

VILLAGE



GOSSIP
(More or Less)

LOCAL AND
HOME NEWS

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34 Old-Timers Sign Register At Reunion

J. W. Blackwell of Fort Worth has been named as captain of the Amarillo district of the Department of Public Safety. Captain Blackwell, who was promoted from sergeant last week, succeeds Captain Ivy, who died of leukemia last week in a Houston hospital.

Funeral services for Captain Ivy, 30 years of age, were held in Amarillo Thursday afternoon of this week. Captain Ivy had been a member of the highway patrol for the past 23 years.

What could have been a costly fire was extinguished before much damage was done to the old grade school gym during the square dance held there last Saturday night. Only a small amount of damage was done to the floor of the gym.

An oil stove had been placed in the gym to warm up the building prior to the dance. The stove began to give off fumes and it was decided to move the stove out. In doing this, some oil was spilled on the floor and it immediately caught fire. The blaze was smothered with a large piece of cloth before it could spread far.

Maybe you aren't aware of it, but Woodie Hindman, former McLean resident and brother of Mrs. Mattie Graham of McLean, has made quite a name for himself in building and designing river boats.

In a story in a recent issue of the Springfield, Oregon, paper, Hindman's home town, details of the annual parade of boats of the McKenzie River Guides Association were given. The affair was to be filmed by representatives from Fox Movietone, Universal News, and Pathé News.

Here's what the story had to say about Hindman:

"The development of the world-tamed McKenzie River boats is considered the reason why the turbulent stream has been tamed, and Woodie Hindman, veteran river guide and boat builder, has designed the McKenzie craft to the peak of perfection. Hindman has been building them for more than 15 years, and his light but rugged boats have won international reputation. Most of the boats entered in the parade are either Hindman-built or are fashioned after the Hindman design."

"According to Hindman, who knows the McKenzie's every turn and twist, anyone riding the rapids in a boat piloted by a guide is as safe as if he were sitting in his armchair at home.

The double-ended McKenzie boats literally skip over river obstacles, he says, and their light weight makes them maneuverable. To prove that his boats "turn on a dime," the Springfield guide ran his 250-pound craft down the awesome "River of No Return," the Salmon River in Idaho, without mishap. The heavy barges used by Idaho guides weigh approximately 6,000 pounds."

Eddie Reeves presented several piano numbers as the program at the regular meeting of the McLean Lions Club Tuesday noon.

Reeves, a senior in McLean High school, plays the piano partly by ear and partly by music, and his entertainment was highly received by the Lions.

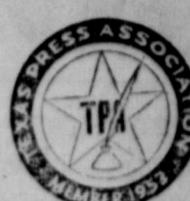
Only one guest was present at the meeting. He was County Agent Ralph Thomas of Pampa.

Ted Simmons is opening today his new service station, to be known as Ted's Circle Service. The station is located in the new south lane of Highway 66.

The station is the third to be

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McLean, Gray County, Texas, Thursday, April 23, 1953.

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Square Dance Site For Cancer Drive To Be Legion Hall

Site of the square dance jamboree, to be given Saturday night for the benefit of the Gray County Cancer Crusade, has been changed from the old grade school gym to the American Legion Hall.

All services at the dance, including that of the caller, Jimmy Enloe, and the orchestra, Shanner's Square Dance Orchestra, from Pampa, are being donated. The Legion is donating the use of the hall, and Tex Gentry will give all concession proceeds to the cancer drive.

Announcement of the change of location was made by Mrs. W. W. Boyd and Mrs. S. A. Cousins, local drive co-chairmen. Admission will be \$1 for dancers, and 50 cents for spectators.

Henley's Horse Wins 1st Place In 4-Mile Race

Buck Henley's "Chico Boy" ran away from four other horses entered in the four and one-half mile horse race Friday afternoon to take first place in the opening activity of the three-day celebration last weekend.

Chico Boy, ridden by Carl Henley, Buck Henley's son, completed the trip in approximately six and one-half minutes. First prize money of \$98.70 went to the winner—the prize money included a pot of \$91.50 made up by donations and the entrance money of \$50.

Second place winner in the race was the horse owned and ridden by Tommy Puryear of Mobecote. He received \$42.30 for his trip.

Third place was taken by Clois Hanner's horse, ridden by Bo Nicholas; fourth went to Pat Slavin's horse with Horace McClellan as the rider; and Bob Sherrod, riding his own mount, dropped out of the race before finishing. Slavin won the 20-mile horse race from Shamrock to McLean three years ago.

Old Fiddlers Contest

Another feature of the celebration sponsored by the Jaycees was the old fiddlers contest, held downtown on Main Street Saturday afternoon.

Nine fiddlers entered the contest, with Buck Henley sawing his way to the first place prize of \$7.50. Winning second, and a prize of \$5., was G. R. Buckner of Dozier; and third prize of a

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LaVerne Williams Is Chosen Valedictorian of Senior Class

LaVerne Williams, daughter of Mrs. Ellen Williams, has been chosen as valedictorian of the senior class of 1953 of McLean High School, following a compilation of four high school years' grades by Principal Freeman Melton Jr.

Miss Williams' average was 95.05 per cent. Melton explained that all grades of A-plus were given a numerical value of 98; A, 95; and A-minus, 92, etc.

Salutatorian of the class will be Dortha Chase, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Chase. Her average was 94.15.

Others in the top ten in the class, and their averages, are as follows: LaJune Chilton, 93.68; Bethie Mantooth, 93.66; Floella Cubine, 93.57; Lorene Pierce, 92.61; Collene Crockett Stewart, 92.18; Bonita Bailey, 90.85; and Donna Gall Stubblefield, 90.13. Duncan was the only boy to place in those with grade averages of 90 or above.

Melton explained that, due to the fact that no grades were given a rating above 98, the averages may seem somewhat lower than



LAVERNE WILLIAMS . . . valedictorian

Three Injured In Car Crash Near Alanreed

One man was seriously injured, and two other people slightly hurt in a collision at the intersection of U. S. Highway 66 and the Alanreed-Lefors road Saturday afternoon at about 3:15 o'clock.

Most seriously hurt was Wilton Bratcher, oil field worker of Lefors. He was taken in a Claborn ambulance to Highland General Hospital in Pampa. He suffered a fractured leg, and possible rib, head, and other injuries.

The accident occurred, according to investigating highway patrolmen, at the point where the paved Alanreed-Lefors road intersects Highway 66. A pick-up, towing a boat, was crossing the highway, when the other car, a sedan driven by James T. Martin, 57 years of age, of Altom, Ill., collided with the boat trailer. The impact broke the trailer hitch, turned the pick-up over, and threw the sedan across the road onto the graded area of the unpaved extension of the new highway. All vehicles were badly damaged.

Driving the pick-up was Alec Watkins, 47, of Lefors. He and Bratcher were en route to Lake McClellan to go fishing. Martin and his wife were en route to Los Angeles.

Bratcher was thrown underneat the pick-up and was pinned there. Watkins managed to free himself, and he and another man were able to remove Bratcher. Watkins was taken to Pampa for treatment, but his injuries were not believed to be serious. Mrs. Martin was given treatment in McLean.

A complaint of aggravated assault with a motor vehicle was filed against Watkins by Highway Patrolman Calvin Harrell.

BIRTHDAYS

April 26—Linda Nicholas, L. P. Preston, Jason Baker.

April 27—Mrs. Emory Crockett, Mrs. Truman Spain, Mrs. George Angelopoulos.

April 28—Mrs. E. L. Price, Joyce Ann Morgan, Clyde Dyer.

April 29—Jackie Lee Hill, Mrs. Willie Lamb.

April 30—Hart Moore, Harlene Moore, James Patrick Graham, Mrs. W. H. Foster Jr., Mrs. Luke Graham.

May 1—Sandra Baker, Annette Smith, Earl Stubblefield, Mrs. G. W. Beck, Vic Shelton.

May 2—Monta Jean Kennedy, Mrs. G. W. Sullivan.

The City Hall—

GETS FACELIFTING

A general re-decorating job is the first story and the floor of the upper story. To get to them meant tearing out the metal-type ceiling material. And tearing that out meant that it could hardly be put back.

Now the council has decided to go ahead and install a ceiling of a more modern material, and re-paint and re-varnish the interior.

So, quite naturally, they decided to re-wire the building before it burned down some night.

When the re-wiring was started, it was then discovered that the number of wires were snugly resting in between the ceiling of workers out.

In the meantime, you'll find the city, school, and county offices in a temporary location in the Cousins building immediately south of the Bill Day Furniture store. The dust in the remodeling work simply drove the office workers out.

Mother Neff is the oldest of the Texas state parks.

Cold Weather Cuts Attendance At Annual Rodeo Performances

Funeral Rites In Oklahoma For Joe Back

Joe Back of Carter, Okla., former resident of McLean, died in Carter Saturday night after an illness of more than two years. He was 65 years of age.

Funeral services were held in the Carter school auditorium Monday afternoon, with Rev. Fisk of that community officiating.

Survivors include his wife, Ethel of Carter; one son, Lockett, one daughter, Lorraine; eight grandchildren; four brothers, Johnnie, Victor and Jim of McLean, and Jack of Pampa; and one sister, Mrs. Raymond Glass of Oklahoma.

Back was reared in McLean, and moved to Carter about 30 years ago to make his home. He was a successful farmer and rancher of that community. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

He became ill nearly three years ago, suffering from cancer. Up until shortly before his death, he was in excellent spirits. He had received treatment for the disease since he first became ill, but doctors were unable to restore his health.

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Specialty acts will be presented by the Andrews Equipment company, local International Harvester dealer, will be given Thursday night, April 30, in the McLean High School auditorium.

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In addition to the stage show, new color movies will be shown. All members of every family in the area are invited to the free show, Andrews stressed.

More Than 125 Cowboys Try For Prize Money

Howling winds which made the arena almost invisible caused postponement of the initial performance of the annual American Legion rodeo last Friday night, but three performances were held despite a lowering of the temperature.

Performances were held Saturday afternoon, Saturday night, and Sunday afternoon. None had been planned for Saturday night.

More than 125 cowboys came to McLean for the annual rodeo. Attendance at the rodeo performances was cut down due to the weather. Largest crowd was attracted Sunday afternoon, although Saturday afternoon's performance was fairly well attended. Saturday night, only a few braved the cold spell to watch the cowboys perform.

Winning the girls sponsor contest was June Bull from Pampa; second place went to Janet Ramsom of Perryton; third, Maurine Nolan of Shamrock; and fourth, Mrs. Leland Lewis of Groom.

Other rodeo events were won as follows:

Bull riding: 1. Harvey Taylor, McLean; Charles Davis, Sweetwater, Okla.; Joe Billings, Crowell, George Rallsback, McLean, tied for second; 3. Ross Coffee, Sweetwater; 6. Peeler Hanning, Amarillo.

Bareback riding: 1. Billy Frank Harlan, Las Cruces, N. M.; John Farris, Iowa Park, Jay Hendricks, Logan, Okla., and George Durley, Logan, tied for second; 5. Dode Roberts, Borger; 6. Junior Greene, Sweetwater.

Saddle bronc riding: 1. Bob Sherrill, McLean; 2. Glen Greene, McLean; 3. Jay Hendricks; 4. Billy Frank Harlan; 5. Rex Drake, Sayre, Okla.; 6. Nick LaCompte, Dalhart.

Bull dogging, first go-round: 1. Bob Sherrill; Junior Greene and Bill Murray, Amarillo, tied for second; 4. Joe Billings. Second go-round: 1. Bob Sherrill; 2. George Durley; 3. Dwight Rose, Las Cruces; Jack Harris, Lubbock.

Calf roping, first go-round: 1. Raz Ware; 2. Dale Johnson, Lutie; 3. J. T. Johnson, Wheeler; 4. Bill Wardlow. Second go-round: 1. Bob Sherrill; 2. George Durley; 3. Dwight Rose, Las Cruces; Jack Harris, Lubbock.

Ribbon roping, first go-round: 1. Bill Murray, Amarillo; 2. James Jones, Crowell; 3. Dale Johnson; 4. Jay Hendricks. Second go-round: 1. Jim Littlefield, Jericho; 2. Raz Ware; 3. Guy Savage, Pampa; 4. Roy Thompson, Stratford.

Hill to Petersburg

Wayne Hill, assistant football and basketball coach of McLean High School for the past year, has accepted the head football coaching job at Petersburg, he stated this week. He plans to finish the semester here.

Hill will serve only as head football coach, and will not be required to handle basketball. Petersburg is a Class B school this year, but has sufficient enrollment to move into Class A in the fall of 1954.

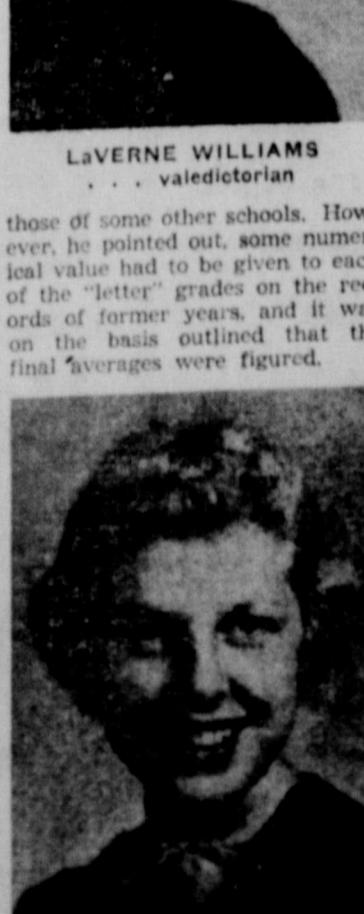
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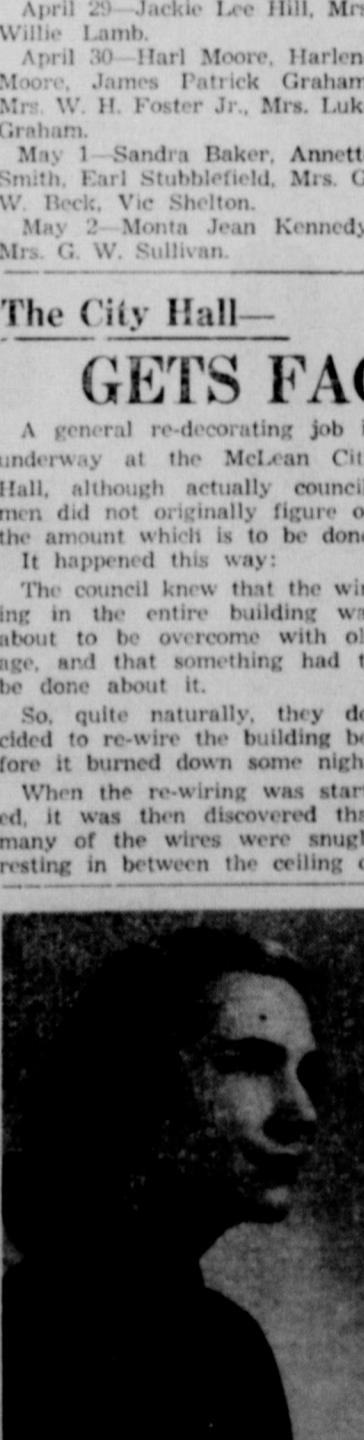
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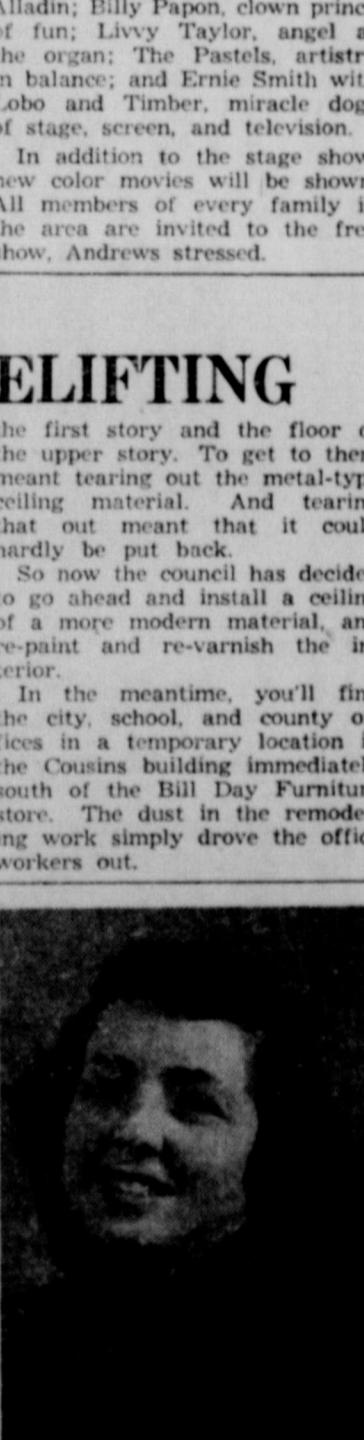
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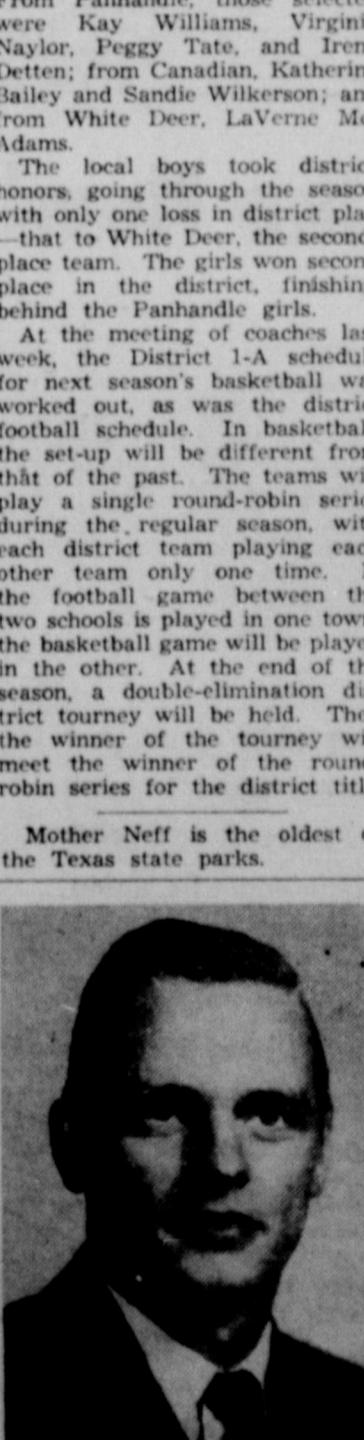
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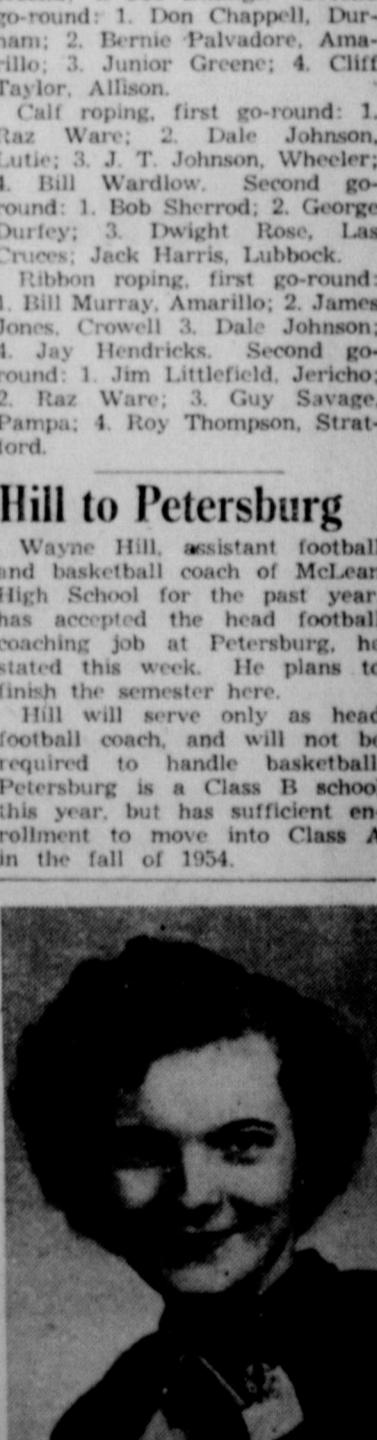
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COLLENE STEWART
... No. eight

Society

Pioneer Study Club Meeting Is Held In Jones Home

The Pioneer Study Club met Thursday afternoon, April 16, in the home of Mrs. Carl Jones, with Mrs. C. R. Griffith as hostess.

The entertaining room was decorated with spring flower arrangements.

Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Sinclair Armstrong were in charge of the program. Mrs. Armstrong gave a story on the life of Irving Berlin. Popular recordings of Berlin's music were played during the refreshment hour.

A business meeting was held, in which officers were elected to serve the club during the ensuing year, beginning in September, as follows: president, Mrs. Forrest Hupp; vice president, Mrs. Miro Pakan; secretary, Mrs. Armstrong; reporter, Mrs. W. W. Shadid; parliamentarian, Mrs. Vernon Gibson.

Those attending were Mesdames W. E. Bogan, J. D. Coleman, Bill Day, Gibson, Hupp, Clyde Magee, Paul Kennedy, Freeman, Melton Jr., June Woods, Griffith, Armstrong, Shadid, and Jones.

Family Reunion Held at Home of Nida Rippy Green

The children of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Rippy held a family reunion at the home of Mrs. Nida Rippy Green Sunday, April 19.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rippy, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rippy, Electra; Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Roach and H. S. Rippy, Shamrock; A. L. Rippy, Stillwater, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Rippy and Mrs. Nida Rippy Green of Head.

Other relatives attending were Mrs. Emma Barrett, Eugene, Ore.; Mrs. Nellie Stone, Mrs. C. A. Cryer and daughter Jane Alice, and Mr. and Mrs. Al Skoog of Borger; Mrs. Bonnie Swanson of Amarillo; and Mrs. A. Stanfield of McLean.

Dorcas S. S. Class Regular Monthly Luncheon Is Held

Members of the Dorcas Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met Thursday, April 16, for their regular monthly luncheon and business meeting, with Mrs. Verma Biggers and Mrs. Rosa Lee Shelton as hostesses.

Those attending were Dr. and Mrs. Buell Wells, Mrs. Cora Yearwood, and the following class members: Mesdames Etta Carmichael, Bertha Smith, Viola Tibbets, Ruby Boyd, Ruth Cauldill, Oma Abbott, Audie Stewart, Lola Hale, Isabel Petty, Vela Corcoran, Marzie Lismann, Lona Jones, Cuba Collier, Juanita Smith, and the hostesses.

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Junior Music Club Meets in Studio Of Mrs. Boyett

The Junior Music Club met Friday evening, April 17, in Mrs. Willie Boyett's studio.

Dorothy Pakan, Ruth Pakan, Karen Day, Douglas Crockett, and Don Cash played their repertoire selections.

Others playing numbers were Jean Hess, Marsha Andrews, Christa Carol Rodgers, Judy Glass, Belva Patterson, Bobby Weaver, Patricia Shadid, Carolyn Patterson, Kay Stubbs, Otheila Eustace, Jimmy Dawson, Laura Mae Switzer, and Margaret Rountree.

Talks were given by Kay Stubbs and Margaret Rountree. Refreshments were served to 36 members and guests.

Those making the A honor roll were Don Cash, Carolyn Patterson, Karen Day, Dorothy Pakan, Ruth Pakan, Marsha Andrews, Judy Glass, and Jean Hess.

Making the B honor roll were Bobby Weaver, Margaret Rountree, Jimmy Dawson, Douglas Crockett, Laura Mae Switzer, Otheila Eustace, Christa Carol Rodgers, Patricia Shadid, Kay Stubbs, and Belva Patterson.

A reward card went to Dorothy Pakan for practice record and A honor roll.

Mrs. Miro Pakan returned home Monday from St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo, where she received medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Manton of Weatherford, Okla., were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Odell Manton.

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Mrs. C. R. Glenn and daughter Faye returned home Friday after a visit in Haskell with relatives.

Sgt. and Mrs. Johnny Vineyard are spending the week in Borger, Amarillo, Olton, and Lubbock with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wiggins and family were Pampa visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aud Boyd of Borger visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Cox of Borger visited during the weekend in Alanreed and McLean with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Luther Petty and Mrs. Zora Kennedy and son Vernon visited in Pampa Sunday with Mrs. Neil Barber of Amarillo at Highland General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Dyer are vacationing at Lake Texoma this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Rhodes visited in Clarendon Monday with Mrs. Sim Rhodes and son Grady.

McLean

Lions Club

Tuesday, 12:45

Lions Hall - Visitors Welcome

NO FOOLING! HERE ARE BIG SAVINGS

3 lb. can Crisco 86¢

Pure Cane Sugar 10 lb sack 96¢

SALAD BOWL

Salad Dressing quart 44c

Marshmallows 1 lb pkg. 29c

Tomatoes 303 can 11c

JELLO 6 oz. pkg. 5c

Cheez-It 2 for 33c

FRESH VEGETABLES

CENTRAL AMERICAN Bananas 1 lb 15c

GREEN FIRM MEDIUM Cabbage 1 lb 5c

Red SPUDS 25 lb sack 79c

Radishes bunch 5c

Choice MEATS

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Election Slow

While very little interest was manifested in the city election which was held in the J. L. Crabtree office last Tuesday, it might be truthfully said that the 42 game developed considerable enthusiasm and some very high scores were made.

A total of 28 votes were cast and the following officers were elected to serve the city in their respective capacities for the next 12 months.

Mayor, J. T. Foster.

Marshal, W. J. Pennington.

Councilmen, W. T. Wilson, T.

A. Cooke, A. A. Callahan, W. C.

Cheney, and D. B. Veatch.

The personnel of the board is the same as the one now serving, every member being re-elected. The mayor and city marshal were also re-elected.

Tea Social

We are requested to announce that the Presbyterian Ladies Aid will give a tea social at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Bryant on Friday evening, April 18. Coffee, tea, and cake will be served and an interesting program will be rendered. An admission fee of ten cents will be charged. The public is cordially invited.

Locals Win Ball Game

In the first matched game of the season, played at Alanreed last Saturday afternoon, the local high school baseball team was victorious over the Alanreed bunch by a score of seven to six. Ross Biggers called the game. So far as we are able to learn, it was a clean exhibition of skill and ability without any resort to brawling and contention which often mars an otherwise good game.

It is likely a return match will be played on the local ground tomorrow afternoon.

Local Happenings

Friends here have received the announcement of the marriage of Rev. A. B. Haynes of Canyon to Miss Bertie Elizabeth Horn of Quanah, which occurred recently. Rev. Haynes was formerly pastor of the local Presbyterian church. We clean and press ladies' suits and guarantee first work. Luke and Twister.

Terry Hudgings and wife of Erick were in this city the first of the week for a visit with relatives and friends.

Frank Gardenhire was a business visitor in Amarillo the latter part of last week.

Misses Clara Deen, Ruby Cook, and Anne Dalymple were among the teachers who attended the teachers meeting in Canyon last week.

F. M. Allen received the sad intelligence yesterday of the death of his mother, Mrs. Rachel Allen. Mrs. Allen was born in 1890, and lived to be 113 years old.

Lightning Monday set fire to the house occupied by Jess Mann in the south part of town. There was none of the family at home at the time of the fire, but neighbors extinguished the fire before it had gained much headway.

We are requested to announce that there will be a box supper at the Gracey school house on Saturday night, April 12. The

proceeds will be used to buy school furnishings. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. George McGonal of Cartersville, Ill., were here this week for a visit with the latter's brother, S. R. Jones.



by Science Features

It's almost an axiom that Americans are the best-fed people in the world. But being "best-fed" does not necessarily mean being "best-nourished" as a study of Cleveland schoolchildren recently demonstrated.

The study was conducted by Dr. Norman B. Wetzel, a world authority on child growth. Over a period of years, Dr. Wetzel kept a close check on the growth of a group of schoolchildren living in Shaker Heights, a well-to-do residential section of Cleveland.

He found that one out of every three children studied suffered from what he terms "growth failure." In 90 per cent of the cases, Dr. Wetzel was unable to pin down any direct cause, such as disease, for this failure. The children all came from homes where they received plenty of nourishing food.

How fast should a child grow? Dr. Wetzel says that each child has his own "proper" growth pattern, which can be predicted by means of a complicated chart. He adds that "tends to persist and get worse," lowering physique, physical vigor and slowing down the progress of all growth and development—including scholastic.

In an attempt to combat this problem, Dr. Wetzel chose 20 children whose growth pattern had been measured over a period of years and who had been found to be suffering from growth failure. These children were given a tiny amount of vitamin B12 daily for 16 weeks. In that time, 16 of the children gained almost two months' extra growth. Four other children not given B12 showed no gain, and continued to lose ground.

Of special interest is the fact that parents and teachers of the children reported improved behavior, greater alertness, and better scholastic work after treatment with B12.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Smith spent Sunday in Amarillo in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Shelton.

Mr. and Mrs. Vergal Smith and daughter Lana spent the weekend in Abilene with Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Ritter and children of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Grigsby and son of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Grigsby and son of Dumas spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Grigsby, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Brooks and daughter Linda of Amarillo spent the weekend here with Mrs. Brooks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McIlroy and family were Sunday visitors in Lelia Lake with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mace.

LONG JOURNEY AHEAD!



Radiant Alice Corr, the 19-year-old Selma, Ala., beauty who recently was selected 1953 Maid of Cotton, in February begins her fabulous six-month, 65,000 mile journey for King Cotton. She spent the month of January in New York in preparation for the tour that will carry her across the United States to Europe, Canada, and South America as goodwill and fashion emissary for the American cotton industry.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Meacham and family were Sunday visitors in Turkey in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Meacham.

Mr. and Mrs. George Colebank spent several days last week in the home of their daughter, Mrs. C. B. Lee Jr., in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Davis, accompanied by their son, Marvin Davis of Panhandle, are fishing at Possum Kingdom this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Smith and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Morris and family of Frederick, Okla., were Pampa visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Meacham and family were Sunday visitors in Turkey in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Meacham.

Mr. and Mrs. Zora Kennedy and son Vernon of Amarillo, and Mrs. Luther Petty attended funeral services for Berry Z. James in Groom Saturday.

Mrs. Kate Stokes, Mrs. Ed Lewallen, and Mrs. B. L. Stokes and sons, Kenneth and Gene, of Shamrock were Sunday visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Stokes and Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Jones.

POLIO FIGURES!

In 1951, Texas had 2,027 cases; in 1952, 3,992 cases; in New Mexico, in 1951, 143 cases; in 1952, 509 cases; in Oklahoma, in 1951, 650 cases; in 1952, 1,056 cases.

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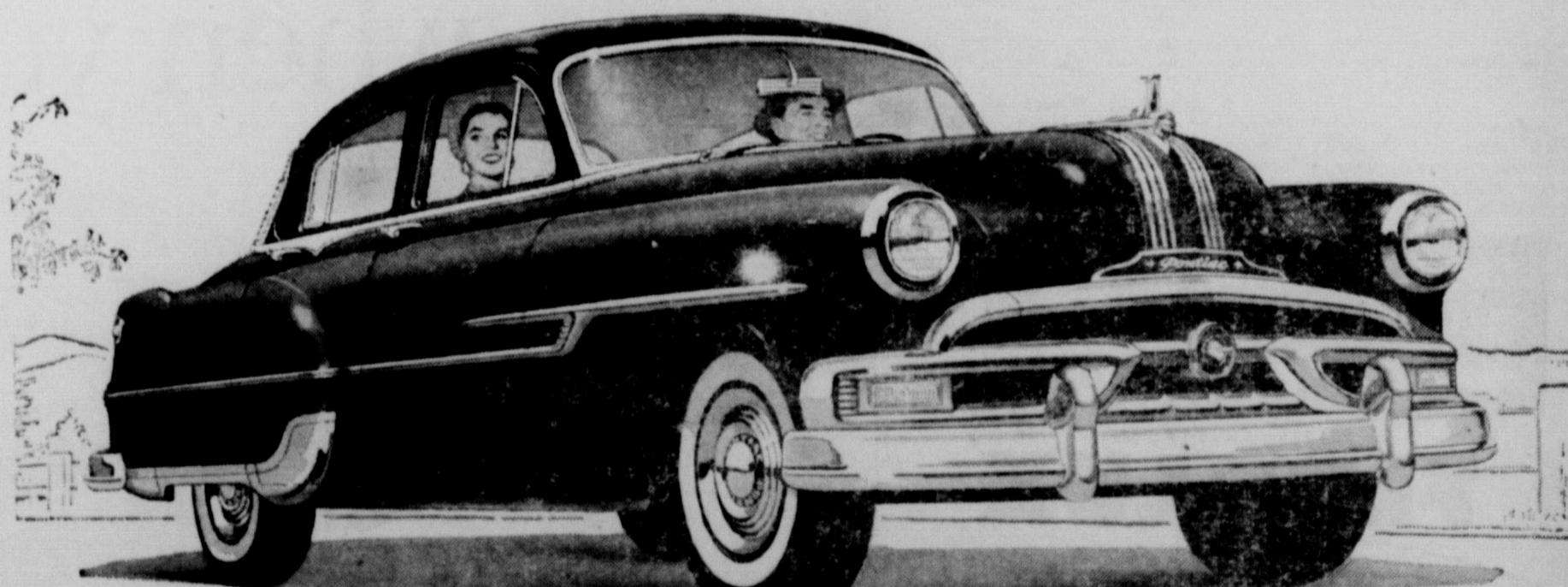
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UNHEALTHY WORK

THE SAYING, "There's always room at the top," has grown trite from endless repetition. But, like all such homely adages, there is more truth than poetry in it. In business after business, especially the larger ones, finding really competent executive talent of both an administrative and a technical character is an ever-present headache. Business, like the world it exists in, has become tremendously complex. It must have managers who are capable of dealing effectively with vital problems concerning labor, markets, taxation, competition, laws and regulations, and all manner of other matters—just as it must have engineers who understand technical problems which are as obscure to the laymen as an African dialect. Corporations today compete as vigorously for grade-A personnel as they do for business.

To make the situation more difficult, industry has found that it must face a very critical related problem—that of keeping its executives alive and in good condition for a normal working span. The pace of modern business life in the upper executive levels has been exacting a heavy toll of able men at a relatively youthful age. Time magazine dealt with this situation in a recent article which carried the grim heading, "The Pace That Kills." The first paragraph said: "Does the high pressure of their jobs cause top corporation executives to burn out faster and die earlier than other men? Though industry still lacks the statistics to make a watertight case, the answer seems to be yes."

Time went on to list some of the unhappy facts that have been produced so far. New York's Life Extension Examiners checked over more than 25,000 executives with an average age of 45.6 years, and found that only 20 percent were in normal health. At a Chicago hospital 55 executives under 50 were examined, and only three were free from organic disorders. When 340 executives of one of our greatest corporations reported for a medical checkup, it was found that 235 had something wrong with them, and in 192 cases the disorders were serious. In another very large corporation, 189 members of the top management group died during the five war years alone. The American Fidelity and Casualty Company states that the average business man dies six years before his time. This represents both a heavy human waste and a heavy economic waste. It is estimated, Time said, "that a \$20,000-a-year executive represents a \$250,000 investment by his company."

The result is that more and more concerns are going in heavily for executive health programs—one observer terms these programs "the hottest thing in medicine today." Generally speaking, they are on a voluntary basis, but every encouragement is given to the executives to participate. Often the men are sent to special clinics for a period of days and in some cases they can take their wives with them and enjoy recreational pursuits in idle time. The cost ranges from \$35 to \$125 a year per executive, and, to quote Time again, "Corporations with health programs are convinced that they are hardheaded business investments." All kinds of ills up to the potentially fatal are unearthed in the early stages when successful treatment is possible. Another benefit, in the words of one big company's medical director, is that "when an executive doesn't have to worry about his health, he feels and works better."

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Houze and children of College Station were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Horne and family of Panhandle, former McLean residents, were Saturday night and Sunday visitors with friends here.

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LES TALK

By LESTER

The annual Legion rodeo, nearly rained out in 1952, came close to being blown out and then frozen out this year. As you know, the first performance Friday night had to be called off due to the high wind which was throwing gravel around. The performance was held Saturday night, but it was plenty chilly at the arena, and the crowd was small. Someone said that the sand was blowing so hard Friday night, the cowboys could hardly see the horse they were riding on. That's getting to be a pretty good sandstorm, isn't it?

Now, the show is over now, the cowboys have gone home, and everything is back to normal.

Not quite everything is back to normal, however. McLean now has two one-way streets, and it's going to be some time before the people get used to going just one way on a street that they have been traveling two ways for years and years.

Marshal J. A. Sparks spent the week-end standing at the corner where the signal light is, doing his best to instruct the wrong-goers not to go wrong again. And if you happened to be going the wrong way yourself and got stopped, don't worry about it—you were not alone in your error.

Mayor E. J. Lander and Councilman Odell Mantooth stopped the first tourist traveling on the new route through town, and treated the tourist's car to a full tank of gas and any other necessary station service. This all happened pretty early Friday morning, when the barriers were taken down under the supervision of G. K. Reading, resident highway engineer from Pampa.

Talked to Mr. Reading the day before the opening of the highway, and I asked if there was to be a special ceremony. No, he said grinning, but we will probably bring along a couple of ambulances to pick up the local people who may be run over on the new road.

One little girl in our town has had her share of suffering for the past week. She is Sharon Smith, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest (Bub) Smith.

Sharon became ill one day last week, and complained of a hurting in her leg. At first it was thought it could be caused by bad tonsils and then a slight amount of kidney infection was found. But a couple of days later, Sharon broke out with shingles. Doc Kritzler says shingles in children of Sharon's age—she's six—are very, very rare, but Sharon had them just the same.

Then on top of that, Sharon took the chickenpox; and to really top it off, blood poisoning was discovered in one of her feet.

Early this week, Sharon was getting along better, but was still suffering. The parents, Ernest and Lydia, were still worried, but were feeling considerably better about their pretty little daughter.

Television reception in McLean seems to be slightly improving from night to night, although most set owners report they are still getting "snow" in their pictures from KFDA-TV. Howard Horne of Panhandle, former resident of McLean, was here for the week-end celebration, and he says reception at Panhandle is just about perfect. Panhandle, as you realize, is only 26 miles from



Husband: You're always wishing for something you haven't got.

Wife: What else is there to wish for?

I'm glad to hear Bill's fine now; what did they operate on him for?"

"They removed a brass rail that had been pressing against his foot for years."

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Amarillo, although the transmitter is slightly farther than that. It appears now that we will not get perfect reception until KGNC-TV goes on with its full power of 100,000 watts some time in June. There is little doubt in the minds of local set owners and local TV dealers that reception from the powerful station will be excellent.

A presidential joke:

The teacher of the 7th grade history class was discussing some of the stories which had become associated with George Washington. When she came to the one about his throwing a dollar across the Potomac, Johnny, who sat in the front row and came from a Republican family, snorted that that was just a piece of propaganda for the Democrats.

"How could that be?" asked the surprised teacher, somewhat impatiently.

"This way," Johnny explained. "They want people to think that he was the first president to throw money around."

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Baker and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cooper and family of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cooper and Mrs. Minnie Erwin and girls were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mrs. J. W. Trout and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Barrett spent the week-end in Wichita Falls with relatives.

Sondra Graham was a week-end visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Graham at Clarendon.

Mrs. Rosie Smith spent last week in Fort Worth with relatives.

Jimmy Clegg and Conald Cunningham were Amarillo visitors Thursday.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas—
GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Gray County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the hereinbelow following is a true copy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The McLean News

McLEAN, TEXAS, THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1953

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THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: LOREN EMERY McGOWAN,
Defendant—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court, 31st Judicial District 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 Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 11th day of May, A. D. 1953, to Plaintiff's petition filed in said court on the 26th day of March, A. D. 1953, in this cause, numbered 10660 on the docket of said court and styled FRANCES NELL McGOWAN, Plaintiff, vs. LOREN EMERY McGOWAN, Defendant.

A brief statement of this suit is as follows, to-wit: A suit for divorce. Plaintiff alleging as grounds therefor cruel treatment

by the Defendant toward the Plaintiff, and for custody of the minor child of Plaintiff and Defendant, Clifton Powell McGowan, 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 the 23rd day of March, A. D. 1953.

Attest: Helen Sprinkle, Clerk
(SEAL) Gray County, Texas
By Frances Genn, Deputy

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Thursday, Friday:

Alan Ladd, Deborah Kerr

"Thunder in the East"

Saturday:

Rory Calhoun

"Rogue River"

in color

Sunday, Monday:

Robert Taylor, Eleanor Parker

"Above and Beyond"

Tuesday, Wednesday:

Linda Darnell, Stephen McNally, Gigi Perreau

"The Lady Pays Off"

You really GO

When you go Ford

'53 Acreage To Be Outlined In Donley Meet

Cotton farmers will get a great deal of first hand information on the 1953 cotton situation April 29 at the county courthouse in Clarendon at 7:30 o'clock, says Donley County Agent H. M. Breedlove.

This meeting is called for all cotton farmers in the county because the secretary of agriculture is asking all cotton farmers to make a voluntary reduction in their 1953 cotton acreage. This is to try to head off cotton acreage controls in 1954.

Fred Elliott, cotton work specialist of the extension service, and two assistants will handle the program and give the latest information to the farmers. 1954 cotton acreage allotments will be discussed and how they will operate if they are needed. Breedlove said that only one meeting is being held for the entire county because these specialists can spend only one night in the county as they are conducting such meetings over the state.

Breedlove said the grasshopper situation would be discussed also and other insects that might affect cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Todd of Letors and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Todd and family of Pampa visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dwyer Sunday.

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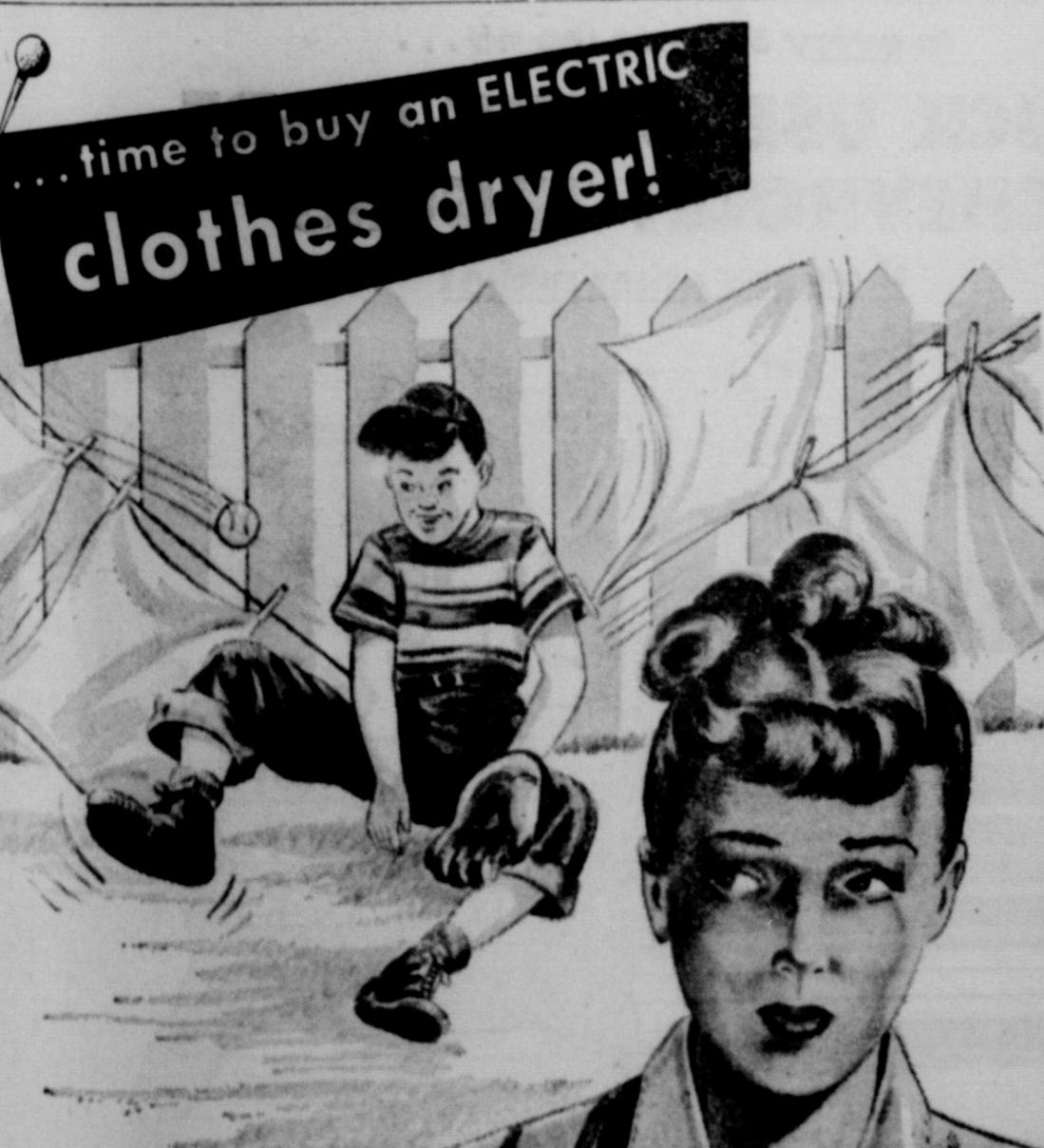
To All of You

As most of you know, I have sold the 66 Service Station to Fred Patterson. You have been very nice during the past two years in patronizing my business, and I want each of you to know that I sincerely appreciate that patronage. My plans for the future are indefinite.

If any of you owe any accounts to me during my ownership of the station, they may be paid at my home in McLean, or to Mr. Patterson at the station.

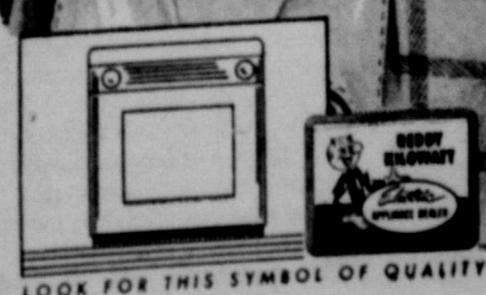
Again, I want to say, all of you have been just swell to us. Thanks.

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Personal

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Watkins of Clovis, N. M., visited in McLean Thursday with friends.

Misses Betty and Janet King of Anadarko, Okla., spent the weekend here with their father, Harris King.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Andrews were week-end visitors in Amarillo with their daughter, Mrs. Don Randall and Mrs. Mace Jones.

C. B. Lee is visiting relatives in Monroe, La., this week.

Mrs. J. H. Bradley and Mrs. H. L. Chase and daughter Dorothy visited Mrs. Wanda Barber at Highland General Hospital in Pampa Sunday. They also visited relatives in Mobeetie Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Windom and Mrs. Frank Hambright and son Ercy Eugene spent Saturday in Granite, Okla., with relatives. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Grady Smith of Sentinel, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Graham and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goodman of Clarendon were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Shaunty Mooneyham of Perryton were Sunday guests in the Ernest Godfrey home.

Mrs. Marvin Simpson and Mrs. Granville Boyd and daughter Donna Joyce were Shamrock visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Alderson returned Thursday after a vacation in Mineral Wells.

Huestes Archer and Mr. Russell of Whittier, Calif., visited Tuesday in the home of Mr. Archer's nephew, T. E. Crisp.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvis Godfrey and daughter Linda of Pampa were week-end visitors in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Godfrey and Mr. and Mrs. George F. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McMahon of Amarillo spent the week-end here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Granville Boyd.

Earl Alderson and son Gene of Clarendon were here Saturday for the rodeo parade.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Price and daughter Jimmie Lee of Conchas Dam, N. M., were Monday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Godfrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Nep Trew visited in Wellington last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Williamson and children of Spearman, and Cliff Callahan and Joe McGrew, students at Panhandle A. and M. College, Goodwell, Okla., spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Callahan.

Mrs. Andrew Freeman of Dallas and daughter Karen of Hereford, and Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Kunkel of Pampa visited during the week-end in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Oba Kunkel and Mrs. Bunia Kunkel.

Mrs. Lawrence Watson and children visited Sunday in Clarendon with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Smith and family spent the week-end in Borger in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mace Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bethurum and son Johnnie of Dallas were week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Patterson and children and O. B. Tugwell were Shamrock visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reeves spent the week-end with relatives in Littlefield.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Liedtke of Paducah were week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bragg.

Mrs. G. A. Nicholson of Ashland, Kans., is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Nicholson.

Frank Rodgers left Tuesday on a business trip to San Luis, Colo. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Bones were Sunday visitors in Wheeler in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Davidson.

Kelly Newman of Plainview spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. M. M. Newman.

Mrs. Pete Fulbright made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.



National Baby Week April 26, May 2

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Shurfine Whole	NEW POTATOES	2 for	25c
Faultless	STARCH	36 oz.	35c
Sunshine	CHEEZ-IT	2 boxes	33c

GERBER'S	Vegs & Fruits	3 for	25c
PABLUM	Cereals	box	17c

Fancy Straight Neck	YELLOW SQUASH	tb	12c
Red	POTATOES	25 tb bag	79c
Fresh Golden	CORN	5 ears	29c
Green Tip	BANANAS	2 tb	25c

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For Sale—Red top cane seed. Phone 1602F22, Everett Watson. 16-2p	
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We have in stock now: Fertilizers, field seeds, poultry and livestock feed. Earthman and Kirby. 17-3c	
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For Sale—Pheasant eggs, 20c each, and chicks, 40c each. Frank Smith, Memphis, or contact Smoky Price at City Barber Shop. 17-3p	
For Sale—Outside white paint, \$2.98 per gallon. W. C. Shull. 17-4c	

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For Rent—Two-room apartment with private bath, at Cobb Apartments. Phone 1621F12 or see Mrs. R. L. Appling. 15-tfc	
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For Rent—Filling station building, good location on Highway 66. See John Mertel. 3-tfc	
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New gifts for Mother's Day—Keepsake pattern stainless steel tableware; open stock dinnerware, sets or open stock; one new pattern oven-proof Ballerine, only \$9.00 for 20 piece set. Other sets \$5.95. Callahan's Phone 184. 1c	
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See John Mertel for real estate or Phone 17. 1-tfc	
Gossip—	
(Continued from page 1) opened this far on the new highway. Largest of the trio is the Glass and Dwyer station, located immediately south of their former Consumers Supply station. The third is that owned by Walter Kelly, and is located on the east side of town. Buel Watt is in the process of constructing still another station, and additional courts on the south side, and his buildings will also be at the east edge of town.	
Fun Nite for teen-agers will be held at the American Legion Hall Friday night, beginning at 8 o'clock, it was announced this week.	
'Prima facie' means 'on first appearance.'	

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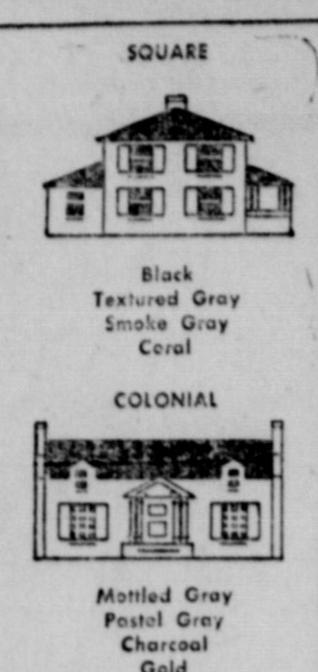
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This chart shows home colors suggested by Beatrice West, color authority. She made her choices by selecting an asphalt roofing color as the key and harmonizing other colors with it.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Wilson of Richmond, Calif., visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Callahan.

Auto stealing in this area is getting to be quite an activity. The T. E. Crisp car was stolen from in front of their home Wednesday of last week and was located the following day in Tucumcari, N. M.

Later arrested in connection with the car theft were two 16-year-old boys from Oklahoma. The license tags had been removed from the Crisp car, and placed on another car stolen in Tucumcari. The two youths were apprehended in Clovis, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Giddens and girls spent the weekend in Amarillo and Borger with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Trew and family of Perryton were Sunday visitors in McLean with his mother, Mrs. C. B. Trew.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Hardman of Alanreed were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gibson.

William Christmand, buried in 1864, was the first soldier buried in Arlington National Cemetery.

There are about three and one-half pounds of salty material to every 100 pounds of sea water.

Texas A. and M. furnished more officers to the army in World War II than West Point did.

The Battle of New Orleans was fought after the War of 1812 had ended.

The word "fad" comes from the first letters of the words, "for a day."

Self-denial is practical, and is not only polite to all but is pleasant to those who practice it.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Mr. and Mrs. Emiel Germillion and son Michael of Ventress, La., were Saturday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crisp and daughter Pat of Dimmitt visited Wednesday and Thursday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Crisp.

Clarendon Plans School Rodeo

The first annual high school rodeo will be held in Clarendon on May 9, afternoon and night, sponsored by the Clarendon American Legion and F. F. A. It will be held at the Clarendon rodeo grounds. Admission will be \$1 for adults and 50 cents for children.

Entry blanks may be obtained by writing or seeing Noma Lee Lewis, Clarendon. Entries close May 7. \$2.50 enters one or all events. Buckles will be given as prizes of first winners of each event. Spurs will be given to second place winners. Lariat rope and piggin string will be given for third, and a saddle blanket for best all-around cowboy. High school athletes will not be awarded prizes.

The events will be bareback riding, bull riding, and we are equipped to take ten rides in each event. Ribbon roping and calf roping will have 16 contestants in each event in each performance. There will also be a girls' barrel race. R. C. A. rules will be used on boys events and G. R. A. will be used on the girls' events.

Mrs. Nellie Stone returned to her home in Borger Sunday after a two-weeks visit in the home of her niece, Mrs. Nida Green.

Mrs. C. A. Cryer and daughter Jane Alice of Borger visited in McLean Sunday with friends.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Ki Hodges of Clinton, Okla., were Sunday visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Stokes.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rippy of Fort Worth visited in McLean with relatives and friends last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman White of Pampa were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Wilson of Richmond, Calif., visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. M. D. Curry, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Skog of Borger visited during the week-end with her grandmother, Mrs. A. Stanfield.

Sam Hodges of Amarillo visited with relatives and friends in McLean last week.

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