, E. C. West, E. O. Owen, Durant Brock, R. B. McReynolds, C. Drum, the hostess, and two new members, Mrs. R. B. Kinard and Mrs. A. A. Wharton. The next meeting will be February 8 in the home of Mrs. Durant Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Roundtree and two daughters have moved into the home formerly owned by Jack Harris. They owned a grocery store at Lullie before they bought out Mr. Harris.

Mrs. George Trimble was honored with a baby shower Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Elmer Emmel, with Mrs. L. P. McDonald and Mrs. Jack Boyd as co-hostesses. A boy, Johnny Welton, was born to the Trimbles January 13. The young man received many useful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lee spent the week-end in Lubbock with their son, John Kelly Lee and family. John Kelly was in Lubbock on medical leave after being wounded in Korea. Mr. and Mrs. Lee reported that he is recovering as well as could be expected and that he is regaining the use of his left hand after being wounded in the arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Osborn of Logan, N. M., were here last Friday for the wedding of Mrs. Osborn's sister, Bonnie Willis.

Uncle Sam Says



"A Pyramid of Cash Savings." It's not alone possible but it can be made a certainty. Your government offers you a proved, sure-fire savings plan that can change your entire life. It's the Payroll Savings Plan for the purchase of U. S. Savings Bonds. Ask yourself: "out of all the money I've earned in the past 18 years how much can I show today?" Now look ahead—say in 1961. During these years you can build a pyramid of savings by enrolling for the Payroll Savings Plan where you work, or if self-employed, the Bond-a-Month Plan at your bank. "Here's to 1961." U. S. Treasury Department

Mr. and Mrs. George Graham, Lou Ann, George, and Janet, were here in McLean the first of the week from Plainview, visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Callahan visited with Mr. Callahan's mother, Mrs. M. A. Callahan, in Childress Sunday.

Mrs. Harvey Grisby was in Amarillo Monday visiting her husband, who is in St. Anthony's Hospital.

Danna Sue Sackett of Pampa visited Mr. and Mrs. John Cornett last week. She is a sister to Mrs. Cornett.

Visitors in the Eric Cubbie home Friday and Saturday were Mrs. Cubbie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Bridges of Knox City.

Mrs. Emory Crockett and son Dickie were in Wellington Thursday visiting with Mrs. Crockett's mother, Mrs. F. H. King of Mangum, Okla.

Golden hours of vision come to us in this present life, when we are at our best, and our faculties work together in harmony.—Charles Fletcher Dale.

Where there is no vision, the people perish; but he that keeps the law, happy is he.—Prov.

Kitchen Gets Beauty Treatment

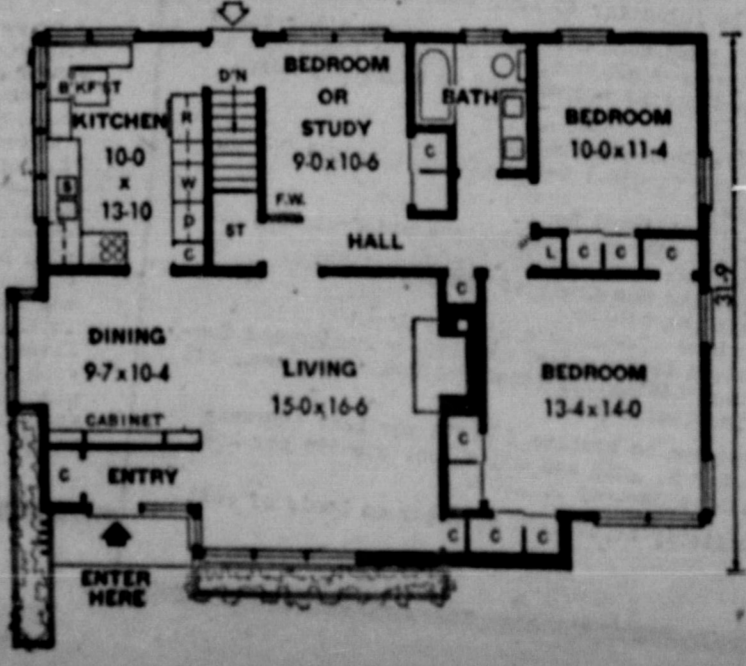


As full of gaps as a mountain range, this kitchen hardly gave the homemaker an even break. It lacks two essentials of a good kitchen: a smooth, untroubled work surface and storage space. The sink, range and refrigerator are isolated, with nothing to tie them together into a workable work-saving unit. Tired of the inconvenience and unattractiveness of her kitchen, the homemaker called in the Youngstown Kitchen Plan Service for the solution pictured below.



Now this homemaker has a kitchen to be proud of, a kitchen of unity, reason and beauty. The new cabinet sink (with twin bowls make dishwashing a cinch) is flanked by base cabinets providing essential counter surface and storage space. Note how the refrigerator is relocated so the sink is ideally located between it and the range. Above are wall cabinets for handy storage use. And best of all, this kitchen was created with minimum expense because there were no structural alterations and the new steel kitchen units are standard.

Small House with Large Assets



Here's a classic example of the type of house most American families look for. It's Good Housekeeping magazine's "Small House of the Month" for February. Features include: 1,250 sq. ft. of floor area; full basement; two closets; and fireplace. The exterior is brick veneer with vertical siding, and wood shingles. Note the abundance of windows, two wash-basins in bathroom, and the folding wall which converts the extra bedroom into a study into a second living room.

BIRTH

Feb. 1. Jess L. Eugene.
Feb. 1. J. A. F.
Feb. 1. Mrs. F.
Feb. 1. Honnel.
Feb. 1. Smith.
Feb. 1. Jones.
Feb. 1. Georgia.
Feb. 1. Mrs. G.
Feb. 1. Prock.
Feb. 1. Mrs. C. Anita.
Feb. 1. Mrs. G. Grigsby.
Feb. 1. Boggs.