

VILLAGE



GOSSIP  
(More or Less)

Ross Collie's traps are attracting more than mere wolves these days. On the same night that he caught his 36th wolf in the traps south of town, Ross found a 25 or 30-pound bobcat with one foot secured in a trap. He managed to get a couple more of the cat's feet entangled in traps, and then brought him to town to prove his catch. The cat was still alive when Ross got him to town—very much alive in the fact. The cat was caught on the Guy Saunders place south of town.

Five members of the McLean Junior Chamber of Commerce attended a bi-regional Jaycee meeting in Childress last week-end. Attending were President Sammy Haynes, Vice President Wayne McElroy, Treasurer Jimmie Don Morris, Larry Fuller, and Johnnie Joe Hutchinson. The business sessions of the Jaycee meeting were held Sunday, beginning at 9 o'clock in the morning. The bi-regional meeting, with representatives of every club in Regions 1 and 2 attending, attracted a total of 248 Jaycees for the second largest bi-regional meeting ever held in Texas.

Members of the W. M. S. of the Alnreed Baptist Church will have a bake sale, and will also serve plate lunches at the Magnolia Cafe in Alnreed Saturday. The bake sale will start at 9 o'clock in the morning. The lunches will consist of chicken and dressing, vegetables, coffee, and dessert, and will be 75 cents each.

H. G. White, father of Former Judge Sherman White of Pampa, died Sunday night at Stephenville. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday in Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman White were in Stephenville at the time of the death of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Waldrop began the construction of a service station Monday at the corner of 107 N. Commerce. The station is being built where the rooming house and hotel operated by Mr. and Mrs. Waldrop, burned several months ago.

Dickie Everett, who has been associated with the T. and G. Electric company for the past few weeks, stated this week that he has gone into business for himself. He will do contract wiring, either home or business, and do various types of electrical repair work. Everett served as store manager for T. and G. when he was with the firm.

Dora Mae Bailey, Buck Henley, and Gene Greer provided musical entertainment at the regular meeting of the McLean Lions Club Tuesday noon. The trio played several numbers for the enjoyment of the Lions and their guests.

Special guests were Coach Don Leach and members of the boys' basketball team, who last week clinched first place in District 1-A. Coach Leach spoke briefly, introducing each of the team members. Team members present—Jimmy Farren was absent due to illness—were Wayne Moore, Ricky Mantooth, Rodney Gunn, James Jolly, James Smith, Rex Immel, Don Haslam, and Wayne Smith.

Among those from the First Baptist Church who attended the North Fork workers conference at Twitty last Thursday were Dr. and Mrs. Buell T. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Voyles, Mesdames R. L. Appling, R. L. McDonald, Homer Abbott, D. S. Price, E. L. Price, R. J. Turner, Lawrence Nicholson, Luther Petty, Bunia Kunkel, Oba Kunkel, James Massey, Arnold Sharp, and Howard Williams; Misses Norma Watson and Mary Lee Stevens; and the following children: Gary and Glenda Turner, Michael Nicholson, Kelly Voyles, Sue Kunkel, Paul Massey, Val Sharp, and Judy Smith. Members of the group presented a play as a part of the program.

HAVE DINNER PARTY

A McLean bridge club enjoyed a dinner party at the U-Drop-Inn Cafe in Shamrock Wednesday, and later had a theater party. Those attending were Mesdames A. J. Goodwin, Don Alexander, Haskell Smith, Ike Keesee, Kid McCoy, T. E. Crisp, and Karl Adams.

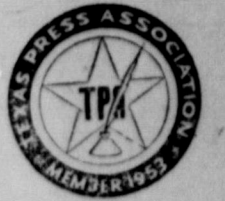
LOCAL AND HOME NEWS

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# The McLean News



## Voters to Elect Five Officials Of City in April

Five officials to serve the City of McLean will be elected at the annual city election, called recently by the city council for Tuesday, April 7.

To be elected are the mayor, city secretary, city marshal, and two aldermen. All offices are for two-year terms.

The vacancies will be created by the expiring terms of Mayor E. J. Lander, Secretary D. A. Davis, Marshal J. A. Sparks, and Aldermen Ruel Smith and C. P. Callahan. Terms of the other three aldermen, Guy Hibler, Odell Mantooth, and Jess Kemp, have one more year to run.

Deadline for filing for any of the offices is 30 days prior to the election, or March 7, Davis explained. Candidates must file their own names, and at the same time, they are required to fill out a loyalty oath form.

E. L. Cubine has been appointed to serve as election judge, and he will choose two others to aid him in the election.

The annual school election has not yet been called by the board of the McLean Independent School District, Charles Cousins, business manager, said this week.

The school election will, of course, be held on Saturday, April 4, the first Saturday in April. Either two or three board members are to be chosen. Terms of two members will expire, and there is now a vacancy on the board due to the resignation of W. G. Carter. The board may either appoint Carter's successor, or include the unexpired term in the annual election.



GEORGE F. SAUNDERS, local rancher, has been named as funds drive chairman of the McLean chapter for the annual campaign of the American Red Cross, chapter Chairman J. W. Meacham has announced. The drive will begin throughout the United States on March 1, continuing through the month.

## Duster Brings Memories of 'Good Old Days'

You've heard of people and birds and various types of animals migrating.

Well, that stuff that people and birds and animals walk on every day pulled an act of migration last Saturday and Sunday.

As a matter of fact, it was said to be the worst dust storm in Texas, Kansas, and Nebraska in at least 20 years.

In the McLean area, the dust could be seen in the distance most of Saturday. High winds caused some good old-fashioned sand storms on Saturday, and along some spots on Highway 66, visibility was reduced to almost zero when gusts of wind moved the earth from one spot to another.



At Home—

## NEW BOSS

Mr. and Mrs. George Stevenson are the parents of a son, born February 13. He weighed 7 pounds, 4 ounces, and has been named Randy Lee.

S/Sgt. and Mrs. A. K. Hutchinson are the parents of a daughter, born February 4 in London, England. The baby weighed 7 pounds, 5 ounces, and has been named Debra Kay. E. C. Bragg of McLean is the baby's grandfather, and Mrs. Sophie Hutchinson is an aunt.

## Tigers District Cage Champions

The McLean Tigers, that team of basketball players who were not feared by the opposition at the first of the 1952-53 season, won the district 1-A cage title by downing the Canadian Wildcats by a score of 44-38.

A loss to the Wildcats would have thrown the Tigers into a tie with White Deer for the district title. White Deer finished the season with two losses, one to McLean and one to Lefors. The Tiger victory over the Wildcats gave McLean a district record of nine wins and one loss—that single loss the 60-59 defeat by White Deer.

The Tigerettes finished in second place in the district, with two defeats and eight victories, by whipping the Canadian girls 48-40 in the closing game last Thursday night. The Tigerettes lost both district games to the Panhandle Pantherettes, winners of the district. It was the first time in five years that the girls had failed to win the district, and the same length of time since the boys had won.

Coach Don Leach will take his boys to the regional Class A tournament at Lubbock on February 27 and 28. Both Class A

## Annual Rodeo May Feature Horse Race

Possibility of again staging a long-distance horse race, in connection with the annual McLean American Legion rodeo, was discussed at a meeting of Legionnaires Monday night.

The rodeo will be held Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, April 17, 18, and 19.

If the race is held, it will be a shorter-distance race than the 20-mile affair staged three or four years ago. At that time three contestants, Pat Slavin of Clarendon, Tom Harlan of Kellerville, and Bob Sherrod of McLean, made the race from Shamrock to McLean. Each rider was allowed three horses. Slavin was the winner.

However, plans now are to have a race of about six miles in length, possibly from the McClellan Creek bridge north of McLean to the city limits of McLean. In the event this is held, each rider would have only one mount. It was believed by the Legionnaires that such an event would attract many more contestants, since few possible entrants would have three horses which they could enter.

The rodeo committee, headed by Rodeo Chairman Spencer Sitter, was to meet Wednesday night to outline the various events to be conducted in the rodeo this year. The committee consists of Sitter, E. J. Lander, Ed Jones, J. C. Claborn, Lester Campbell, and S. A. Cousins. Legion Commander Luke Henley will be in charge of the horse race if it is held.

Three performances for the rodeo are planned—one Friday night, one Saturday afternoon, and the third Sunday afternoon.

## Three Cage Games Scheduled; First With Happy Friday

Three more games are on slate for the boys' basketball team of McLean High School, Coach Don Leach said this week.

Both the boys and girls will meet the Happy teams here Friday night, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. The Happy boys make up an exceptionally strong team, and are expected to give the District 1-A champion Tigers a hard game.

Saturday night, the Mobeetie boys, both A and B teams, will play McLean's A and B teams here, the coach said. Mobeetie is reported to have a good team again this year, having finished second in their district.

On Tuesday night of next week, the Stinnett boys (no girls' game on that night) will play here. The Stinnett team, fans here will remember, were winners of the McLean tournament in December, and ousted the Tigers in the semi-finals.

## Brother, Sister Die in Wreck

Elbert James Bones of Borger and Mrs. Leora Franks of Kermit, brother and sister of Ferd L. Bones of McLean, were killed Monday night in an automobile accident in Kermit. Bones was 46 years of age, and Mrs. Franks was 52.

The accident occurred when the car in which Bones and Mrs. Franks were riding collided with a car driven by John Walker of Kermit. Walker suffered a fractured hip and other injuries.

Bones, a resident of Borger for the past 17 years, was an appraiser for the Panhandle State Bank there, and had gone to Kermit to repossess an automobile.

Funeral services for Bones were held Wednesday in Borger. Rites for Mrs. Franks were to be held in Kermit.

## BIRTHDAYS

Feb. 22—Hettie Burr, Mrs. Clyde Willis, Mrs. Annie Matlock, Jerry Preston, Otis Jones.  
Feb. 24—Mrs. Elton Johnston, George Watson, Mrs. James Corbin.  
Feb. 25—Mrs. Jimmy Newton, Sammie Jane Wood, Donald Smith, O. B. Tugwell, Mrs. Mabry McMahan.  
Feb. 26—Mrs. Edgar Lee, Mrs. J. M. Stevens, Clyde Willis, Mrs. Thelmer McPherson, Richard Hall, Mrs. Roy Campbell, A. L. Rippy.  
Feb. 27—Mrs. Howard Williams, Mrs. Forrest Switzer, LaQuita Wells, Joe Graham, Kenneth Stokes, Cohen Gallegly, James Lloyd Todd.  
Feb. 28—Mrs. Kate Everett, Clea Sue Heasley, Ernest Erwin, Mrs. John Bayless, Fern L. Landers.

## 18th District Postmasters to Hold Meeting in McLean Saturday

### Beauty, Musical Revue Planned By Lions Club

The McLean Lions Club will sponsor a Beauty and Musical Revue in the Municipal Building Tuesday night, March 3, and the program will include the selection of a queen to represent the local club at the annual district convention to be held in Borger in June. The program will start at 8 o'clock.

Selection of the queen will highlight the evening's entertainment, J. Lester Dysart, chairman of the committee in charge, stated. Any girl, 16 years of age and unmarried, will be eligible to enter the contest, and the winner will be chosen by popular vote of those who attend the affair.

Two bands will be heard. The McLean High School band and the Shamrock High School band will both be on hand to play. Gerald Smith, local bandmaster, is also planning several specialty numbers. A men's quartet will sing, and Dysart said that other special numbers are still in the planning stage.

Admission will be 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children. Tickets will be sold in advance by members of the Lions Club.

Each person who attends will be given a chance at selecting the winner of the beauty contest. The parade of beauties, each of whom will be sponsored by some business or individual in town, will be the first portion of the program. After the girls have completed their appearances, every person attending will be asked to write his or her choice for the winner on the back of his ticket. These will all be collected, and a tally made of the votes while the rest of the program is in progress.

The girl receiving the most votes will be designated as the queen and will be provided with an expense-paid trip to the district Lions convention. There she will compete with Lions queens from other towns in the district, and the winner will then proceed to the state convention contest.



HARRY FRYE of Shamrock shows what the true, Texas-type Irishmen are wearing this year—donegals, which may be trimmed or untrimmed, according to preference, and green high-top hats. The purpose, of course, is to publicize the St. Patrick's Day celebration to be held in Shamrock on Tuesday, March 17. Frye, who is general chairman, stated this week that plans for the big Irish Festival are shaping up well and that a tentative program, loaded with entertainment, will be announced in the near future. A crowd estimated at 25,000 attended the fete last year.

## 75 Cars Get Scotch Lite; More Saturday

About 75 cars were equipped with the highly-reflecting scotch lite on their rear bumpers by a squad of members of the McLean Junior Chamber of Commerce last Saturday afternoon.

The Jaycees will be downtown again Saturday afternoon of this week to install more scotch lite, President Sammy Haynes said. The installation location will be on the south side of the American National Bank, where a spot will be available for cars to pull off the traffic lane of the highway and have the material installed.

The scotch lite program, highly endorsed by the Texas Department of Public Safety, is being sponsored by Jaycees throughout most of the U. S. The material is being made available only through the Jaycee organization. Charge for installation on rear bumpers is \$1.

Haynes also said that boys and girls owning bicycles are invited to come by Saturday afternoon, and have strips of the material mounted on the bikes. There will be no charge for installing the scotch lite on bicycles, Haynes said.

## Butch Turpen Shows Reserve Champion Pig at Pampa Show

Members of the McLean chapter of the Future Farmers of America, walked off with numerous honors in the annual Top of Texas junior livestock show, including the winning of the reserve champion honor in the swine show.

Butch Turpen's pig was the reserve champion of the show. The pig was sold to Tex Evans of Pampa for 63 cents per pound, bringing Turpen a total of \$142.38. Grand champion pig was shown by John Kramer of Skellytown. His entry was bought by the Pampa Daily Spokesman for \$150 per pound, or a total of \$334.50.

McLean boys did not fare too well in the calf show, placing no animals in the top brackets. Grand champion calf, shown by Bob Clark of Miami, sold for \$101 per pound, or \$987.78. The reserve champion calf, named "Faris" in honor of its breeder, Faris Hess of McLean, was shown by Joe Van Zandt of Mobeetie, and sold for 54 cents per pound.

In pig showmanship, Dan Taylor of McLean was awarded first place, with second going to Turpen.

Other honors included the fol-

## Representatives Expected From 28 Counties

Representatives from 28 counties are expected to be in McLean Saturday for the quarterly meeting of the postmasters and supervisors of the 18th congressional district, Postmaster Johnnie Back has announced.

The postmasters will meet here at the invitation of the McLean Junior Chamber of Commerce, extended to the group at their quarterly meeting in Dumas last fall. Postmaster Back made the invitation in behalf of the Jaycees.

Between 75 and 100 people are expected to attend the meeting, which is to begin with registration in the American Legion Hall at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Back stated.

Highlight of the meeting will be a banquet in the cafeteria of the elementary school. D. V. Baker of Amarillo, president of the postmasters organization, will preside, and the welcome will be given by Sammy Haynes, Jaycee president.

Main speaker for the banquet will be J. P. Crenshaw, minister of the Church of Christ in Pampa. Minister Crenshaw is one of the outstanding speakers in the Panhandle, the local postmaster said. Music for the banquet will be furnished by Gerald Smith and his Dixieland band.

The registration of visitors, from 2 to 3 o'clock in the Legion Hall, will be followed by a general business session. After this, the postmasters and supervisors will divide into two classes, one of which will meet in the Legion Hall and the other in the Municipal Building. The banquet will begin at 6 o'clock in the cafeteria.

Officers of the association, in addition to President Baker, are Imogene Benton of Sunray, first vice president; L. H. Searcy of Stinnett, second vice president; and Arlo F. Kelley of Amarillo, secretary-treasurer.

REVELLE



... with the boys

Cpl. J. D. Ayers, who has been with the 40th Infantry Division in Korea for the past 18 months, landed in San Francisco, Calif., last week. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ayers of Amarillo. J. D.'s wife is now making her home in Tulsa.



# Society

## Local RA Chapter Meets to Study From Mission Book

The Hayden Parker chapter of the R. A. met Thursday afternoon, February 12, at the First Baptist Church.

They studied two chapters of their mission book, one on Ecuador, "Playing Store on the Equator"; and one on Southern Rhodesia, South Africa, "Bope, the Nolsy One," by Mary Christian.

For their knightly deed of the month, they made valentines for Mrs. E. L. Minix, who celebrated her 93rd birthday February 15. Players were selected for the ball team.

Refreshments of cake and cocoa were served by Mrs. F. E. Stewart and Mrs. W. J. Carnes to Don Cash, Jerry Kunkel, Ronnie Plexer, Owen Plexer, Jobey Claborn, Eddie Kunkel, Jerry Smith, Joe D. Smith, Kent Wiggins, Frankie Yearwood, Kenneth Willingham, James Stewart, Carey Don Smith, and Mrs. A. A. Lindsay.

All boys 9 to 12, inclusive, are invited to attend the R. A. meetings each Thursday afternoon at 3:50 o'clock at the First Baptist Church.

## Mrs. E. L. Minix Honored at Dinner On 93rd Birthday

Mrs. E. L. Minix was honored with a birthday dinner Sunday, February 15, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. S. Kunkel. Mrs. Minix was 93 years old.

Out-of-town guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. Frank TerBush and family of Groom, and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Kunkel and children of Dumas.

## Avalon

Thursday, Friday:

Stewart Granger, Deborah Kerr, James Mason

"The Prisoner of Zenda" in technicolor

Saturday:

Johnny Weissmuller

"Voodoo Tiger"

Sunday, Monday:

Mitzi Gaynor, Scott Brady

"Bloodhounds of Broadway" in technicolor

Tuesday, Wednesday:

Bonar Colleano, Arthur Franz, Lee Marvin, Dennis

"Eight Iron Men"

## Glenda J. Kunkel, Vernon B. Miner Wed in California

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Kunkel of Courtland, Calif., announce the marriage of their daughter, Glenda Jeanne, to Vernon B. Miner, also of Courtland.

The ceremony was performed in the Kunkel home at 6 o'clock in the evening of December 26, 1952, with Elder George E. Hartly Jr. of the Missionary Baptist Church of Sacramento, Calif., officiating.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Matron-of-honor was Mrs. Elinor Stoats, sister of the groom. Bridesmaids were the bride's twin sister Gloria, and a younger sister, Jennie. Flower girl was Wilma Chislett of Compton, Calif.; and ring bearer was Eugene Chislett of Compton. They are the niece and nephew of the bride. Best man was Richard Novtry of Elk Grove, Calif.

The bride is a senior at Courtland High School, and sports queen for the year. She will finish her senior work in school and then join her husband, now in the navy stationed at Corpus Christi.

The brides' grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Kunkel of McLean and Mrs. Elizabeth Kite of Alanreed.

## Beginners Class Enjoys Valentine Party at Church

The beginners Sunday school class of the First Baptist Church met Saturday afternoon for a valentine party at the home of Mrs. Bill Reeves, with Mesdames L. F. Giesler, Arnold Sharp, R. L. Brown, and Oba Kunkel as co-hostesses.

Punch and cookies were served, and the children exchanged valentines.

Children present were Virginia Giddens, Jean Ann Giddens, Paul Phillips Jr., Gary Turner, Jimmy Stevens, Sue Kunkel, Norma Page, Robert Glenn Harrell, Lee Mitchell, Donna Joyce Boyd, Tommy Taylor, and Johnny Reeves.

## S. S. Class Honors Mrs. E. L. Minix at Birthday Party

Members of the Faithful Workers Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church entertained Mrs. E. L. Minix Monday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Colebank. The occasion was in honor of Mrs. Minix' 93rd birthday which was February 15.

After a time of fellowship together, each person quoted her favorite scripture for the devotional. Then Mrs. S. A. Cobb gave a sketch of their friendship and their religious life as they have worked together for the Lord the past 40 years.

The honoree was then presented with personal gifts.

Mrs. Colebank served refreshments to Mesdames Cobb, Pearl Burr, W. J. Hanner, Bunia Kunkel, Sue Van Huss, C. G. Nicholson, Bertha Lee, J. W. Burrows, Sam Sharp, C. E. Hunt, R. T. Moore, W. B. Fowler, T. B. Windom, E. W. Sullivan, R. L. McDonald, T. A. Langham, Pearl Matthews, and Miss Hettie Burr.

## WSCS Completes Series of Lessons In Bible Study

The W. S. C. S. of the McLean Methodist Church met Tuesday afternoon for the last lesson on "Understanding the Bible," taught by Mrs. J. L. Hess.

The program opened with a song, "I Know the Bible Is True." The opening prayer was given by Mrs. W. E. Bogan, and Mrs. Madge Page conducted the business meeting.

An interesting play, entitled "My Bible," was presented by Mrs. Earl Eustace and Mrs. Wilson Boyd. Mrs. R. N. Ashby brought a devotional on the "Word of God." She was assisted by Mrs. Birdwell.

The closing song was "Something for Thee." A litany of thanks was read by the group and a collection was taken for the American Bible Society. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Hess.

Present were 21 members and one visitor, Mrs. Wilson Boyd.

## Two WMU Circles Meet in Home Of Mrs. Fowler

The Elizabeth Pool and Nina Hankins circles of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. W. B. Fowler.

Mrs. Buell Wells taught the lesson on "Highways in the Desert."

Refreshments were served by the hostess to Mesdames R. L. McDonald, Oba Kunkel, Homer Abbott, E. L. Price, E. L. Minix, George Colebank, Pearl Matthews, C. G. Nicholson, Luther Petty, Sam Jones, R. G. Florey, Bunia Kunkel, Frank Howard, Granville Boyd, and J. A. Walston; and Misses Marjorie Fowler, Vickie Sue Kunkel, and Donna Joyce Boyd.

Mrs. W. T. Eldridge was a business visitor in Groom Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Walker and son visited Sunday afternoon in Shamrock with relatives.

## Ladies Auxiliary Meeting Is Held In Church Parlor

The Ladies Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church met Tuesday afternoon in the church parlor.

The meeting opened with the devotional and prayer by Mrs. Arthur Erwin. Mrs. J. M. Payne taught the Bible lesson on the book of Colossians. The meeting adjourned with the Mizpah benediction.

Present were Mesdames Carl Meyers, Burl Glass, Payne, Karl Adams, Erwin, Perry Everett, J. R. Glass, and Mattie Graham.

and a visitor, Mrs. F. H. Bogleland of Tulsa.

## Embroidery Club Meets in Home Of Mrs. Kirby

The Centennial Embroidery Club met Friday, February 12, in the home of Mrs. J. E. Kirby.

Refreshments were served to one guest, Mrs. A. G. Wyatt of California, and the following members: Mesdames Homey Abbott, J. L. Andrews, Kay Adams, W. E. Bozan, C. E. Carter, D. A. Davis, H. W. Finley, H. E. Franks, Byrd Gull, Kid McCann, M. H. Patterson, Amos Tausch, Frank Reeves, and the hostess.

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DEL MONTE <b>Tomato Juice</b> 46 oz. can <b>31c</b>	DEL MONTE <b>PEACHES</b> No. 2 1/2 can <b>32c</b>
DEL MONTE <b>Spinach</b> No. 2 can <b>15c</b>	BROOKS <b>Catsup</b> 12 oz. bottle <b>19c</b>
SUNSHINE <b>Marshmallows</b> 1 lb pkg. <b>29c</b>	SUNSHINE <b>Hi-Ho</b> Crackers 1 lb pkg. <b>32c</b>
PINK — NOT CHUM <b>Salmon</b> tall can <b>43c</b>	WELCH'S <b>Grape Juice</b> 24 oz. bottle <b>39c</b>

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# Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams and son Larry, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Grover Lamb of Lela, were Sunday visitors with relatives in Tucumcari, N. M.

Mrs. Martha Aldridge and Mrs. Madge Page made a business trip to Wheeler Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Price visited with friends in Friona Sunday.

STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF GRAY  
CITY OF McLEAN  
TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS  
OF THE CITY OF McLEAN,  
GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS

Take notice that an election will be held on Tuesday, April 7th, 1953, at the City Hall in the City of McLean, Gray County, Texas, for the following purpose: **ELECTING A MAYOR, A CITY SECRETARY, A CITY MARSHAL, AND TWO CITY ALDERMEN**

Every person who has attained the age of twenty-one years, who has resided in the State of Texas twelve months and within the corporate limits of the City of McLean, Gray County, Texas, six months prior to date of said election, and is a qualified voter under the laws of the state shall be entitled to a vote at said election. No person shall be eligible to any of said offices unless he possesses the requisites

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BROWN'S DRUG STORE

H. Longan was admitted to Shamrock Hospital Wednesday of last week for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mertel attended the spring market show in Amarillo Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones attended open house in Shamrock Sunday for a new home built by Cicero Smith Lumber company.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moore and family, and Mrs. Sallie Moore made a business trip to Pampa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Banta of Borger and Ernest Jones of Dumas spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mrs. Susie Trout and children were Sunday visitors in Lefors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Taylor and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carr of Amarillo visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hornsby.

Mrs. D. C. Carpenter visited in Perryton Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carpenter.

Mrs. Beulah Almond was a Sunday visitor in Booker with relatives and friends.

S/Sgt. and Mrs. Carol Fitzgerald and Mrs. Reda Dalley of Amarillo spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jolly.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Burrows of Pauls Valley, Okla., spent Saturday night in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Johnnie Mertel and family.

Mrs. Bob Black returned home Sunday after spending three weeks in Deport with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Webb, who are ill.

Mrs. Corinne Trimble spent Sunday and Monday in Amarillo attending the spring market show.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lee and family of Pampa spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mrs. Martha Aldridge and Mrs. Madge Page attended a meeting of the Needlecraft Club in Lefors Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Lady Bryant spent the week-end in Pampa in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Roan and Cephus Bryant.

Miss Margaret Glass attended the spring market show in Amarillo Sunday, and visited in the home of Mrs. Frances Purdy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Phillips and Mrs. F. J. Hess and children visited in Pampa Sunday with Mrs. George Cash, who is a patient at Worley Hospital.

George Terry and Conald Cunningham attended a television show in Amarillo Sunday, and also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Cunningham.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Cunningham and daughter Karen and Mr. and Mrs. Vick of Samnorwood were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Cunningham.

Among those attending the Top of Texas fat stock show in Pampa Sunday were Paul Kennedy, J. L. Hess, Evan Sitter, Leon Waldrop, Clyde Marce, Walter Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Phillips, and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hess and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Davidson and daughter of Wheeler were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Boncs.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hill and family of Amherst were week-end guests here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hill.

Mrs. J. C. McClellan left Monday for a visit in Portales, N. M., in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Fulbright and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Erwin.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Mullanax and son Gayle attended the spring market show in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Butrum attended the market show in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. L. A. Rainey of New Brockton, Ala., spent last week with Mrs. J. W. Hornsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones and son Charles spent the week-end in Dallas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Jones.

Austin Edwards of Meridian spent several days last week in the home of his brother, W. W. Edwards.

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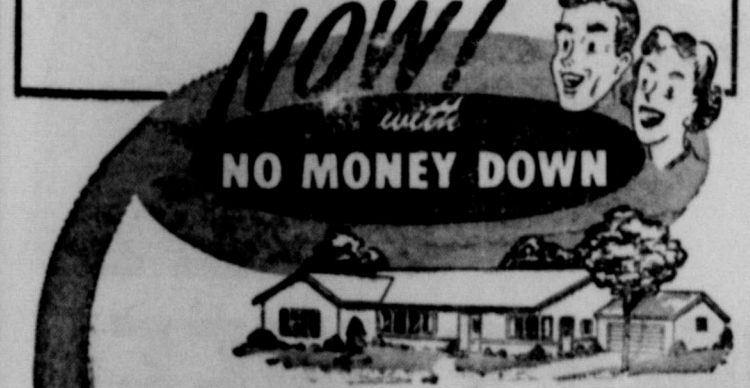
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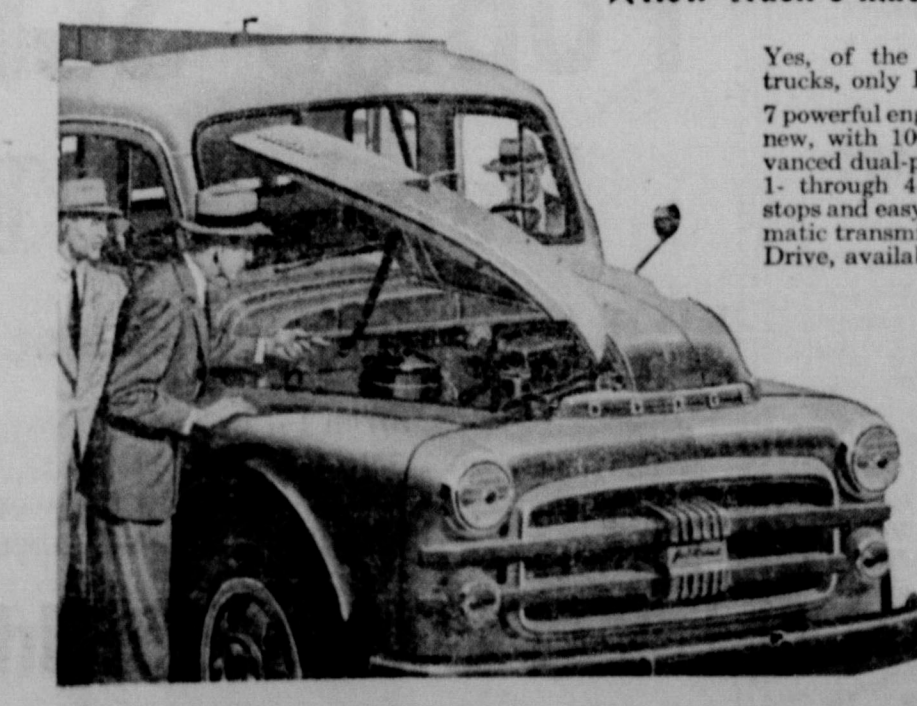
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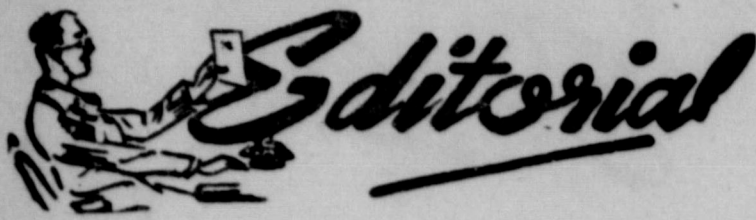
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### EXPECTING TOO MUCH?

SHORTLY AFTER the Eisenhower inauguration Walter Lippmann wrote a column which was based on an unusual and provocative idea. He pointed out that the principles the new President laid down in the inaugural address are virtually noncontroversial nowadays—where once, and not long ago as history runs, they would have been burning issues.

Mr. Lippmann went on to discuss the tremendous changes that have taken place in American attitudes and the tenor of American thinking toward the world at large since 1914. Then he wrote: "The great good that can come of it rests on the prodigious fact that for all practical political purposes there are no ideological divisions within this nation. There is conflict and diversity of economic interests; there are racial tensions and sectarian differences. But there is no alignment of large masses in an irreconcilable struggle. The conflict abroad . . . is not a conflict within the American nation. We are not now afflicted as are so many lands because this external conflict is at the same time a deep and wide internal conflict. We face many dangers but that, the greatest of them all, does not confront us now. Internal division is not the condition of America."

Proof of Mr. Lippmann's thesis is found in the reception that has been given President Eisenhower's statements and speeches, both before and after he took the oath of office. With very few exceptions, leaders of both parties, along with newspapers and commentators of widely varying political positions, have had relatively little criticism and much praise for what he stands for. And this is true of the lieutenants he has appointed. The feeling is general that this will be a dedicated administration, that its inevitable mistakes will be honest mistakes, that politics will be sublimated to the greatest possible degree in the handling of the major problems, that the general welfare will always be placed first, and that the overriding goal will be the attainment of national

unity and purpose to an extent that has not been known in many years.

The tremendous enthusiasm for Eisenhower and belief in Eisenhower that the public has shown creates a big problem in itself. That problem is that we may expect too much too fast.

Even a boiled down list of the most pressing issues that the Eisenhower administration faces shows how dangerous and foolish overoptimism would be. U. S. News & World Report listed a number in its issue of January 23. They include the Korean War; the bad condition of the European army; the ominous Communist advances in Indo-China; the Kremlin's continued gains in many parts of the world; the tremendous demand for cuts in government spending and ultimately, tax reduction; the draft, which is cutting deeper and deeper into our youthful male population and may soon seek to induct fathers. Any one of such problems is big enough and tough enough to demand the attention of the best brains the administration can command; together, they create incredible difficulties.

President Eisenhower has taken over the toughest job on earth. His chief assistants have jobs which are not much easier. It is essential that the American people, despite their natural desire for peace and plenty, realize this and be tolerant and cooperative.

### LES

## TALK

By LESTER

Seems as though the very people who should be most interested are the ones who are violating a most important safety principle of traffic in a certain part of town.

I refer to those parents who persist in parking in front of the new elementary school building to await the time when their children will come out of the building at noon, and in the afternoon.

When school started last fall, the city put up signs plainly stating "No parking at any time" along the block in front of the building. The reason the signs were put up was to prevent the possibility of some child running out into the street from behind, or in front of, some parked car into the path of an oncoming car.

Since I go to lunch each day at noon just about the time school is dismissed for the children to eat, perhaps I notice the fact that parents are parking along both sides of the street more than most of you who do not use that route to go to your homes.

The situation is anything but satisfactory.

I believe that the no parking signs should either be removed and the safety angle completely forgotten—or else those people who park there should quit that practice. Personally, I hope the latter is the accepted solution.

Speaking of parking, I notice the Legion gave up the idea of trying to prevent ball game goers from parking on their lawn. So

they have plowed up the ground on the west side of the Legion Hall. Maybe that might be the solution to the school-in-front-of-situation; just plow up the street.



Here's a person I have come to like since I moved to McLean some years ago. This person, as most of you know, is Mrs. Verna Burris. During the time I have been here, I have found that Verna is kind and helpful to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rice, and that is something that all children cannot brag about.

Of course, with such fine people as Mr. and Mrs. Rice as parents, a person can hardly blame Verna for her respect for them. But Verna has other attributes, too.

For one thing, I have watched her, during these years, build up a small floral business into what is now a going concern. Don't misunderstand—I don't mean

Verna is getting rich in the floral business, but I'm sure it does make her a little money. And in

addition, it provides the community with a greatly-needed service. If you haven't seen the visible assets of this business of hers and of her husband, Legon, then drive by their home. Immediately behind the house is the first greenhouse, attached to the Burris home. Now, near the alley, Verna and Legon have built a larger, much nicer greenhouse. You've simply got to hand it to this couple, they are doing a nice job for themselves and building up a business of which the entire community should be proud. Verna, I possibly could think of more nice things to say about you, but they might give you the bighead, so I'll stop right here.

Each year one of the companies with which we do business sends us a plaque (instead of a calendar) with some type of wise words on it. One year, the wording was, "the thing that does the most and costs the least is just a pleasant smile." Another year, it said, "it is much easier to be critical than correct."

For the past two years, the plaque was the same. It pictures green tomatoes at the top of the plaque, and red ones at the bottom. Reading from top to bottom, it says, "So long as you're GREEN, YOU GROW; when you think you're ripe you begin to get ROTTEN."

Homer Wilson brought in the cotton ginnings of the various counties in Texas the other day. Rather surprised me to read that Lubbock County ginned the largest crop in the state, 244,319 bales. Hale County was second with 206,134 bales. Both counties showed an enormous gain.

Last year's (1951) top crop in cotton came from Hidalgo County with better than 277 thousand, but the county dropped to 157,916 in 1952. Cameron County, second in the state in 1951, ginned only 92 thousand in 1952.

Other South Plains counties, where irrigation is used extensively, also had big crops—Lamb County, for example, with 176 thousand bales.

Wheeler County ginned nearly 12 thousand, Hall slightly more than 30 thousand, and Collingsworth, just over 18 thousand.

When I used to live in Hall County, and before that in Collingsworth County, I thought I was really in the cotton country. I remember that at one time Wellington had more gins than any other town in the world. But that is "used-to-was" stuff. Looks

like the irrigated farms are taking over the production.

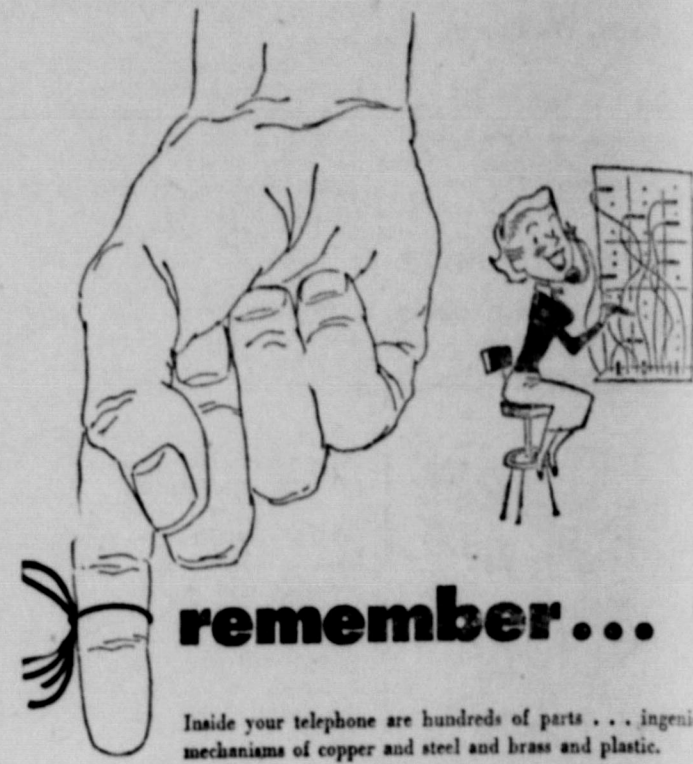
Something I forgot to mention before: Remember the man named Monty Montana who roped President Eisenhower during the inaugural ceremonies January 20? There were lots of stories about the Hollywood cowboy who did the roping, and then in the newsreels, Monty was shown throwing his lariat over Ike's head. Ike had given him permission to do so, of course.

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# Personal

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Callahan were Sunday guests in Groom in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Meanord Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Beck were Sunday guests in the home of Mrs. J. W. Beck and daughter Ann in Wellington.

T. M. Wyrick of Dodson was a Sunday visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Chase.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bob Smith of Dallas spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Dickinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cliett and son James visited in Canadian Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Tindall of Shamrock were Sunday guests in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Hickman Brown and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Boyd and daughter Donna Joyce spent Friday and Saturday in Amarillo in the home of Mrs. Boyd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McMahon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Billingsley of Amarillo spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Henley returned Saturday from Jacksboro, where they visited her sister, Mrs. Charlie Kadane, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lee spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Roberts at Denworth.

Mrs. Jim Back made a business trip to Mobeetie Monday.

Mrs. J. G. Roberson of Pampa visited Saturday morning with Mrs. Jack Roberson, who returned to Pampa with her for the week-end.

Mrs. Marie Henley and Bruce Talley of Liberal, Kans., were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brawley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Brooks of White Deer and McLean attended the spring market show in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Sargent spent Sunday in Pampa with her mother, Mrs. L. L. Quarles and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Crockett and son and daughter, Charles and Mrs. Collene Stewart, were Sunday visitors in Letors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Foshee and family.

George Mason of Wheeler and John Humphreys of Rockford, Ill., spent Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Humphreys. John Humphreys remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. Joe Graham was a visitor in Amarillo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Tindall and daughter Linda spent the week-end at Cranfills Gap, and visited with his mother, Mrs. Alma Tindall. She returned to McLean with them for a visit.

Mrs. Wheeler Cobb and Mrs. M. C. Walker and son were Pampa visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Miro Pakan and daughter Margaret were business visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. Willie Boyett was a visitor in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Watson and family were Sunday visitors with relatives in Clarendon.

Mrs. Pearl Turner spent the week-end in Amarillo with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon King and son and Mrs. N. A. Greer spent Friday in Vinson, Okla., in the homes of Mrs. Greer's nieces, Mrs. S. S. Swafford and Mrs. Bertha Heitt.

Mrs. W. M. Rhodes returned to her home Thursday after being a patient at Groom Hospital for the past week.

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YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Gray County at the Courthouse thereof, in Pampa, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Mon-

day next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 16th day of March, A. D., 1953, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court on the 12th day of December, A. D., 1952, in this cause, numbered 10,569 on the docket of said court and styled Hildred C. Newman, Plaintiff, vs. Claude W. Newman, Defendant. A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce and custody of minor children, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs. Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Pampa, Texas, this 30th day of January, A. D., 1953. Attest: Dee Patterson Parton, Clerk, District Court, Gray County, Texas. By Helen Sprinkle, Deputy. 6-4p

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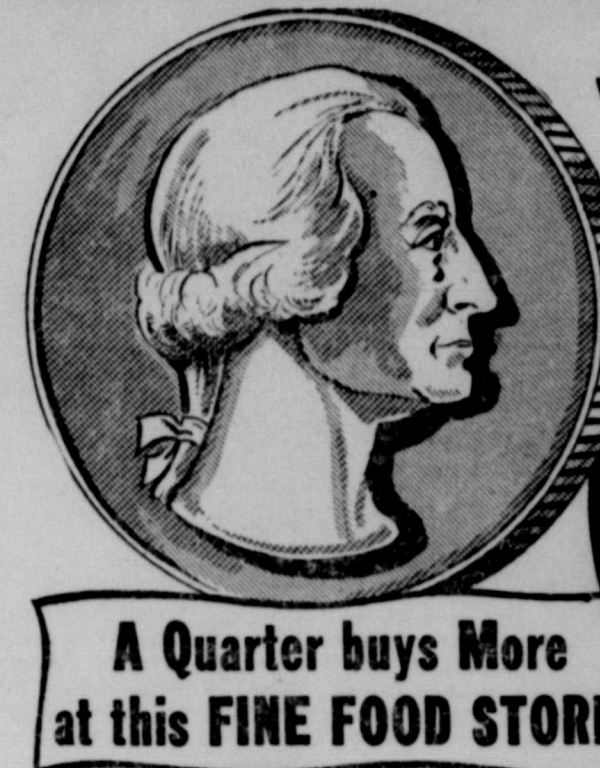
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Ladies of the Alareed Baptist W. M. S. will have a bake sale and serve plate lunches of chicken and dressing, coffee and dessert for 75c each, Saturday at the Magnolia Cafe, Alareed. Open from 9 a. m. to 8 p. m. Come eat with us. 1c

Mrs. C. M. Carpenter returned to her home Saturday after being a patient in Worley Hospital at Pampa the past week.

Mrs. Mary Alice Burnett and children of Dumas spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Ledgerwood. Mrs. Ledgerwood accompanied them home Sunday afternoon and visited with her grandson, John Ledgerwood, who is a patient in a Dumas hospital with a fractured skull.

Mrs. Pat Herndon underwent an appendicitis operation at Highland General Hospital in Pampa Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Meacham and family were in Amarillo Monday night to attend a television show, and visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Chestham.



—Engraving Courtesy Pampa Daily Spokesman  
 OSCAR L. TIBBETS, Gray County Commissioner from McLean, and his fellow commissioners showed a great deal of interest in the ceiling projector at the McLean Library. Operation of the instrument was demonstrated and explained by Lady Bryant, right, librarian, during the commissioners' recent tour of the county. Looking on while Paul Bowers, Precinct 3, tries it out, are, left to right, Bill Jarvis, Precinct 2; Judge J. B. Maguire, Tibbets, Bowers, R. C. Wilson, county auditor; Arlie Carpenter, Precinct 1, Lefors; and Mrs. Bryant.

**NEWS FROM KELLERVILLE**

Ivan Burns of Skellytown, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Miller, died Sunday morning, February 15, in a Dallas hospital, after an illness of seven months. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Florette Burns, and three children, Annette, Jackie, and Paulette. The Burns family formerly lived at Kellerville. He was buried at Pampa Wednesday. The community extends sympathy to the family and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Rountree, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brown attended the funeral of Mrs. Hunter, sister of Mrs. Roy W. Lynch, at Memphis Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. James Travens and son of Oxnard, Calif., arrived by plane Sunday to visit her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Tindall and Phyllis.

Mrs. Odie Claxton and Cindy of Abilene spent last week here visiting her father and sister, W. W. Hughes and Barbara.

Mrs. C. M. Dunnam of Lubbock has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Drum, and daughter Martha. Mrs. James McClellan and children of Wellington have also been visiting her parents and sisters, Mrs. Drum and Mrs. McClellan took Mrs. Dunnam back to Lubbock Monday.

Joe Bruton left by plane from Amarillo last Friday for Eau Claire, Wis., to visit his daughter, Mrs. John O. Haanstad and family. He will return home Saturday.

Mrs. Arthur Dwyer and sons of McLean visited Mrs. Vioma Farren Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chapman of Wichita Falls visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brent Chapman, last week-end.

Mrs. L. M. Blaylock and son Donald Ray spent last week in Chickasha, Okla., with relatives.

Mrs. Alice McCannon and son of Hobart, Okla., and Jimmie Caudill of Amarillo are visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Caudill and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Caudill.

Mrs. Lucy McCarty returned last week from a visit in the home of her son, George McCarty and family, at Las Cruces, N. M.

Neil Hill of Bell Flower, Calif., and Ray Hill of Compton, Calif., visited recently in the home of their cousin, Mrs. T. E. Crisp.

**Mother of Local Resident Dies**

Mrs. Mary E. Wood died at a rest home in Alva, Okla., Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. She was 98 years old.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon in Alva. She is survived by one son, George W. Brown of McLean. Brown attended the rites in Alva.

Mrs. J. M. Ayers and Mrs. Adderine DeBose of Amarillo spent Tuesday in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones and Miss Sue Jones.

W. E. Green spent Sunday and Monday in Amarillo with his granddaughter, Mrs. Irene Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Irven Alderson were Thursday visitors in Clar- endon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alderson.

Mrs. W. E. Green is visiting in Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Green and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Reo Heasley and son Billy spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Anderson, in Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Kid McCoy and Mrs. T. E. Crisp were Pampa visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crisp and daughter Pat of Dimmitt, Roger Loter of Plainview, and Eugene Boston of Canyon spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Crisp.

Mr. Eunice Knight and son John Edward of Russellville, Ark., spent the week-end here in the home of her sister, Mrs. P. L. Ledgerwood and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wiggins of Lefors, and their son Edward, a student at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, visited Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wiggins.

Andrew Freeman, who is employed here with the Austin Road company, spent the week-end in Dallas with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Smith

spent Tuesday and Wednesday at Dorsey Ranch near Alareed with Mrs. Ray Hunt.

Mrs. Ethel Cantrell of the Dorsey Ranch near Alareed visited Tuesday with her father, W. E. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron McLean and daughter Patricia Ann Whiteface spent the week-end in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burrows.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burrows attended a Burrows family reunion at Erick, Okla., Tuesday.

**Brown's Adds New Cosmetics**

"More than one cream? What nonsense!" says Ann Delafield, world famous beauty and reducing authority. In quoting the well-known beautician, Hickman Brown of Brown's Rexall Drug Store announced the Ann Delafield Cosmetics, the first original "no nonsense" approach to beauty care in years—a cosmetic line especially developed for the streamlined life of today's busy woman. The local druggist now has the new line in stock.

Miss Delafield, whose name is known and respected in the beauty world, Brown said, has always believed that beauty begins within. Her new cosmetic line is vitamin-centered. Your daily vitamins, at the cosmetic counter, are intended to protect clear eyes, smooth skin and glossy hair. Brown emphasized that the line has only one cream—Ann Delafield's all-purpose deep cream—a rich, luscious cream for deep cleansing, deep-glowing and deep-lubricating the skin. Its precious oils, esters, cholesterol make it a day cream, a night cream and a throat, eye, skin and neck cream. Says Miss Delafield, "No mineral oil, no nonsense! Just the right cream for complete, scientific skin care."

In describing the new line further, Brown said the Ann Delafield face powder is a true French formula powder with the foundation built right in. The powder comes in five face-flattering shades, true-matched on the skin to the Ann Delafield compact powder.

Other items in the revolutionary new line include a stimulating skin freshener, a long-lasting cologne and a crisp-edging, indelible lipstick in five stopper shades, reported Brown. He added that the Ann Delafield Glamour Eyes Compact is the first and only compact for complete eye make-up—mascara, shadow, eyebrow pencil, and eye-line in one tidy package.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Day and daughter Karen, and Dorothy and Ruth Pakan attended the Alce Templeton concert in Shamrock Monday night.

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