

PLAIN TALK

By BILL PERKINS

A lot of out of town visitors were in McLean Wednesday for the Memorial Day holiday. All day long relatives visited the graves of their loved ones at Hillcrest Cemetery. Official Memorial Day services were held at the cemetery at 3:00 o'clock.

Rainfall here is creeping up to last year's average for this time of the year. Wednesday afternoon this year's rainfall stood at 7.58 inches as compared to 8.40 inches last year at this same time. Although some hail, wind and water damage has been reported, it is generally conceded that much more good than harm has been derived from the fall of moisture during the last few days.

McLean is losing one of its finest families this week. J. C. Claborn has announced the sale of his funeral home here and will move to Friona within the next few days. Everyone we have talked to all week has been wondering if there wasn't something we could do to get the Claborns to stay here.

McLean's loss is certainly Friona's gain and we are sure that they will soon have as many friends there as they do here. As well as being about the best-liked fellow in town, J. C. has served the people here in several capacities. He has served as Justice of the Peace, is currently serving as secretary of the Lions Club, and just last month he was elected to the school board and received the largest number of votes cast for anyone on the ticket.

Last fall he was named a "Tip Top Texan" by the Pampa Daily News for his outstanding service to his community and to the Panhandle. These are just some of the things that we can think of off hand that have happened to him since we have been here. We are sure that there are many more good things about him that we haven't heard of.

We know that his presence here has made McLean a better place in which to live, and although we hate to see him go we can only wish the best of everything for him in Friona.

Folks have been asking us to print the signals which denote severe weather warnings and a fire. Two long sounds of the local siren mean that a severe weather warning has been issued. Four or six blasts of the siren denote a fire.



At Home

NEW BOSS

A/1c and Mrs. Charles W. Bailey of Big Spring are the parents of a daughter, Cathy Gail. She was born May 21 and weighed 6 pounds, 13 ounces. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey of McLean.

David A. Grigsby To Be Commissioned Second Lieutenant

Air force second lieutenant's commissions will be awarded to 34 graduating ROTC cadets at North Texas State College, Denton, June 1.

One cadet, Richard N. Brodie of Denton, will enter the regular Air Force. The others will be commissioned in the Air Force Reserve and be called to active duty within the next year.

Capt. James W. Geiger reported that ceremonies will be held at 5 p. m. June 1 on the union building terrace, prior to commencement services that night.

Among those receiving commissions will be David A. Grigsby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arlie L. Grigsby of McLean.

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ALL OVER TEXAS— THEY'RE TELLING OUR STORY

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The following story was released by the Texas Medical Association to the Associated Press last Saturday and was published state-wide in most of the leading Texas daily newspapers Sunday morning. It contains little that most folks around McLean don't already know, but it is fine to note that every doctor in Texas is proud of the fine work that McLean's city officials have done to bring this young man and wife doctor team to our town.)

All over Texas doctors are telling the McLean story.

It's the story of a Texas town that needed a doctor and of the young doctor and his wife who wanted to go where they could do the most good.

And of the Texas Medical Association which brought the two together.

The simple facts are: Dr. and Mrs. D. E. Shultz and their 9-month-old son will move during June from Dallas to McLean.

But the story is much more exciting than that. For the past three years the TMA has been making a survey of medical attention in Texas, looking for the communities needing more doctors and trying to determine if there was a serious shortage of doctors. The final survey shows there are at least 42 Texas towns and communities in need of a doctor.

McLean, in the southeast corner of Gray County, just off the caprock, was on that list once, but not any more.

"We got tired of being without a doctor," said Mayor E. J. Lander who also runs the Rock Island Railway depot, "and we decided to do something about it."

At one time McLean had three doctors but they all retired or died. After the war the city couldn't find a doctor who wanted to practice there. The sick drove 20 miles to doctors in Shamrock or 35 miles to a hospital in Pampa.

"We sat down and thought it all out," said Lander. McLean is a pleasant and progressive community of about 1,500 with a trade area population of about 3,500. It has good schools, churches, paved streets, and—most of all—a friendly independent citizenry.

"We decided that we would never get a doctor until we provided him with a good place to practice," said Lander, "so we built a clinic."

Actually, the 5-bed clinic was built from a \$50,000 bond issue approved by all residents of Gray County. McLean leases it for a dollar a year from the county.

About the time the clinic was finished the TMA sent a survey team to McLean. The survey group highly recommended McLean as a spot for a young doctor.

Don Shultz and his wife, Norma, read this recommendation in the TMA journal, and decided to look McLean over one week-end.

"We got there about 9 o'clock on a Saturday night," Don said. "Frankly, we weren't very impressed. It looked like a lot of little West Texas towns. Windy and dusty."

"The next morning we went to one of the downtown cafes to eat breakfast. Apparently the word had gotten around that a doctor was in town. Any number of people came over to our table and introduced themselves. Everyone of them was full of enthusiasm about their town and its prospects for the future. The first thing you knew they were calling us Don and Norma and we were calling them by their first names."

"When we said goodbye and said, 'We'll be seeing you,' and that's when we realized that our minds were made up to come to McLean," Don said.

Don and Norma are both physicians. He is completing his residency at Methodist Hospital in Dallas. She has been practicing for a year in the Cockerell Hill section of Dallas.

"We could stay in a big city and make a good living," said Don, "but we wouldn't be doing anything that another doctor couldn't do."

"Besides, we both came from

small towns, and we both would like to get back there. It's a good healthy atmosphere for children, particularly for boys. Already we are dreaming of some day getting a farm just outside of McLean where I could carry on my practice and we could live on a farm, too. We just like that kind of life."

Norma plans to move to McLean about the middle of June to start the clinic and Don will follow a few days later.

"We're just pretty enthused about all this," the McLean mayor said. "and we like Don and Norma very much. We already feel that they are a part of our town."

To be sure that the new doctors will have a place to live, the city of McLean has been paying rent on a pretty three-bedroom farmhouse for the past four months.

"Right now we're planting grass and shrubs around the clinic," Lander said. "It's pretty dry but we'll water them a lot and make them live. Later we're going to plant about 30 nice rose bushes. They sure will look pretty."

"We're going to stay behind this whole thing and see that it works," Lander said. "Now that we've got a doctor we're going to get some new businesses and some industry in this town. It's been dry but the farmers don't owe the banks much money. We're in good shape."

"We're sure glad Don and Norma are coming."

VILLAGE



GOSSIP (More or Less)

The annual Vacation Bible School at the First Baptist Church will be held this year June 9 thru 17. All children ages 3 to 17 are invited to attend the school.

Gifts of merchandise were awarded to Guy Saunders and Mrs. Bunia Kunkel last Saturday at the Appreciation Day activity. Josh Chilton was not present when his name was called for the gift of merchandise certificates.

A public installation of officers of the Order of the Eastern Star will be held Friday, June 1, at 7:30 p. m. in the Masonic Hall.

Teen Town will be held Friday night at 8:00 o'clock. All proceeds will go to the Order of Rainbow for Girls.

Chas. E. Cooke, J. R. Glass and Custer Lowary have returned from a fishing trip to Guaymas, Mexico. They went sail fishing and each caught a sail fish. They report a wonderful trip.

Mrs. Marvin Fisher returned last week from Los Angeles, Calif., where she had been at the bedside of her sister who had suffered a heart attack. While in California she visited another sister in Fresno. Mrs. Fisher said that although she is a grandmother, this was the first time she had ever ridden on a train.

The summer homemaking class will have a bake sale Saturday, June 2, at Master Cleaners.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Sutton and children of Dalhart visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bailey, Memorial Day.

Floella Cubine of WTSC, Canyon is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ercy Cubine.

Ricky Mantooth of Oklahoma A. and M. at Stillwater is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Mantooth.

Rev. Marvin Fisher Goes to O'Donnell; Rev. Riley Here

Rev. Marvin Fisher, pastor of the McLean Methodist Church for the past two years, was transferred to the First Methodist Church in O'Donnell when the appointments were read Sunday afternoon in Big Spring at the close of the Northwest Texas Methodist conference.

Rev. and Mrs. Fisher were scheduled to leave early today to move to their new church.

Rev. Jack Riley will be the new pastor of the McLean church. He comes to McLean from the Trinity Methodist Church in Snyder.

Summer Recreation Program Scheduled To Begin June 18

Tentative plans call for McLean's summer recreation program to begin June 18, Harold Bunch, supervisor and director of the program this year, has announced.

The recreation program is sponsored annually by the McLean Lions Club and some of the expenses are borne by the City of McLean.

Mr. Bunch stated that a schedule would be worked out soon so that there will be something to do for children in every age group.

This summer the program will be for all youngsters from three years of age through high school. Miss Marie Watson will be in charge of the very young children.

Claude Fussell Is New Owner of Greyhound Drug

Claude Fussell is the new owner of the Greyhound Drug in McLean.

Mr. Fussell purchased the drug store from Legon Burris last week. Mr. Burris is working at Amarillo Air Force Base and will commute daily from McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Burris will continue to make their home here and Mrs. Burris will still operate the McLean Flower Shop.

Mr. Fussell, who comes to McLean from Clarendon, is single and will live at the Hindman Hotel. A double-page picture of Mr. Fussell is featured in a current issue of Collier's magazine. The magazine article concerns the JA Ranch where he was employed for the past five years.

At one time Mr. Fussell managed the drug store in Hotel Adolphus in Dallas.

Mrs. Marie Henley and Mrs. Martha Aldridge will continue to be employed at the drug store, Mr. Fussell said.

Methodist Vacation Bible School to Be Held Next Week

Registration for the Methodist Vacation Bible School will begin Saturday afternoon, June 2, at 4 o'clock. All children between the ages of four and 12 years are invited to attend the Bible school.

The school will be held Monday through Friday from 9:30 to 11:00 a. m. daily. Closing exercises will be held Sunday night, June 10, at 7:00 o'clock.

Mrs. R. C. Parker is superintendent of the Vacation Bible School. Kindergarten teachers will be Mrs. Jesse Coleman and Mrs. L. F. Hauck.

Primary teachers will be Mrs. Johnny Haynes, Mrs. Ollie Tindall, Mrs. Shorty Burr and Mrs. Joe McDowell.

In the junior department, Mrs. Marvin Hindman, Mrs. Hershel McCarty and Mrs. Leslie Talbert will be the teachers.

Justice has nothing to do with expediency. Justice has nothing to do with any temporary standard whatever. It is rooted and grounded in the fundamental instincts of humanity.—Woodrow Wilson.

Government is not mere advice; it is authority, with power to enforce its laws.—Washington.

McLEAN RAIN FOR YEAR UP TO 7.58"

With over 4 inches of rainfall during the last week-end, McLean moisture for the year now stands at 7.58 inches, according to the city rain gauge records maintained by Pete Fulbright.

At this same time last year McLean had received 8.40 inches of moisture.

The bulk of the moisture came in May during this year and last. Total for the month is 6.25. The rainfall came on the following days:

May 1	1.29
May 25	.05
May 26	2.40
May 27	1.60
May 28	.46
May 29	.17
May 30	.28

These are the official figures of the downtown rain gauge. Much more rain has been reported unofficially from individuals living within a five mile radius of McLean.

WINDSTORM DAMAGES DERBY SCREEN

A heavy windstorm ripped the screen of the Derby Drive-In Theatre to complete destruction last Saturday evening just as the show was about to begin. The damage occurred at about 7:30. No one was injured.

Amos Page, who was selling tickets at the time, said that he could hardly see the concession stand from the ticket booth during the heavy downpour of rain mixed with hail. During a flash of lightning he glanced in the direction of the screen and to his surprise the screen was gone.

Although the downtown rain gauge registered 2.60 inches of rain for Saturday night, Buck Henley who lives just across Highway 66 from the theatre, said his rain gauge showed three and one-half inches of rain before it became clogged with hail.

Since the Derby Drive-In will be closed until the screen is replaced, the movies scheduled will be shown at the downtown Avalon Theatre.

Hiram D. Rawlings Completes Navy Recruit Training

Hiram D. Rawlings, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude L. Rawlings of McLean, and husband of the former Miss Sue G. Cox of Pampa, was graduated from recruit training May 19 at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif.

The nine weeks of "Boot Camp" includes drill and instruction in seamanship, gunnery, life saving, sea survival, boat handling, and the use of small arms.

Following two weeks leave, graduates will be assigned to shipboard duties or service schools depending on the qualifications each has demonstrated.

BIRTHDAYS

June 3—Sherry Biggers, C. E. Hunt.

June 4—Edwin Howard, Harold Butrum, Teresa Mertel, Doris Van Huss, Michael McCarty, Donna Joyce Boyd, Velma Betchan, David Grigsby.

June 5—Mrs. A. N. Hardmann, Lawrence Watson, Bonita Bailey.

June 6—Reo Heasley, E. L. Jones, Emory Smith, George Graham, Jack Shadid Brooks.

June 7—Ruby Cook, Alta June Watson, Tuffy Sargent, Mrs. Tuffy Sargent, Mrs. W. L. Litchfield, Mrs. Charles Bailey.

June 8—Herbert Butrum, David Massey.

June 9—Kid McCoy, Bobby Howard, Scott Johnston, Clyde Carpenter.

Claborn Funeral Home Is Sold To Lamb-Richerson



J. C. CLABORN

TWO INJURED IN WRECK WEDNESDAY

Two persons were injured in a car-truck accident 7.2 miles west of McLean on Highway 66 Wednesday afternoon shortly after 3:00 o'clock.

Drivers of the vehicles involved were Dexter Swafford McDowell of Route 2, Pampa, and W. S. Ridener of Fort Smith, Ark.

Those injured were Mrs. Ridener and her daughter. The injured were brought to Brown's Drug store in McLean for first aid treatment given by Mrs. Jo Burrows. They were then taken to the Shamrock hospital.

McDowell was driving a Ford pick-up and Ridener was driving a Pontiac sedan.

Highway Patrolmen R. C. Parker and H. D. Capps of McLean investigated the accident.

Mrs. Essie Glenn was released from Highland General Hospital in Pampa Tuesday.

Announcement of the sale of Claborn Funeral Home in McLean to Glenn Richerson and Creed Lamb was made by J. C. Claborn this week.

Mr. Lamb will move to McLean within a few days to take charge of the local funeral home. Mr. Richerson is owner of a funeral home in Shamrock and Mr. Lamb is connected with a funeral home in Littlefield.

J. C. Claborn and family expect to move to Friona within the next few days where he will enter the furniture business. The furniture business will be operated in conjunction with the funeral home and flower shop which Claborn and a partner already own.

The Claborns said that they hated to leave their many friends here and it was a hard decision to make the move, but they felt sure that Mr. Lamb would carry on the business in a very capable manner.

Mr. Lamb is a native of Memphis and has been associated with this line of business for about ten years. His wife grew up in Canadian and the couple has one young daughter.

All-Around Cowboy Is Recovering From Stab Wounds

Casey Tibbs, 27, 1955 all-around cowboy, is reported to be improving from accidental stab wounds received last Sunday.

Tibbs, one of the ten top cowboys who were to compete in the Pampa Roping Club's contest, was injured shortly before he was to appear on the program. He reported that he fell while running with an open knife in his hand.

One of the top rodeo performers in the nation, Tibbs is from Fort Pierre, S. D.

Harlon Pool was released from Highland General Hospital last week-end and is much improved this week.

From the State Capitol

HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS

By Vern Sanford, Texas Press Association

Supreme Court Justice Will Wilson grabbed the political spotlight with the announcement that he was resigning on June 1.

He will devote his full time to an aggressive campaign for the office of Attorney General.

Said Wilson: "Texas' greatest need today is vigorous enforcement of Texas laws. I believe I can serve Texas best in filling that need."

Wilson, who gained fame as Dallas' racket-busting district attorney, has served six years on the Supreme Court. He was elected in 1950 by a heavy majority, and is one of the youngest men ever to serve on the high bench.

It was felt by most seasoned observers that Wilson would have been re-elected without opposition had he desired to continue as a member of the state's highest tribunal.

Wilson served as Assistant Attorney General of Texas under Gerald Mann and Grover Sellers in 1941-42.

Wilson's Visit

President Dwight D. Eisenhower's visit to his native state, planned long ago, by chance came three days after the Democratic state convention. There, Senator Lyndon B. Johnson was endorsed as favorite son candidate for President.

Texas has two native sons in the race for chief executive of the United States.

Governor Allan Shivers, who has said he will support the presidential nominee whom he considers best for the nation, regardless of party, didn't attend the Dallas convention at which Johnson was the main figure.

As Texas chief executive he did, however, welcome President Eisenhower at Waco, where Ike received an honorary degree from Baylor University.

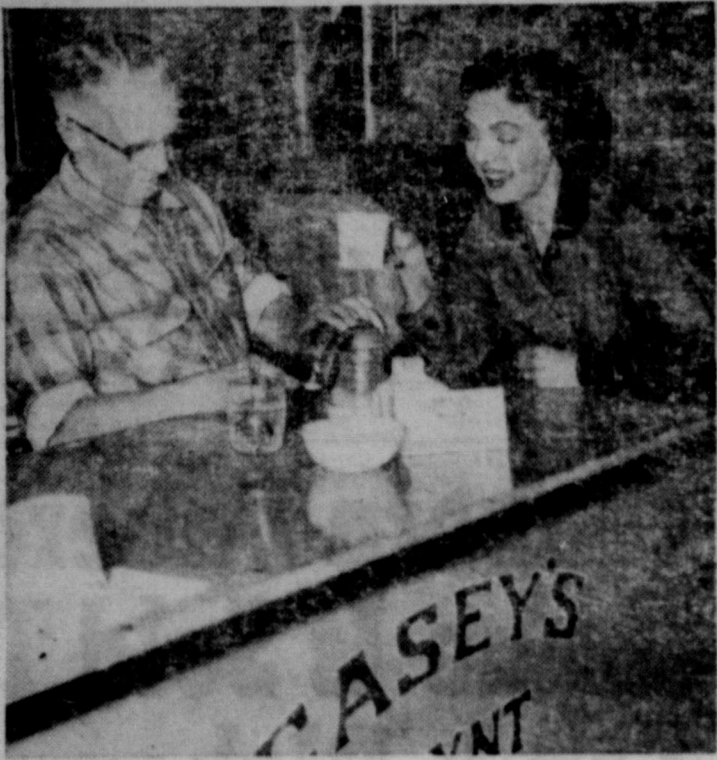
Eisenhower leaders, including National Committeeman Jack Porter, and other Texas Republican notables, conferred with the President briefly in Waco. Also present was Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby, late of the President's cabinet and now co-chairman of the National Citizens for Eisenhower organization. Governor Shivers did not take part in the conference.

Senator Johnson gained his personal goals at the Democratic convention. But his control of the convention was shaky all the way through.

Near the end, his personal requests were turned down. His reported choice for Democratic national committeewoman, Mrs. Lloyd M. Bentsen, Jr. of McAllen, was sidetracked for Mrs. R. D. Randolph of Houston. She replaces Mrs. Hilda Weingert of Seguin. Also replaced was National Committeeman Ben Ramsey, Elected in his stead was Byron Skelton of Temple.

A new state executive committee is not to be named until (Continued on back page)

Familiar Fixtures on Sam Goldwyn Sound Stage



CASEY NEWSOME SETS UP HIS PORTABLE SERVICE BAR for coffee and a visit with Loretta Young, Casey, at Sam Goldwyn's for 20 years, has known the lovely star since her stint in the movie, "Along Came Jones," with Gary Cooper as co-star. He sets up shop regularly for the "Loretta Young Show" cast and crew when they're on hand to film the star's weekly TV series. Here Loretta gets a kick out of Casey's newest counter card, "Why be difficult, when with a little more effort you can be impossible?" (ANS)

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hiett and girls of Shamrock visited in Amarillo Friday night in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Mike Murff and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hiett attended church in Memphis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cliett visited in Pampa over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allison and Jim visited in Amarillo Friday night in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Mike Murff and family.

Mrs. E. L. Price is in Fort Worth with her mother, Mrs. R. M. Pittman, who is ill. Mr. Price took her to Fort Worth last week-end.

Virginia Beck of WTSC, Canyon, is at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Beck.

Mrs. S. L. Humphreys of Kermit visited in McLean over the week-end with the Clevy Hancock family and at Alanreed with the L. E. Glass family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Horton of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. Vergal Smith and daughter, Lana, of Plainview visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith, over the week-end.

E. J. Windom and Clyde Allen Windom were in Floydada Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Vestal Bailey and children visited her sister, Mrs. Joe Bob Martin, and family in Midland last week.

Mrs. Frank Rodgers and children, Billy and Christa Carol, visited in Weatherford, Okla., Wednesday with Mrs. Rodgers' father and sister, W. L. Haynes and Mrs. Robert Barnett. Thursday they visited in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Dickinson returned home Friday night from a week's vacation in Dallas. Their daughter, Nancy, remained in Dallas for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eustace and daughter, Othelia, and Janice Magee visited in Hereford over the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Walton, Jr.



A father and son were posing for a picture at the time of the young man's graduation from college.

"Stand a little closer to your father," said the photographer to the boy, "and put your hand on his shoulder."

"I think it would be more appropriate," said the father, "if he stood with his hand in my pocket."

Women now find themselves at quite a disadvantage since man can now travel faster than sound.

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SPEAKING OF CARDS

KLONDIKE GOLD

Of the hundreds of variations of Solitaire played today, the most-played and most popular by far goes by the colorful name of Klondike. Like the precious gold metal found in the Canadian region whose name it bears, Klondike is one of the most difficult solitaires to "pan out." Often incorrectly called Canfield, Klondike is also known by such names as Fascination, Triangle, Demon Patience and Chinaman.

Rare is the card player who has not at one time or another tried to make a Klondike game come out. But for those who have never known such a keen battle of wits, here's how the nation's most popular Solitaire is played.

Deal out a row of seven cards, horizontally, the first face up and the rest face down. Then deal a row of six cards upon the first, beginning with one card face up on the second pile and the rest face down on the first to the right. Continue with successive rows of five, four, three, two and one (see illustration) beginning each time with one card face up on the pile to the right of that on which

the previous row was begun. The completed tableau comprises twenty-eight cards in seven piles increasing in number from one to seven cards with the top card of each pile face up and the rest face down.

The four aces, as they become available, are moved into a row above the tableau. Object of play is to build each entire suit upon its ace.

On the face up cards in the tableau, build down in alternating colors. The top card of a pile is always available for play on a foundation. All the face up cards on a pile are moved as a unit when the bottom-most of these cards may be built on the top of another pile.

Whenever the face up cards of a pile are cleared off, turn up the next card; it becomes available. A space made by clearing away an entire pile may be filled only by a king (plus the cards, if any, built on the king).

Turn up cards from the stock one at a time, building them on foundations or tableau. Put unplayable cards in a single wastepile. The top of the wastepile is always available. There is no redeal. Go through the stock only once.

An ace must be moved into the foundation row as soon as available. But with all other cards you have a choice of building on foundations or leaving the cards in the tableau to help the manipulation.

Martin Dwyer of Sunray visited with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dwyer and boys Sunday.

Odell Dyer of Pampa visited his mother, Mrs. S. J. Dyer, Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Rodgers and son, Billy, were in Pampa Monday morning.

Mrs. Jack Bailey and daughter, Jan, spent last week in Big Spring with A/1c and Mrs. Charles W. Bailey and their new daughter, Cathy Gail.

Frank Kennedy and family of Quail visited his mother, Mrs. W. E. Kennedy, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Chilton spent the week-end in Lubbock to attend the graduation exercises at Texas Tech. Their son-in-law, DuWayne Blackshear, was one of the graduates.

Dale Glass is home from Canyon for the summer.

Mrs. Jim Back, Mrs. Raymond Glass and children, Judy and Bob, were in Pampa Monday.

The Cleo Lacks of Lela spent Sunday in the J. I. Martindale home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ishmael Swafford of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McAllister, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jack Massey of Dumas visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mug Castleberry of Alanreed, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Massey of McLean, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Vineyard and son of Canyon are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Windom, Sr., this week.

C. P. Callahan is a patient at the Shamrock hospital.

W. J. Chilton of California has been visiting here in the home of his son, Josh Chilton.

Mrs. George Armstrong of Bridgeport came to McLean Monday to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Bailey, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Eason of Borger and Mrs. Viola Peters of Comanche, Okla., visited Wednesday with their uncle and aunt, C. S. Rice and Mrs. Laura Stratton.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Myatt were Rev. and Mrs. B. W. Myatt and daughter, Terri Jean, of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williamson and children of Stinnett, Mr. and Mrs.

G. A. Shull and children and Keith Myatt of Amarillo.

James Jolly is home from Tulsa University, Tulsa, Okla.

"One of the difficult tasks in this world is to convince a woman that even a bargain costs money.—Ed Howe.

Break up cliques, level wealth with honesty, let worth be judged according to wisdom, and we get better views of humanity.—Mary Baker Eddy.

"Fine gold" is pure gold.



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Libby's **Catsup** 14 oz. bottle 19c
Libby's Sour or Dill **Pickles** 22 oz. glass 33c
Libby's C S Yellow **Corn** 303 can 2 for 35c
Van Camp **Vienna Sausage** 2 for 29c
Libby's **Tomato Juice** 46 oz. can 33c

Garden-Fresh
VEGETABLES
Golden Sweet **CORN on the Cob** 4 for 25c
Large Fancy **LETTUCE** head 15c
Large Green Bunch **CELERY** stalk 15c
Cello. bag White **POTATOES** 10 lbs. 69c

TENDERCRUST BREAD 23c
1 1/2 lb Loaf
Tendercrust **BROWN AND SERVE ROLLS** pkg. 23c
Tendercrust **CONY BUNS** pkg. 16c
HAMBURGER BUNS

FORT HOWARD TISSUE 6 rolls 49c
Breeze King size FREE Cannon Towel \$1.25
Crackers Sunshine 1 lb box 25c
Gaines Meal **DOG FOOD** 25 lbs. \$2.25 50 lbs. \$4.49
Spry Shortening 3 lb can 89c

Libby's Sliced or Halves 303 can **Peaches** 2 for 45c
Libby's Garden Sweet 303 can **Peas** 2 for 41c
Libby's **Pears** 303 can 25c
Libby's 303 can **Kraut** 2 for 29c

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Spillane Thriller, 'Kiss Me Deadly,' Opens Here Friday

Mickey Spillane's new mystery thriller, "Kiss Me Deadly," begins at the Avalon Theatre Friday. In it, Ralph Meeker, star of the Pulitzer prize-winning play, "Picnic," plays the role of the ultra-tough and irresistible-to-women Mike Hammer.

The forces of villainy—masculine division—are headed up by an assortment of tough cookies that includes Paul Stewart, Albert Dekker, Juano Hernandez and Wesley Addy. The sex and romance department is handled by such toothsome bundles as Marian Carr, Maxine Cooper, Gaby Rodgers, Cloris Leachman and Leigh

Snowden.

A Parkland picture, "Kiss Me Deadly" was produced and directed by Robert Aldrich. A. I. Bezzerides adapted the screenplay from the Spillane best-seller, and Ernest Laszlo was chief cameraman. The musical score was composed and conducted by Frank DeVol, who also wrote a new song "I'd Rather Have the Blues Than What I've Got," sung in the film by Nat King Cole and Madi Comfort.

To date Mickey Spillane's novelistic exercises in sex and sadism have sold the staggering total of over 60 million copies.

Since the dominant figure in "Kiss Me Deadly"—as with all of the Spillane novels—is that of the violent private eye, Mike Hammer, a good deal of honest and sweaty thought went into the choice of an actor to play the role. He had to be not only a good actor, but someone extremely virile and attractive to women. That narrowed the choice down considerably—in fact, to a field of one, Ralph Meeker.

Villany—always prominent in a Spillane opus—has strong representation in "Kiss Me Deadly" in the person of Paul Stewart, Albert Dekker and Wesley Addy. Imported from the Broadway stage, and such well known movie heels as Juano Hernandez, Jack Lambert, Jack Elam and Percy Helton.

More than seventy-five per cent of "Kiss Me Deadly" was filmed on location in and around Los Angeles, ranging all the way from lush beaches and rich estates to skidrow alleys and dingy tenement hotels.

DERBY DRIVE-IN

All movies scheduled for the Derby Drive-in will be shown at the Avalon downtown until we can repair the Derby screen. We hope to have the Drive-in open again Sunday night.

Thursday:

Walt Disney's

"THE LITTLEST OUTLAW"

Friday, Saturday:

Mickey Spillane's

"KISS ME DEADLY"

Ralph Meeker

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday:

Robert Mitchum, Jan Sterling

"MAN WITH THE GUN"

Wednesday, Thursday:

Ann Sheridan, Steve Cochran

"COME NEXT SPRING"

AVALON

Saturday Matinee:

Mickey Spillane's

"KISS ME DEADLY"

Ralph Meeker

COUNTY BOND SALES ABOVE AREA AVERAGE

Latest reports from the savings bond division show that bond sales in Gray County are well above the average for the Amarillo area.

The 1956 quota set for Gray County is \$770,000 and at the end of April 48.8 per cent of the quota had been bought here.

In the Amarillo area composed of 26 counties the total average is only 32.5 percent, which is about the national average.

Children should obey their parents; insubordination is an evil, blighting the budgings of self-government.—Mary Baker Eddy.



"Another thing that isn't worth what it costs is telling a man what you think of him!"



WILL WILSON

Will Wilson Resigns To Make Campaign For Attorney General

Supreme Court Justice Will Wilson has resigned his post on the state's highest tribunal to launch a fighting campaign for Attorney General of Texas. His resignation was made effective June 1.

"The most compelling call to duty for me today is to serve the people of Texas as their Attorney General," Wilson said.

With a career as Dallas' racket-busting district attorney, followed by six years on the Supreme Court, Wilson said he left the court "with reluctance." However, he surprised few Capitol observers in responding to the challenge to serve as Texas' No. 1 law enforcement officer.

"I have been asked why I am willing to leave the Supreme Court," Wilson commented. "Like the old cavalry general, I've always believed in riding straight for the sound of the guns."

"Certainly I know that I am deliberately turning my back on the security of a quiet harbor and certainly the course we will steer lies through troubled waters. But that's where the need is greatest."

"Texas' greatest need today is vigorous enforcement of our Texas laws. I believe I can serve Texas best in filling that need."

Nevada means snow covered.

Farm Housing Program Reactivated

Walter T. McKay, state director of Farmers Home Administration, has announced that eligible farmers in Texas may obtain farm housing loans from the agency. Funds for the loans were recently made available by a supplemental appropriation.

Applications for these loans may be made at the Farmers Home Administration office in Clarendon or at the City Hall in McLean on Wednesday mornings.

Farm housing loans may be made for the construction and repair of farm houses and other farm buildings, including farmstead water supplies. Interest on the loans will be 4 per cent per year on the unpaid principal. Repayments may be scheduled over periods up to 33 years. The loans will be secured by a mortgage on the borrower's farm.

Building plans and specifications for the improvements to be financed with the farm housing loan will be obtained by the applicant. FHA will review the plans and inspect construction as it progresses to assist the borrower in obtaining construction that meets generally accepted standards of soundness.

The local county FHA committee determines the eligibility of applicants for farm housing loans.

To be eligible, Mr. McKay explained, an applicant must be the owner of a farm, be unable to obtain suitable credit for dwellings and other buildings from other lenders, and have enough farm income or income from the farm and other sources to meet family living and farm operating expenses and repay his debts.

The farm housing loans are made under the authority of Title V of the Housing Act of 1949, as amended. In Texas 1,165 farm housing loans have been made for a total of \$6,726,135; \$1,996,299 of this amount has been repaid. In addition, interest collected thru December 31, 1955, totaled \$864,030.

The supplemental appropriation act which was signed by President Eisenhower May 19 made \$5,000,000 available for farm housing loans. At present no additional funds are authorized after June 30, 1956. McKay stated that the FHA also extends



963 HELPERS—It takes \$1,250 to get your name on the ballot for Governor of Texas. And Democratic candidate Ralph Yarborough (right), shown paying his fee in cash to George Sandlin, Secretary of the State Democratic Executive Committee, almost didn't make it. He paid on the last day, telling Austin reporters that three days earlier he didn't have the money. He said some 900 supporters contributed for the fee, in \$1, \$5 and \$10 bills. Yarborough said if present trends continue he will win in the first primary July 28. Among his first official acts, he said, will be a recommendation for raising Texas' "shamefully low" old age assistance payments.

Personal

Dr. and Mrs. Buell Wells are attending the Southern Baptist Convention in Kansas City this week.

Harvey Haynes and daughter, Eleanor, visited in the Jack Hiett home Sunday evening.

credit for farm housing under the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act, as amended.

Mr. and Mrs. Cagle Hunt and children of Roby visited last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Plummer of Lovington, N. M., visited in the Smokey Price home Sunday.

Bill Reeves and Ruel Smith were in Pine, Colo., over the week-end.

Vergal Smith of Plainview preached at the First Baptist Church Sunday in the absence of the pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Carter and family and Mrs. J. B. Pettit visited in White Deer in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Pettit Sunday.

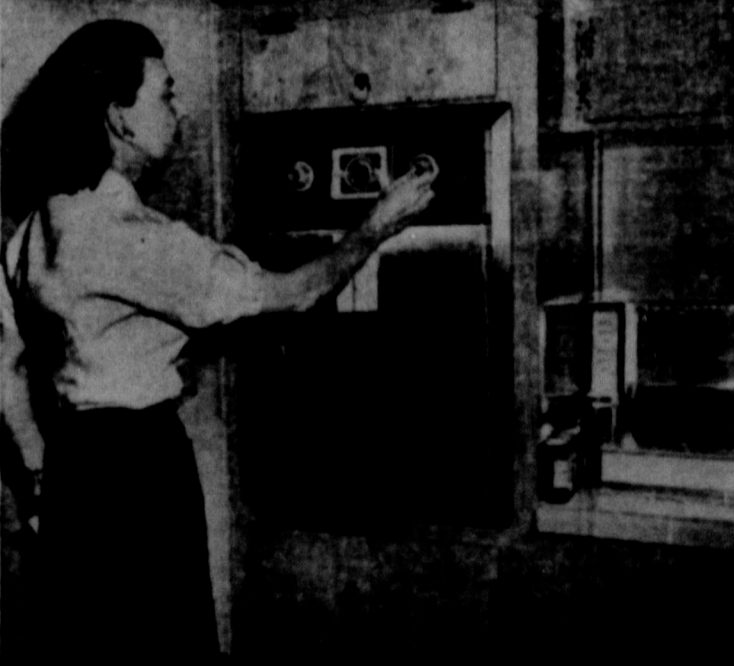
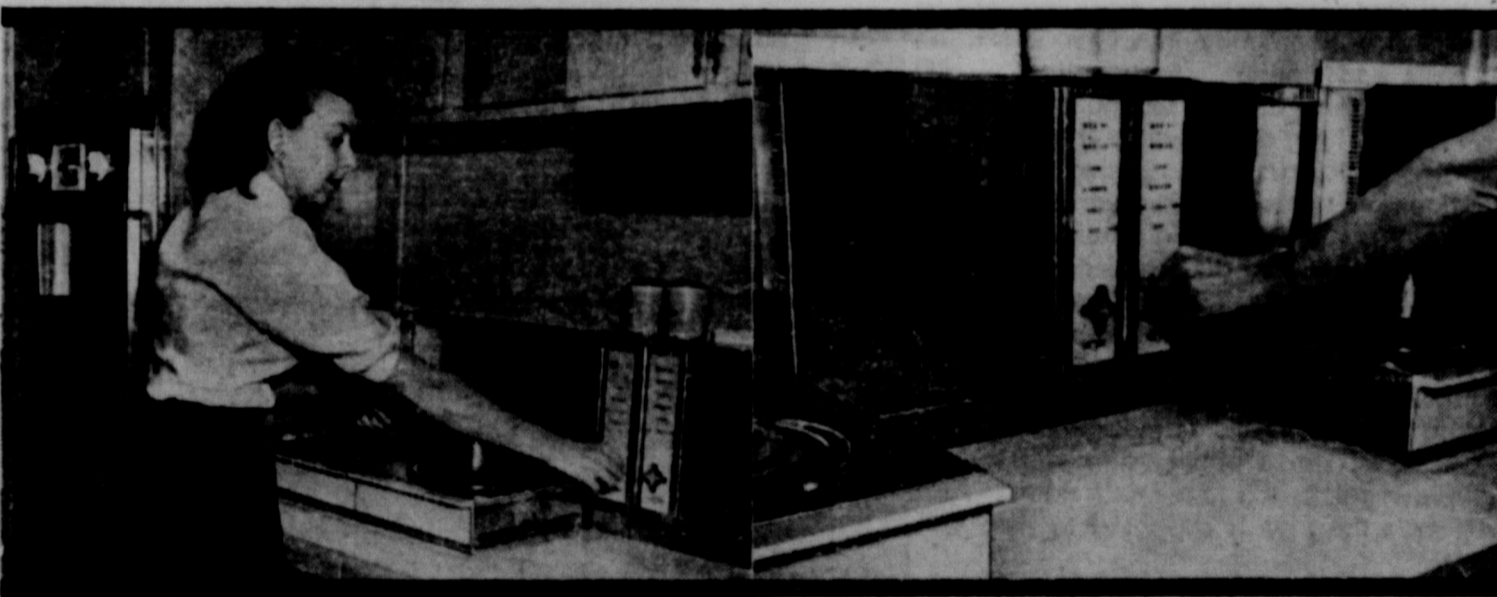
Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Back visited in Abilene Sunday and Monday in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Tommy Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Martin and Mrs. Walter Smith of Amarillo visited Mrs. W. M. Tibbets Sunday.

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- 3. Six years as Judge, Supreme Court of Texas

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AN AGE OF CHANGE

"Pigs Is Pigs" became an immortal American phrase long ago, with the publication of the enormously successful little story of that title. And it would seem only reasonable to most of us that the pig, or any other kind of livestock, will never change much if at all.

However, we live in an age of irresistible change—and meat and meat animals aren't immune.

A short time ago, at Washington State College, scientists from the meat industry and from educational institutions told of new developments in the production and marketing of meats which may affect peaceful and beneficial revolutions in the future. The director of laboratories for one of the leading packers showed a jar of raw meat that had been kept at room temperature since 1948. It was perfectly fresh still—exposure to a radioactive material had killed the bacteria and prevented spoilage. He also forecast that in time we'll be able to buy canned raw meat, sterile, unpasteurized milk, and shell eggs that will keep indefinitely.

Another forecast was that cattlemen will be able to pick at birth the animals which will produce beef most quickly and cheaply. Still another dealt with new animal diets which produce remarkable weight gains at low cost.

Actually, of course, the quality of meat animals and the meat that comes from them has been steadily improved over a period of many years. And now it looks as if we are on the verge of astonishing further progress.

OTHER SIDE OF THE COIN

A union of department store workers is making strenuous efforts to persuade Congress to extend the federal wage-hour law (which contains the minimum wage provision) to cover retail employees. This union, of course, has every right to press its case—but it would be well for the public at large, no less than the members of Congress, to look at the other side of the coin.

Retail employees, along with certain other service-business personnel, have been excluded from the wage-hour law during its entire history. Congress did not initiate that exclusion, or extend it during session after session, because it lacked concern for the lot of retail workers or because it was unduly influenced by the attitudes of store management. It did it for certain compelling reasons.

One reason is that retailing is an intensely local business. The biggest chain, for instance, must compete on a local basis in every community in which it has an outlet. Living costs and standards vary greatly in different parts of the country and in communities of different sizes. A federal law, of necessity, is inflexible—and would do the ridiculous by imposing the same arbitrary regulations on stores in a tiny hamlet as stores in New York City. Wage-hour laws in retailing, if needed, are thus a matter for state and local government.

Another reason is that retailing is a business with room for many unskilled and marginal workers. They can thus get experience which will qualify them for better-paying jobs. But if the law forces wages for the unskilled to too high a level, as measured by their value to the employer, stores of necessity will reduce this kind of employment to the maximum extent. And then the very people the law is supposed to help will be out of a job.

BIG DAY

You probably didn't know it, but Monday, May 7, was a very important day in your life—if you are an average citizen, financially speaking.

That Monday was designated "National Tax Freedom Holiday." And it was the first day of this year that the money you earned was really yours to spend.

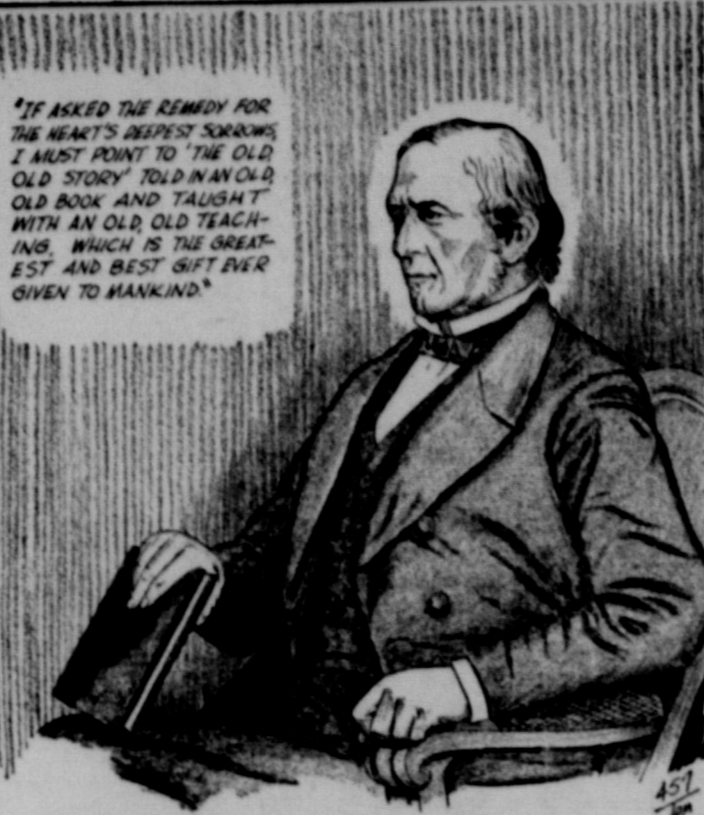
Why is this so? The answer is as simple as it is grim. All that the average American earned from January 1 to May 7 had to be paid out in taxes, direct or indirect, to one unit of government or another.

In other words, the average tax payer works more than four months of the year to meet his tax bill. And remember—this is true of the masses of people with moderate incomes, not the few in the big brackets. The fight of efficiency and economy in government is your fight.

YOU'RE WORKING FOR THE GOVERNMENT

The best way to judge the scope of the tax burden is by how much of your working time goes to pay for it. In 1929, one day's labor out of 10 went to support the government, according to the National Association of Manufacturers. Now the average is one day in four. What will the figure be 15 or so years from now?

THE AMERICAN WAY



WILLIAM EWART GLADSTONE
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The Bible - Best Gift To Mankind

40 Years Ago—

IT HAPPENED HERE

Taken from the Files of The McLean News, 1916

Barn Destroyed

An early morning blaze Tuesday morning destroyed the barn and chicken house of Will H. Langley and burned two fat hogs that were in the barn lot. There was no other damage. The fire started from an incubator which

was in operation in the barn and it is supposed the lamp exploded. Before anyone discovered the fire it had already gained so much headway that putting it out was impossible and the few who gathered in response to the alarm devoted themselves to saving adjacent property.

There was no insurance.

With Mrs. Clay Thompson

The Embroidery Club enjoyed their usual meeting Wednesday afternoon at the pretty new Thompson home with Mrs. Thompson as the charming hostess. The rooms were prettily decorated for the occasion and a delightful afternoon was spent.

There were several guests of the club present and delicious refreshments were served to more than twenty ladies.

Yourself

Your greatest enemy is yourself.

The only person who can drag you down into drunkenness, thievery or uncleanness is yourself.

It is the fashion to talk much maudlin self pity, and to blame environment, fate and your fellow creatures for the evils that happen to you.

No real calamity ever crushed you that did not enter the door you unlocked yourself.

All hell could not make you despair, except yourself join in. Every stone in the edifice of your character was laid by your own hands.

Fate, malicious people and other factors can threaten, hurt and wound you; nothing and nobody can put you down but yourself.

You are your greatest enemy if you are a coward, but if you are brave, you are your greatest friend.

The unquenchable light is the human soul—the unconquerable force.

Only when you love yourself rationally are you qualified to love others helpfully.

Only when you revere yourself and fear yourself are you capable of reverence and fear toward God.

The world is but a mirror of yourself.

Keep clean and you see clean men and women everywhere. Be cheerful and all mankind smiles. Be unafraid of events and men,

and the stars in their courses will light for you.

Whether you be a convict in prison or a bedridden invalid or a betrayed wife or a victim of conspiracy of men or the accidents of fate, if you will fall back upon yourself, believe in yourself, and are loyal to yourself, you will succeed.

Let all the world despise you—it makes no matter as long as you do not despise yourself.

Whatever the past may have been, begin now to stand for yourself, your best self, the high great self that you know you are, away in the deep recesses of your heart.

Stand! Yield not an inch! Be faithful to yourself! And from this moment things shall take a turn.—Dr. Frank Crane.

Personals

The Wampus Cats expect to leave today for Erick where they

will play this afternoon. The team they are to meet will be composed of the best players in that section of Oklahoma.

D. A. Davis and family arrived Saturday from Vega and will make this their home. Mr. Davis will have charge of the Rock Island station. Mr. and Mrs. Turner will go from this station to Benonine.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Thompson and family attended the commencement exercises of Clarendon College in Clarendon last week. Miss Maud Thompson was a graduate of that institution this year.

Miss Mannie Wilson arrived Saturday from Canadian where she has been engaged in the school. Miss Wilson has again been offered a position in that school.

A spool of thread is known as a "reel of cotton" in England.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Junior Gets "Pinned" Down

Junior Baker and friends are all set for their circus. Look for their advertisements on neighborhood trees.

The kids have had problems in staging the event. The biggest was the admission fee. Junior wanted to charge five cents, Mrs. Baker thought it would be much nicer if they charged five pins.

So Junior held a meeting with his Directors—then told his mother they'd taken her advice. The ads now read: Giant Circus in Baker's Backyard. ADMISSION FIVE PINS PLUS FIVE CENTS TAX.

From where I sit, that's a cute example of a mighty important point—if you want things to turn out your way, then you had better let the other fellow have his choice, too. For instance, if your taste should happen to run to, say, iced tea... then you owe it to yourself to see that those who prefer beer, buttermilk or what-have-you get to enjoy their favorite beverages, too. After all, turn about's fair play.

Joe Marsh

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What to WATCH for when selecting the most modern truck for your job!

If you're in the market for a new truck, you can start your "shopping tour" right on this page! The salesman shown here is pointing out modern features that increase efficiency on the job and give you more truck for your dollars.

So take a moment to follow him around in this on-paper demonstration. Then you'll know what to look for—and you'll find it right here, at your Chevrolet dealer's!



WATCH for modern cab design

Chevrolet truck cabs offer greater comfort, panoramic windshield for better vision and modern concealed Safety Steps.



WATCH for advanced Work Styling

The long, low, forward-sweeping lines of new Chevrolet trucks provide modern truck beauty that's good advertising for your business. Each weight class has its own distinctive styling.



WATCH for automatic transmissions

In 3000-4000 Series models there's famous HYDRA-MATIC. And for 5000 through 10000 Series models there's exclusive, revolutionary POWERMATIC! Both are extra-cost options.



WATCH for Ball-Gear steering

Modern Ball-Gear steering, featured in all Chevrolet Task-Force trucks, makes your job easier at every turn! In this precision steering gear, scores of polished steel balls minimize steering friction.



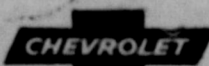
WATCH for modern short-stroke V8's

There's a new V8—either standard or optional at extra cost—for every model. They're compact, efficient engines, too—the leaders in their respective classes for horsepower-per-pound!

You'll find modern features everywhere! For example, there are famous Chevrolet high-compression 6's—the world's most popular truck engines! A great new 5-speed transmission, optional at extra cost, handles tough jobs with ease in a wide range of models. New

Triple-Torque tandem options for heavy-duty trucks hike G.V.W.'s up to 32,000 lbs. . . G.C.W.'s up to 50,000 lbs. Certainly, there are many things that point up Chevrolet truck modernity . . . many reasons why anything less than Chevvy is an old-fashioned truck!

New Chevrolet Task-Force Trucks



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McLEAN, TEXAS

* "Yes...

I Picked It Up in the City"

* a useful phrase for impressing neighbors with the way we get around



but it comes high

FOR some strange reason, a lot of us are inclined to take more pride in some article that we have bought in a Big City Store than we do in an identical item bought at home.

PERHAPS a shirt or a hat, for example, bought in the City, becomes a sort of souvenir of our travels — a reminder of a pleasant break in the routine of life — instead of just another garment.

QUESTION IS . . . how high can we pay to indulge this little human quirk?

A DOLLAR SPENT away from home is a dollar less business in our community. Hundreds of thousands of these dollars ARE being spent that way every year by folks who live here. THAT MUCH MORE MONEY circulated in our community would supercharge its vitality.

CAN WE AFFORD to pass up the extra values that home-spent dollars give us in better schools, more jobs for more people, more prosperous businesses able to do a better job of serving our urgent daily needs?

ISN'T THE PRICE TOO HIGH . . . this whittling away at our own community's economic life . . . isn't this too much to pay for a few relics of our travels to the City?

It Pays to Buy where You Live

Of All the Business Establishments in the World—ONLY those in McLEAN are sincerely interested in McLean and in the future of YOU who live here . . .

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CHURCH CALENDAR

(Churches of this area are invited to run their activity calendars weekly in this column.)

McLean Methodist Church
Each Sunday:
Church School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 10:55 a. m.
Evening Fellowships 6:30 p. m.
Children, Youth, Adults
Evening worship 7:00 p. m.
A cordial invitation is extended to the public, to attend any or all the services. Make plans to attend every Sunday.

First Presbyterian Church
Bible School 10 a. m.
Worship 11 a. m.
Westminster Fellowship 6 p. m.
Evening worship 7 p. m.
Nursery for children
Ladies Auxiliary 2:30 Tuesday
The Mission of Our Church:
To provide the public worship of God; to preach the redeeming love of Christ; to comfort the sorrowing and help the needy; to create the spirit of Christian fellowship; to serve the community, the nation, and a needy world; this is the mission of our church.
You are invited to all services.
J. Edwin Kerr, Pastor

Church of Christ
Sunday Services:
Bible School 10 a. m.
Preaching 10:50 a. m.
Communion 11:45 a. m.
Young People's Classes 5:00 p. m.
Evening preaching 6:00 p. m.
Wednesday Services:
Ladies Bible Study 2 p. m.
Bible classes, all ages, 7:30 p. m.
We welcome your attendance, investigation, and support. You need the church and the church needs you. "We preach only Christ and Him crucified."—1 Cor. 2:2. "We speak the truth in love."—Eph. 4:15. You are never a stranger but once... come.
Harold D. McColum, Minister

Church of the Nazarene
Sunday Services:
Sunday School 10 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m.
Evening services 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday prayer service 7:30 p. m.
N. F. M. S. every 3rd Wednesday
Come and Get Your Faith Listed.

L. A. Miller, Pastor

First Baptist Church
Sunday:
Sunday School 10 a. m.
Worship service 11 a. m.
Training Union 7:00 p. m.
Evening worship 8:00 p. m.
Tuesday:
W. M. U. meetings
Wednesday:
Sunday School teachers and officers meet at 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting and Bible study at 8:00 p. m., followed by choir practice.
Buell T. Wells, Pastor

Pentecostal Holiness Church
Sunday Services:
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11 a. m.
Youth meeting 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship 7:30 p. m.
Mid-week service Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Woman's Auxiliary meets on Thursday, 1 p. m.
Prayer changes things for soul and body—1 Thes. 5:23.
Arohle Cooper, Pastor

Alanreed Baptist Church
Sunday:
Sunday School 10 a. m.
Morning worship 11 a. m.
Training Union 7 p. m.
Evening worship 8 p. m.
Monday: W. M. S. 2 p. m.
Wednesday:
Prayer meeting 8 p. m.
Come and worship with us. Be among those who say, "I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord."—Psalms 122:1.
R. M. Cole, Pastor



Arrival of spring brings thoughts of vacation plans to millions of high school and college students. "Students planning to work should get social security cards now," advises John R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo Social Security district office. "Having his social security card

Deep In The Heart Of Texas



Texas Longhorn Cavern, the world's third largest cave, is one of the nation's most impressive natural wonders. Over eight miles of its labyrinthian splendor have been explored without an end being reached and the lowest point on the guided tour is an eerie 120 feet below the surface. The cavern is a popular attraction for tourists and sightseers, especially in the summertime, because it is a real cool cave. The temperature inside remains at a comfortable 64 degrees even in the hottest summer weather. Longhorn Cavern is located off U. S. Highway 281 four miles south of Burnet.

with him to show prospective employers may help a student get the job," continued Sanderson, "because most employers now insist on copying the name and number directly from the card for their records. This prevents mistakes in the name and number on the wage reports the employer has to file. As earnings can be credited only when the name and number are correct, and as benefits payable in old-age or to dependent survivors in case of death are based on earnings credited, it is very important that the reports be correct."

Sanderson added that students who had had a social security card before and lost it should apply for a duplicate and not another original card. He explained that having earnings credited to two or more social security numbers could result in earnings credited to one number not being used for benefit purposes. An application for social security card, including duplicates, can be obtained from the Amarillo social security office or any post office.

Nearly all kinds of work a student might do during vacation is now covered by social security, according to Sanderson, including work on farms and ranches when he receives at least \$100 in cash wages from one employer during the year.

Gray County SOIL DISTRICT

A complete soil conservation program for a farm or ranch in the Gray County SDC will consist of a combination of various soil and water conservation practices. This combination is essential in preventing erosion, whether the land is producing grass or cultivated crops.

No single soil conservation practice can control erosion and conserve moisture, that explains why a sloping field needs more protection than terracing, for example, contour cultivation, cover crops, crop rotation and crop residue utilization, all support the practice of terracing. In order to keep terrace ends from washing out, the terraces should be emptied on a good grass sod. In some cases grassed waterways may be needed to carry the water from the terrace system to a natural drain. These waterways are excellent for use as meadow or pasture.

Not all cultivated land, of course, will require all these

practices. Generally speaking, the steeper the land the more conservation measures will be needed for protection. If the land is too steep for safe cultivation, or the soil too shallow, the district recommends that it be returned to grass.

For permanent profitable use, grasslands also require a combination of practices. Regulated grazing, stocking according to forage production, good distribution of water, salt and feeding locations may give and equate protection to grasslands. Enough grass should be left on the land

at all times to protect it from washing or blowing. The most desirable plants should be allowed to reseed. The landowner will need supplement pasture and a good reserve feed supply in order to make the most of his grasslands.

When these practices have been established the landowner can expect not only to have his land protected from erosion but also get greater production. That has been the experience of landowners who have been using soil and water conservation farming and ranching systems.

'Come Next Spring' Coming Next Week To Local Theatre

"Come Next Spring" is a featured attraction at the Derby Drive-In Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday.

Naturalness is a quality that all too often gets lost in Hollywood films. But this production of a simple love story is just right—the houses, the clothes, and the dialogue are perfect for the situation. It occurs in Arkansas and concerns the return of young Matt Ballot (Steve Cochran) to his family.

He's been gone eight years, deserting his wife, Bess (Ann

Sheridan), and mute daughter, Annie (Sherry Jackson). After he became an alcoholic. He returns to find he has a young son, Abraham (Richard Eyer), too. Even though Matt has reformed, Bess is not eager to have him back, but finally hires him as a farm hand. He's not welcomed by the town folk, either, whose memories of him are sharp and not kind. Little by little he proves he's a different Matt and is accepted by all after a daring rescue of Annie.

Whence do you derive the power and privilege of a parent, when you, though an old man, do worse things than your child?—Juvenal.

THAT'S A FACT
GO SOUTH YOUNG MAN!
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MANAGERS
ARE YOU YOUR OWN MANAGER? IF YOU ARE, YOU WILL WANT TO SAVE SENSIBLY AND SYSTEMATICALLY THROUGH U. S. SAVINGS BONDS BOUGHT VIA THE PAYROLL SAVINGS PLAN!

GOLDEN PRESSURE
HERE IS THE FIRST COIN PRESS USED BY THE U.S. MINT. IT WAS HAND OPERATED.

TODAY GOLD COINS ARE MACHINE MADE FROM GOLD STRIPS FED INTO A CUTTING MACHINE. THEY ARE THEN FED INTO A COINAGE PRESS WHICH STAMPS THE ACTUAL IMPRESSION.

PROSPERITY
—IS NOT A PRIVATE AFFAIR. YOU HELP YOUR GOVERNMENT AND THEY HELP YOU IN A PERFECT PARTNERSHIP AND U. S. SAVINGS BONDS MAKE THAT PARTNERSHIP THE SUREST WAY TO PROSPERITY!



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Amarillo - - \$ 1.65	The only way to really see America is close up... but you miss it all when you're forced to keep your eyes on the road. Better take it easy—enjoy all the scenery, aboard a smooth-riding Greyhound. You'll see more—save money, by Greyhound!
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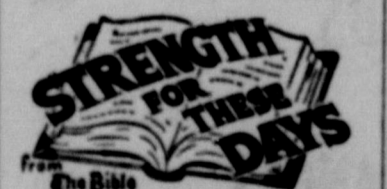
GREYHOUND DRUG Phone 69

THINGS TO TALK ABOUT
BY FRANKLIN J. MERRI
Editor, American Peoples Encyclopedia

The U.S. COAST GUARD LAST YEAR SAVED THE LIVES OF 3,242 PERSONS AND AVERTED THE LOSS OF ALMOST \$200-MILLION WORTH OF CARGO.

A small ATOMIC power plant that can be flown to remote military outposts to generate electric power is being built for the army.

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Coffee Cake With Instant Coffee



KEEP BREAKFAST IN THE COFFEE MOOD by serving coffee cake along with steaming instant coffee. The method we are describing of combining sugar and coffee and sprinkling it over the warm cake, gives just that perfect touch to a breakfast treat. The flavorful instant star-studded coffee so popular with homemakers everywhere, has just made its appearance in an attractive new glass jar. We suggest that you try instant coffee as a flavoring, as well as using it for your favorite beverage—coffee!

QUICK COFFEE CAKE

1/2 package (2 1/4 cups unsifted) instant white cake mix
1/2 cup water
1 egg, unbeaten
3 tablespoons butter, melted
1/4 cup sugar
1 1/2 teaspoons instant coffee
1/4 cup chopped nuts (optional)

Empty cake mix into small mixing bowl. Add water and egg. Beat 2 minutes until smooth and creamy. Pour batter into one 9x9x2 inch square pan, which has been lined on bottom with paper. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 25 to 30 minutes. Drizzle melted butter over warm cake. Combine sugar with the instant coffee; sprinkle over cake. If desired, sprinkle with the chopped nuts. Serve warm. (ANS)

WSCS Has Meeting Tuesday Afternoon

The Methodist WSCS met Tuesday afternoon for Officers Study Course. Mrs. Amos Thacker was in charge. Quarterly reports were made out. The opening song was "Work for the Night Is Coming," followed by the Lord's Prayer in unison. Mrs. Clayton Peabody gave the devotional on "Cures for Our Ills."

Life membership pins and certificates were presented by Mrs. W. E. Bogan to Mrs. Willie Boyett and Mrs. W. L. Hinton. The society presented Mrs. Madge Page, the retiring president, with a crystal cake stand.

Mrs. Page and her vice president, Mrs. Cliff Day, served delicious refreshments to the group.

The society will meet next Wednesday morning at 9:00 o'clock for a pledge service. Thereafter the society will meet at the regular time.

Farm Tractors Can Be Killers

Farm tractor accidents now take more than 1,000 lives annually. A great majority of these lives could have been saved, says W. L. Ulich, extension agricultural engineer, if the tractor had been operated with care and foresight.

From now until "lay-by-time" the farm tractor will be the workhorse on most farms. Operators will spend long hours planting, plowing, applying insecticides and performing the many other jobs

now done with a tractor. Use the tractor safely. Be sure operators are properly instructed and supervised and always remember, points out Ulich, that fatigue is often a factor in farm accidents.

Excessive speed is the number one cause of tractor accidents. The improper use of wheel brakes, rough roads or a quick turn can bring tragedy if the speed is too high.

Far too many teen-age tractor operators are involved in accidents. Work with these youngsters, urges Ulich, and give them instructions and supervision until they are fully qualified. A tractor cannot carry extra passengers safely, and ranking high as a

cause of accidents is the extra rider. Children, in particular, often meet with serious injury or death as extra riders.

About a third of tractor fatalities occur on public roads while many more happen on private lanes and drives. Mile for mile, it is safer points out the specialist, to operate a car on public roads than a tractor. The heavier the traffic, the greater the hazard. Plan farm work so as to reduce the exposure of slow-moving tractor and farm machinery to traffic hazards. If machinery must be on the road after dark, be sure it is properly lighted; white lights on the front and red lights on the rear. Reflective material

applied to tractors and machinery is an added safeguard. A red flag helps to warn motorists of slow-moving equipment during daylight hours. But above all, cautions Ulich, think before doing any job with the tractor. It can be a killer.

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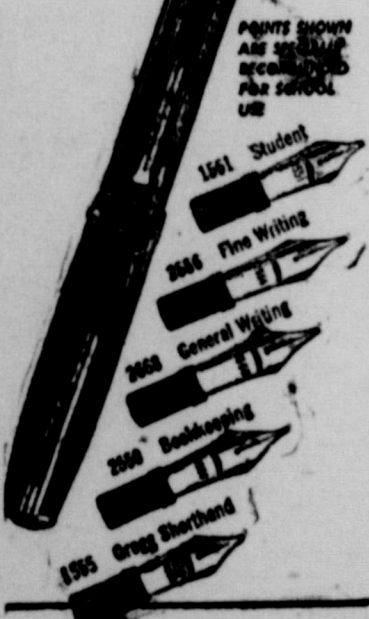
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Sunday School Class Has Picnic Thursday

The Kingdom Seekers Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church went to McClellan Creek for a picnic Thursday, May 24.

The following were in attendance: members, Winnie Martindale, Ella Gail Day, Bobbie Jean Turner, Adella Vineyard, Shirley Gudgel, Judy Day, Lequita Wells, Alice Cunningham, Rita Brown, Louvera Taylor, Michal Massay and Peggy Sharp; the teacher, Mrs. F. E. Stewart; mothers, Mesdames Arnold Sharp, E. D. Brown, Rush Turner and Norris Cunningham; and visitors, Dora Faye Cunningham, Norris Cunningham, Jr., F. E. Stewart, Phyllis and Bonnie Lou Ash, Nancy Meacham, Patsy Rhoden and Ruth Pagan.

Alanreed Club Plans 42 Party Saturday

The Alanreed 20th Century Study Club is sponsoring a progressive 42 party Saturday night, June 2, in the Alanreed gym.

Free refreshments will be served and prizes will be given for high and low point person. There will be no admission charge but a free will offering will be taken. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. The party will begin at 7 o'clock.

Why should there not be a patient confidence in the ultimate justice of the people? Is there a better or equal hope in the world?—Abraham Lincoln.

The legitimate object of government is to do for a community of people whatever they need to have done, but cannot do for themselves.—Abraham Lincoln.

All good things are cheap, all bad things are very dear.—Henry David Thoreau.

SPEAKING & CARDS

DUTCH TREAT

One of the most popular offshoots of the Euchre family of card games is Hasenpfeffer. Like the parent game, this variant was probably developed by the Pennsylvania Dutch. It may have been named after the rabbit dish, hasenpfeffer, which literally translates into "peppered hares." More likely, however, it is derived from the German expression, *hase im pfeffer*, similar to the American expression "in a pickle"—the position in which a player who has been dealt the joker often finds himself.

Hasenpfeffer is a fast-moving partnership game for four. Partners sit opposite each other. A 25-card pack is used, made by discarding all cards below the nine from a standard 52-card pack and adding the joker. The joker is always the highest trump, followed by the Jack of trumps (right bower); Jack of the other suit of the same color as the trump (left bower); A, K, Q, 10, 9. Each player is dealt six cards, three at a time, beginning with the player at dealer's left. The last card

of the pack is placed face down on the table as the widow. There is one round of bidding. Each player in turn, beginning at dealer's left, must pass or make a bid higher than any preceding bid. All bids are made in numbers from one to six without specifying a suit. If all four players pass, the player holding the joker must show it and make a bid of three, which stands. High bidder takes the widow into his hand, names the trump suit, and discards one card face down. Trump maker leads the play with any card. Each other hand must follow suit if able; if unable, a hand may play any card. A trick is won by the highest trump, or if it contains no trump, by the highest card of the suit led. Winner of a trick leads to the next. Object of play is to win 10 points in tricks, each trick counting one point. If the side that made the trump wins at least the number of tricks bid, it scores one point for every trick taken. If it fails to make the bid, the amount of the bid is deducted from its score. In either case, the other side scores one point for each trick it has taken. Official rules for playing Hasenpfeffer, along with excellent pointers on play of the game, may be obtained by sending a card or letter to Playing Cards, 420 Lexington Avenue, New York 17, N. Y.

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For Sale—The house we are now living in. See George Terry. Carpets in living room, 1 bedroom and hall. 49-tfc



What? Know ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost which is in you, which ye have of God, and ye are not your own?—(1 Corinthians 6, 19.)

St. Paul reminds us that the Heavenly Father created us in His image, that He dwells within us as our souls. Our sins and transgressions, therefore, are against Him; in love and humility we must seek His forgiveness, pray for His guidance and help.

We are headquarters for container grown roses—may be put out any time. See our selection. James Feed Store, 522 So. Cuyler, Pampa, Texas. 22-tfc

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MISCELLANEOUS

Fried chicken served daily. Baked chicken served on Sunday. Howdy Cafe. 11-tfc

Will do saw filing. J. E. Smith, Phone 30W. 13-tfc

NO. 1940
 ESTATE OF MRS. MATTIE GRAHAM, DECEASED
 IN THE COUNTY COURT OF GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS, IN MATTERS PROBATE.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF MRS. MATTIE GRAHAM, DECEASED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that original letters testamentary upon the Estate of Mrs. Mattie Graham, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 21st day of May, 1956, by the County Court of Gray County, Texas. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to Bruce Graham, Canadian, County of Hemphill, State of Texas, within the time prescribed by law. My post office address is Bruce Graham, Canadian, Texas.

BRUCE GRAHAM
SYBIL GRAHAM HENSLEY
 Joint Independent Executors of the Estate of Mrs. Mattie Graham, Deceased 21-4

ESTATE OF OLEN C. WALKER, DECEASED

NO. 1953, IN PROBATE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS
NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF OLEN C. WALKER, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Administration upon the Estate of OLEN C. WALKER, Deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 14th day of May, 1956, by the County Court of Gray County, Texas. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address is 613 North Dwight Street, Pampa, Gray County, Texas.

/s/ **GERTHA WALKER**,
 Administratrix of the Estate of Olen C. Walker, Deceased. 22-4c

Celebration Pie for 4th of July



HERE'S A CULINARY FIRECRACKER that will go over with a bang. The crust is a delicious "no-bake" combination of chocolate and coconut which can be made in advance and chilled in the refrigerator. At serving time, fill the crunchy, chocolate-rich crust with vanilla ice cream and red cherry sundae sauce.

FOURTH OF JULY PIE

Chocolate Coconut Crust 1 qt. Vanilla Ice Cream Cherry Sundae Sauce

Chocolate Coconut Crust. Melt 2 squares unsweetened chocolate and 2 tablespoons butter in top of double boiler, stirring until blended. Combine 2 tablespoons hot milk or water and 1/2 cup sifted confectioners' sugar. Add to chocolate mixture, stirring well. Add 1 1/2 cups tender-thin flaked coconut and mix well. Spread on bottom and sides of greased 9-inch pie pan. Chill until firm. (Do not freeze).

Let chilled crust stand at room temperature 5 to 10 minutes before serving; then fill with vanilla ice cream, and top with Cherry Sundae Sauce. Serve immediately.

Cherry Sundae Sauce. Drain 1 No. 2 can red sour pitted cherries, packed in syrup, and measure juice, adding water to make 1 cup, if necessary. Combine 1/2 cup sugar, 2 tablespoons cornstarch and dash of salt in saucepan. Add cherry juice and water gradually, stirring constantly. Cook over low heat until mixture is thickened and clear, stirring constantly. Add 1 teaspoon lemon juice and cherries. (A few drops of red coloring may be added, if desired.) Chill. Makes about 2 cups sauce. (ANS)

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The McLean News is authorized to announce the following candidates for the office under which their names appear, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held July 28, 1956.

For Representative (87th Dist):
GRAINGER McILHANY
 (Re-Election)

JOHNNY WILLS

For Constable, Precinct 5:
J. D. FISH
 (Re-Election)

For Sheriff of Gray County:
R. H. (Rufe) JORDAN
 (Re-election)

For County Attorney:
DON CAIN
 (Re-Election)

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
JACK BACK
 (Re-Election)

Justice waits, and is used to waiting; and right wins the everlasting victory.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Man is unjust, but God is just; and finally justice triumphs.—Longfellow.

Governments are necessarily continuing concerns. They have to keep going in good times and in bad.—Calvin Coolidge.

Wiley Post made the first solo flight around the world in July, 1933.

Lindbergh received the first Distinguished Flying Cross awarded by the U. S.

THE OLD TIMER



"It's a wise man who won't let yesterday use up too much of his today."



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the usual time—the September convention. Meanwhile, the May convention is not adjourned—merely recessed. This is interpreted as a "foot in the door" to keep watch over the present committee during the summer.

Defeated conservatives say that Shivers conservatives and Johnson conservatives will soon be back in the same camp. They think it can happen in time to shift party control again in the September convention.

New Tax Suggested
 When the 55th Legislature convenes next January, the biggest bugaboo will be a familiar one—need for more money.

Budget estimates indicate at least \$25 million more a year will be needed for 1957-59 appropriations.

Campaign platforms of legislative candidates show that many think existing tax sources are paying as much as they can. Many suggest that new revenue sources should be found to equalize the load. Few are very specific.

A concrete suggestion came last week from a University of Texas economics professor writing for "Comment," the Bureau of Public Affairs monthly. A "business activities" tax was proposed by Carey C. Thompson.

Such a tax, said Thompson, would be based on value added to a product by manufacture and hence would hit "only newly-created wealth hitherto untaxed."

Michigan, he said, collects about \$30 million a year by this means.

Alternate proposals, such as income or sales taxes, widely used

in other states, have always met with strong opposition in Texas.

"Right-to-Work" Law Hit
 Labor leaders are elated, state officials grim over the crippling of Texas' "right-to-work" law.

U. S. Supreme Court last week ruled such state laws cannot apply in the railroad industry. They are superseded by the National Railway Labor Act which authorizes closed shop contracts.

Said Attorney General John Ben Shepperd: It means "railroad workers must join unions or go hungry. A man who is refused the right to work unless he supports certain organizations cannot exercise any of the other rights guaranteed by the constitution."

Jerry Holleman, executive secretary of Texas AFL, called the decision "a great step forward. Texas Federation believes Congress should extend this same protection to the rest of the workers in the country."

Old Debts Collected
 A state auditor's survey of the General Land Office resulted in payment of some long overdue debts to the school land fund.

State Auditor C. H. Cavness released a report covering the three-year period just prior to Bascom Giles' resignation. It had turned up 24 mineral leases on

which annual rental payments were in arrears. These were called to the attention of land office personnel, and collections of \$9,373, plus \$402 interest, were made.

Cavness noted that J. Earl Rudder, appointed to succeed Giles as land commissioner, has sought to improve lease handling insofar as funds permit.

Restrictive legislative appropriations cause the office to be understaffed, the auditor commented.

New Freeways Approved
 Two new freeway projects were given State Highway Commission okay.

One is to be 33 miles long on U. S. 81, from Laredo to the La Salle County line. Another multi-lane stretch of 11 miles is planned west of Mineral Wells.

McLEAN LIONS CLUB
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