



PLAIN TALK

By BILL PERKINS

This weekend promises to be a busy one for everybody in McLean beginning tonight and continuing through Sunday. If the weatherman will just be kind now everything else seems to be under control.

The newspaper from our own hometown back in East Texas tells us that "Mud in Your Eye" is no longer the favorite expression of folks down there. Over 44 inches of rain has been recorded there so far this year.

H. M. Baggerly's Tulsa Herald carried this story recently:

Our sympathy goes to W. H. Graham's State Line Tribune over at Farwell where someone overturned a barrel of ink in the back shop last week.

The incident caused Graham to recall the story about the mother who took her four-year-old son on a tour of a newspaper plant. The lad climbed atop a barrel of ink, lost his balance, and plunged in—head first!

The mother dashed to the floundering boy's rescue, and pulled him up from the inky morass about four inches. Then she heaved a deep sigh and let him back down in the ink.

"Why didn't you pull him out while you had hold of him?" asked a printer in amazement.

"Well," she said, "I took one look at that boy and decided it would be less trouble to have another one than to clean that one up!"

Don't forget to see Sammy and Johnny Haynes and Felton Webb on Channel 4 tomorrow at 12:30 noon.

CHRISTIE RITES HELD HERE SATURDAY

Funeral services for Slaton J. R. Christie of Bartlesville, Okla., a former resident of McLean, were held at 2:30 p. m. Saturday at the First Baptist Church here with Rev. Vergal Smith officiating.

Mr. Christie died May 28 in Memorial Hospital at Bartlesville. He was born September 2, 1918, at Clarendon.

He was a construction worker and married Miss May Lorene Turner of Lefors June 27, 1936. He was a member of a Baptist church.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. May Lorene Christie of Bartlesville; four sons, Chris, Marcus, John and Morris, all of Bartlesville; three daughters, Mrs. Joe Chavado of Pampa, Katriela and Berdina Christie of Bartlesville; his mother, Mrs. Oma Taylor of Borger; four brothers, Ernest of Pampa, Garth of Riviera, Calif., John and Edward of Borger; four sisters, Mrs. William Lynn of Morganfield, Ky., Mrs. Jairrel Moore of Amarillo, Mrs. L. D. Moore of Hedley and Mrs. W. T. Martin of Guthrie, Okla.; and three grandchildren.

Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery under the direction of Richerson-Lamb Funeral Home.

Social Security Man To Be in McLean Next Wednesday

Curtis M. Watts, field representative of the Amarillo social security office, will be in McLean on June 12 at the City Hall from 2:00 p. m. to 3:00 p. m.

Mr. Watts can furnish any assistance or information which would be available in the Amarillo office. If you wish to file a claim for social security benefits, apply for an account number card, change of name card or an employer identification number, or merely seek information about social security, you should contact the representative.

Rainfall Measures 17.38" for Year

McLean had received 17.38 inches of rain Wednesday afternoon since January 1, 1957, according to the city rain gauge records maintained by Pete Fulbright.

On this same date a year ago only 7.58 inches of rain had been recorded.

LOCAL AND HOME NEWS

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YOUTH RECREATION PROGRAM IS OUTLINED FOR SUMMER

Dale Parvin, who is in charge of the Youth Summer Recreation program in McLean, has announced a tentative schedule of events. Regarding the program, Mr. Parvin made the following statement:

"The Softball League of the summer recreation program is tentatively set for opening night on June 17 at 6:00 p. m.

"This summer we hope to have four teams consisting of boys 9 through 12, and three or four teams of boys 13 through 16. Each team will play once or twice a week for six weeks. At the end of the six weeks of League play, the top two teams in each division will have a Little World Series to decide the League champion. This series will be played on Monday and Tuesday; if a third game is necessary it will be played on Wednesday.

On Friday of the seventh week there will be an ALL-STAR game in each division. Each ALL-STAR team will consist of 18 players selected by the managers.

"In order to create more interest in the program we are attempting to secure a local business house to sponsor each team and one or two men to manage each team. Any business house that wishes to sponsor a team, or any man who wishes to manage a team, is asked to call Dale Parvin at 50 or 253W on Friday or Monday.

"All interested boys in the age group 9-12, are asked to meet at the City Park tennis court at 6:00 p. m. Monday, June 10, for registration. All boys in the age group 13-16, are to meet the same night at 6:45. In case of inclement weather, the meeting will be on Tuesday.

"The McLean News will carry the team rosters, sponsors and managers in the June 13 edition. "Other events of the summer program will also be carried in this paper."



DALE PARVIN Youth supervisor

VILLAGE



GOSSIP (More or Less)

The annual Alanreed Homecoming will be held Sunday, June 9. The program will start at 11:00 o'clock and lunch will be at 12:00.

Everyone is invited to attend and bring a basket lunch.

A meeting will be held Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock in the high school homemaking department for adults interested in taking a sewing course. Mrs. Dee Coleman will be the instructor. Everyone interested is urged to attend.

66 Roundup and Rodeo Set To Begin Here Tomorrow

GRAND OLE OPRY SHOW TO BE AT HIGH SCHOOL TONIGHT

FUNERAL HELD SATURDAY FOR MRS. PURCELL

Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah Deliah Elizabeth Purcell were held at 2:30 p. m. Saturday at the First Baptist Church in Lela with Rev. Tom Burns, pastor, officiating.

Mrs. Purcell died Friday at the Groom Hospital. She was born February 15, 1875, in Birmingham, Ala., and moved to Wheeler County in 1898 from Decatur.

She was married to J. D. Purcell in 1893, and was a member of the First Baptist Church in Lela.

She is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Ernest Godfrey of McLean, Mrs. J. C. Bumpass and Mrs. L. D. Bumpass of Lubbock, and Mrs. H. W. McCafferty of Colorado Springs, Colo.; two sons, Troy Purcell of Amarillo and Claude Purcell of San Juan, N. M.; one brother, Cleburne Scroggins of Fordice, Ark.; 28 grandchildren and 31 great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Lela Cemetery under the direction of Richerson-Lamb Funeral Home of McLean.

Simmons Installed As New Member of McLean Lions Club

Ted Simmons, operator of the Dair-O Drive-In, Tuesday became a new member of the McLean Lions Club. Lion Simmons was installed by Lion Ralph Thomas of Pampa, who was a guest of the club at the Tuesday noon meeting.

Four other guests were present at the meeting. Wallace Grimsley and Jesse Coleman were guests of Lion Dee Coleman, Ben Butler of Amarillo was a guest of Lion Howard Williams, and Lion Elvin R. Higgins of Lubbock was a guest of Lion Boss George Saunders.

The program consisted of sound film in color of activities at the Lions Camp for Crippled Children at Kerrville. Lion Boyd Meador was in charge of the program.

Lion C. P. Hamilton of the rodeo committee gave a report on progress of the event. Lion Hamilton said that everything was in readiness except for a few last minute details which would be taken care of before the first performance Friday afternoon.

A short directors meeting followed the regular luncheon.

Substitute Clerk Opening Exists At Post Office

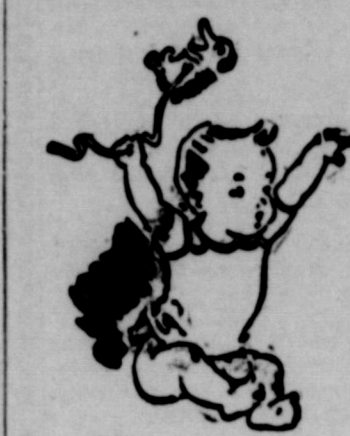
The U. S. Civil Service Commission has announced examinations for substitute clerk at \$1.82 per hour for employment in the McLean post office.

Further information and application forms may be obtained at the post office or from the regional director, Eighth U. S. Civil Service Region, Room 103, 1114 Commerce Street, Dallas.

The secret of success in life is for a man to be ready for his opportunity when it comes.—Disraeli.

FIRST SHOW ON FRIDAY NIGHT; PARADE IS SATURDAY MORNING

Hundreds of visitors are expected in McLean this weekend to attend the four performances of the McLean 66 Roundup and Rodeo, to be staged Friday and Saturday nights at 8:00 and Saturday and Sunday afternoons at 2:30.



At Home—

NEW BOSS

Janna Kay was born May 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Mabry McMahan of Richland, Wash. She weighed 9 pounds, 4 1/2 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McMahan of Amarillo. Both McMahan families are former residents of McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Light of Stinnett are the parents of a daughter, Donna Devonn, born Sunday afternoon at Highland General Hospital in Pampa. She weighed 7 pounds, 9 1/2 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Light of Panhandle and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stubblefield of McLean. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Cline and Mrs. J. M. Stubblefield of Amarillo. G. A. French of Springfield, Ore., is the great-great-grandfather.

McLean Hospital-Clinic to Re-Open Here Tomorrow

The McLean Hospital-Clinic is scheduled to re-open for business Friday, June 7.

Dr. H. F. Fabian, his wife and two children moved to McLean earlier this week.

The Fabians moved here from Pampa, where he has been associated with the Overton Clinic for the past three and a half years.

One of the highlights of the weekend events will be the parade in downtown McLean Saturday morning at 11:00 o'clock. Other features include registration of all old-timers Friday and Saturday afternoons at Cooke Chevrolet Company and the Gray County Grand Ole Opry, featuring Panhandle talent with Honest Jess as master of ceremonies which will be the first event and is scheduled for tonight at 8:00 o'clock in the high school auditorium.

Two booster trips advertising the rodeo were held last Saturday and Monday. The trip south, headed by Deputy Sheriff Jimmy Shelton, was made Saturday.

Constable J. D. Fish led a second group Monday which went north and into a portion of Oklahoma. Although rain fell several times during the trips, both were termed successful by those making the tours.

The rodeo will feature a \$1800 purse with trophy buckles going to the event winners, plus a trophy saddle going to the all-round cowboy and another saddle to the cowboy with the best average in two ropings.

Each event will have a \$300 purse and entry fee is \$15 for each event. Events include saddle bronc riding, bareback bronc riding, bull riding, calf roping, double mugging and bulldogging.

Stock will be furnished by Tom Harlan of Kellerville. Dances will be held Friday and Saturday nights following rodeo performances. The dances will be in the American Legion Hall and music will be by Clevy Hancock and his Top o' Texas Dance-boys. Admission to the dance is \$1.50 for men, and ladies will be admitted free.

Children who will ride bicycles in the parade are urged to meet at the north side of the City Park Saturday morning with Principal Dale Parvin. A prize will be given for the best decorated bicycle in the parade.

July Draft Quota Is 661 for Texas

The state quota for Texas draft boards in July call for 661 men, Col. Morris S. Schwartz, state selective service director, said this week.

The state's July call of 661 compares with a quota of 661 for June, 662 for May, and 661 for April. The July call is the state's share of a national call for 13,000 men.

Local board quotas for July induction and pre-induction examination are scheduled to be mailed from state selective service headquarters on June 5.

The July quota will be filled with men who are at least 22 years old on July 1, with the exception of volunteers or delinquents, who may be younger.

ATTEND PANHANDLE BANKER'S CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allison and Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Whaley attended the Panhandle Banker's convention held in Amarillo Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

An excellent program and business session were reported and Jim Edd Waller, Lubbock banker, was elected president of the association for the coming year.

REVEILLE



... with the boys

Rex Back and Larry Smith left Monday for Camp Chaffee, Ark., to take their basic training for the armed forces.

Back is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Back and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. John Gudgel, and Smith is the son of Riley Smith.

A/3e Bobby J. Boyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd of Kellerville, has received a higher job in the Air Force office in Bermuda where he is stationed. He was chosen for the job on his ability to handle men and bookkeeping. Boyd is the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Rush Turner of McLean.

T/Sgt. and Mrs. Earl Boyd and sons visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd, at Kellerville last week. They returned to their home at Biggs AF Base at El Paso last Friday.

BIRTHDAYS

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

June 10—Mrs. Homer Abbott, Frank Hambricht, C. M. Jones, June 11—Mrs. Harlon Pool, Leota Adams, Martha Campbell, Cliff Callahan.

June 12—E. J. Windom, Jr., Betty Pearson, Carey Don Smith, June 13—Marjorie Fowler, June 14—June Elaine Hugg, June 15—J. A. Brawley, Mrs. C. M. Carpenter, LaVerne Hutchison, Mrs. Owen Rhea.

William Henry Harrison held the shortest term of any U. S. President. He died one month after taking office.

Personal

Mrs. Corinne Trimble was in Oklahoma City over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace M. Petty of Altus, Okla., were visitors at the home of his brother, Luther Petty, Thursday.

Mrs. Duwayne Blackshear and daughter of Spade visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Josh Chilton, last week. Mr. Blackshear spent the weekend in the Chilton home and Mrs. Blackshear and daughter returned home with him.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. (Bill) Green of Roseville, Calif., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Green, over the Memorial Day weekend. Other visitors in the Green home were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Graves of Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Carroll of Panhandle, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Green of McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Tillman and son of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Basil Pettit and children of White Deer and Mrs. Golda Fay Goodman and son of Los Angeles, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith, Jr., and son of Alamogordo, N. M., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Estes and daughter of Borger visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Duncan, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Omie Caress of Shamrock visited their daughter, Mrs. Doyle Sparlin, and family Sunday.

Mrs. Harold Butrum was in Oklahoma City over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Dusty Rhodes were in Clarendon Memorial Day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scott visited their daughter, Mrs. Bill Rigdon, and family in Borger Sunday.

W. J. Chilton of California visited last week in the Josh Chilton home.

Miss Nancy Meacham is spending two weeks in Tulsa visiting Miss Penny Rogers.

Glenda Switzer of Oklahoma City spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Switzer, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Wilson and children of Fort Worth spent Saturday and Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wilson.

Marie Watson is home for the summer from Abilene Christian College in Abilene.

Those in Raton, N. M., last week were E. J. Windom, Jr., Bill Cash, Clyde Brown, Custer Lowary, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cooke and Mr. and Mrs. Joe McDowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Smith were in Colorado and Oklahoma City last week on business.

Bob Stubbsfield is in Lubbock a few days this week.

Gayle Mullanax left Wednesday for Lubbock, where he will attend Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Page and daughter, Iris Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cooper of Pampa visited Mrs. Madge Page and Mr. and Mrs. Amos Page Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennedy and family of Quail visited his mother, Mrs. W. E. Kennedy, Sunday.

Mrs. Pearl Burr returned home Saturday after spending two weeks in Electra visiting her twin sister, Mrs. W. C. Davis. She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chesher and Betty of Holliday.

Dr. and Mrs. Joe Suderman and girls attended the wedding of his cousin, Orville Glenn Newfeld at Weatherford, Okla., Tuesday night of last week. Dr. Suderman's mother, Mrs. Katherine Suderman, accompanied them home to spend several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Petie Everett and son, Perry, and Mrs. Luella Gaines visited in Houston last week with Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Vogt and family and other relatives; also in Lamarque with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Everett, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob James went to Pampa Monday afternoon. Mr. James entered the hospital for a few days.

Mrs. Luther Petty attended a WMS meeting in Shamrock Monday afternoon and visited with friends.

Mrs. Farris Hess and daughter, Nancy Jean, were in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Spear and children of Waverly, Iowa, are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wilson.

Mrs. C. A. Farley and children, Patsy and Mike, of Merkel visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Eartaman, last week.

On December 27, 1776, George Washington was made dictator of the United States—the only one we have ever had.

Thomas Jefferson started the Democratic party in 1793 when he resigned from Washington's cabinet and formed his own political party.

QUICK SERVICE

RUBBER STAMPS

Made to Order

The McLean News

Phone 47

McLEAN, TEXAS

NEWS FROM KELLERVILLE

Vacation Bible School closed Friday. An enrollment of 78 was reported with a daily average of 67.

Mrs. Vestal Gene Bailey is home from Highland General Hospital.

Mrs. Linn Ladd is in Highland General Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brown and family and Miss Carolyn Tinkler spent the Memorial Day holidays with Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Henry, at Chillicothe.

Call 47 for classified ads.

Caroline Stokes Receives Awards

Caroline Stokes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Stokes, was presented a certificate for junior high school voice recital Sunday afternoon at the Musical Arts Conservatory commencement held at the Playhouse in Amarillo. Miss Stokes also received a certificate of honor for being a soloist for the Amarillo Symphony. A musical program was presented by representatives of the different department levels, and presentations of certificates, diplomas and degrees were made.

Character is the result of two things: mental attitude and the way we spend our time.—Elbert Hubbard

CARD OF THANKS
We want to thank all our friends for the nice food that was brought in following the death of our dear nephew, Slaton Christie.
The Families of
Ples Rhea
Cleo Edwards
J. A. Meador
Hugh J. Grogan

You cannot dream yourself into a character; you must hammer and forge one for yourself.—Froude.

McLEAN LIONS CLUB
1st and 3rd
Tuesdays
12:05 p. m.
McLean Methodist Church
Visitors Welcome

BEETLE BAILEY by MORT WALKER

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The **BEST PICNIC**

MANY FINE GIFTS FOR YOUR PICNICS
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Finest Quality **MEATS**

Armour's
Bacon 2 lb pkg. \$1.15

Armour's Star
Franks All Meat 1 lb 49c

Chunk o' Gold
Cheese 8 oz. pkg. 39c

COFFEE Your Choice 1 lb 95c

SUGAR 10 lb 99c

TIDE Giant size 73c
King size \$1.23

Garden Fresh **VEGETABLES**

Fancy California Kentucky
Green Beans 2 lb for 35c

U. S. No. 1 Arizona
New Potatoes 2 lb bag 17c

Tomatoes 1 lb cello. pkg. 27c

SPUDS Long White 10 lb sack 47c

Gold Medal 5 lb sack | Aunt Jemima 5 lb sack
Flour 49c | **Meal** 43c

Miracle Whip Kraft Salad Dressing quart 57c

Kraft 12 oz. pkg. CHOCOLATE FUDGIES 29c	Pot MILK 2 tall cans 29c	Sunshine MARSHMALLOWS 1 lb pkg. 29c	Armour's TREET can 45c	Armour's CHOPPED BEEF can 35c
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SPECIALS GOOD FRI., SAT., JUNE 7, 8, 1957

PUCKETT'S GROCERY & MARKET

Armour's BEEF STEW 1 1/2 lb can 42c	Armour's POTTED MEAT 3 cans 27c	Armour's VIENNAS 2 cans 35c	Sunshine CRACKERS 2 lb pkg. 53c
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BEETLE BAILEY by MORT WALKER

FOR COMPLETE ALL-AROUND PROTECTION I WEAR MY U.S. SAVINGS BONDS BENEATH MY BULLET-PROOF VEST!

POW BOOM

BEETLE BAILEY by MORT WALKER

I'VE DISCOVERED THE PERFECT PHYSICAL TEST! IF THEY CAN'T SEE THAT U.S. SAVINGS BOND THEY HAVE POOR VISION, A WEAK HEAD AND THEIR HEARTS IN THE WRONG PLACE!

To improve the golden moment of opportunity and catch the good that is within our reach, is the great art of life.—Johnson.

GIFT WRAPPING

Paper and Ribbon
Ideal for men's gift wrapping and others.
Come by and see me for wrapping.

**MARGARET'S
GIFT SHOP**



Satan: "What are you laughing at?"
Imp: "Oh, I just had a woman locked in a room with a thousand hats and no mirror."

Cemetery ad: "Opening for man interested in New Field where he can retire gracefully."

Detective: "You're looking for your cashier? Is he tall or short?"
Banker: "Both!"

You can look anywhere you choose but you won't find better products or service than we offer at our Chevron station.

**Chevron Gas
Station**

ODELL MANTOOTH

Civil Defense Gets 37-Millionth Chevrolet



The nation's civil defense program was spotlighted as Chevrolet Motor Division marked production of its 37-millionth vehicle. The milestone unit, a four-wheel drive Chevrolet truck, was turned over to the Federal Civil Defense Administration recently at the company's Willow Run, Mich., truck assembly plant. E. N. Cole, left, Chevrolet general manager, and Val Peterson, FCDA national administrator, examine gear from a rescue kit near the 37-millionth vehicle.

**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.

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Morning Worship 10:55 a. m.
MY Fellowship 6:00 p. m.
Evening services 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.
Jack Riley, Pastor

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.

Church of Christ
Sunday Services:
Bible School 10 a. m.
Preaching 10:50 a. m.
Communion 11:45 a. m.
Young People's Classes 6:00 p. m.
Evening preaching 7:00 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 one . . . some.
J. F. Doggett, Minister

Church of the Nazarene
Sunday Services:
Sunday School 10 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m.
Evening worship 6:30 p. m.
Wednesday:
Mid-week prayer service 7:00 p. m.
Missionary service each 2nd Wednesday
Come and Get Your Faith Lifted.
W. E. Bond, 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 7:15 p. m.
Prayer meeting and Bible study

at 8:00 p. m., followed by choir practice.
Jesse Leonard, 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.
Leon Bird, Pastor

Alamreed 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. U. 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.
John I. Herndon, Pastor

KELLERVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching Hour 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 6:30 p. m.
Evening Services 7:30 p. m.
J. R. Lawson, Pastor

**No Bids Received
On Bonds Offered
By Vets Land Board**

Anticipated acceleration in the purchase of land by veterans under the new 100 million bond issue that was authorized by the voters last November received a temporary setback last week. The first 12½ million dollars worth of bonds were offered for sale but no bids were received. In a joint statement issued by Land Commissioner Earl Rudder, who is chairman of the Veterans' Land Board, and citizen members, Everett Page of Carthage and William Gossett of El Campo, the failure to find a purchaser was due to the condition of the stock market. The money market has been tight for some time and conditions have not improved sufficiently to make the sale possible under the limitations imposed on it. The interest rate that may be paid by the board is limited to three per cent by the constitution and the market has not responded favorably. The first issue of bonds will be advertised again when more improved conditions in the money market became apparent.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Gunn and baby of El Paso have moved to McLean for the summer. They visited in Pampa Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Scotty McDonald and children. They were accompanied by Mrs. Odessa Gunn and grandson, Jimmy McCarty.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Dickinson and daughter, Nancy visited in Dallas last week.

Mrs. Allen Wilson of Amarillo spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. E. J. Windom, Jr., and family.

Joel David Meacham is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Ollie Meacham, in Turkey this week.

Mrs. Hershel McCarty and son, Joel, visited in Ponca City, Okla., the latter part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carpenter and sons.

LIST 25,000 BRANDS

The State of Utah has about 25,000 livestock brands and marks registered under its livestock branding laws. The state's predecessor, the Provisional State of Deseret, recorded its first brand December 29, 1847, to Willard Richards, a leader of the Mormon (Latter-Day Saints Church) migration to the west. The second brand issued was to Brigham Young, the pioneer leader.

LEARNS SLOWLY

A Sterling, Colo., school teacher sent a small boy out into the hall because he had been naughty in class. She told him he could return and apologize after he had learned his lesson. After considerable time had passed the teacher went to the boy and wanted to know why he had not returned. "I'm staying out here until I learn my lesson," the 6-year-old explained, "and I ain't learned it yet."

**ALL TYPES OF
INSURANCE
and
REAL ESTATE**

**FRIENDLY PERSONAL
SERVICE
BOYD MEADOR
PHONE 44**

BIBLE TALK

(1 Pet. 4:11)

Paul said, "There is one Lord." (Eph. 4) In God's plan for unity in religion this means there is ONE AUTHORITY to whom all must adhere, or give heed. That one is Jesus who has been given all authority in heaven and on the earth. (Matt. 28:19) "When all men see things alike; then one man is doing all the thinking." Senator Lyndon B. Johnson, 11/18/53. This is exactly right with reference to the all authority of Jesus. When we let the Lord do our thinking in religion we can be united, but when men begin trying to do our thinking in religion the result is denominational division as we see it demonstrated all around us today. Jesus Christ is the King over his kingdom, the church. Not only is he King, but he is an Absolute Monarch and his kingdom is an Absolute Monarchy. Jesus has made the law to govern his people—that law is the N. T. scriptures. This means that man has no authority to legislate in religion. All councils, conferences, synods, and such like, convened for the purpose of religious legislation are not only sinful in themselves, but are in direct opposition to the all authority of Jesus. Men are trying to do their own thinking instead of letting Jesus do it. Long ago God settled this for all who believe and respect His word when he said through his prophet Jeremiah, "O Lord, I know that the way of man is not in himself; it is not in man that walketh to direct his steps." (Jer. 10:23) Yet man continues to try it and seeks to justify it on the grounds that we can't all see it alike. There is one thing sure and it will continue to be sure; men cannot all see the teaching of Jesus alike, and view it through human creeds and doctrines. Every denomination has its human creed, or it would not and could not exist. If these are cast aside the denomination would lose its identity. If all would cast aside human authority (creeds of men) and respect the ALL AUTHORITY of Jesus, denominationalism would cease to exist. But like the Pharisees of old they love their creeds more than God's word. More to follow next week. Direct all inquiries to P. O. Box 155.

Back in McLean

**I HAVE RE-PURCHASED
THE McLEAN LAUNDRY**

I will be glad to have all my friends and customers back and will try to give the same good service as in the past.

Versie Grigsby

**McLean
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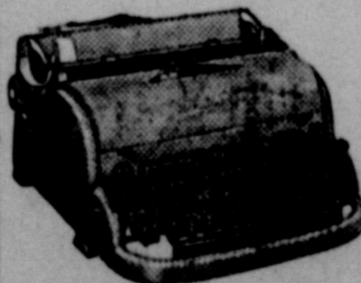
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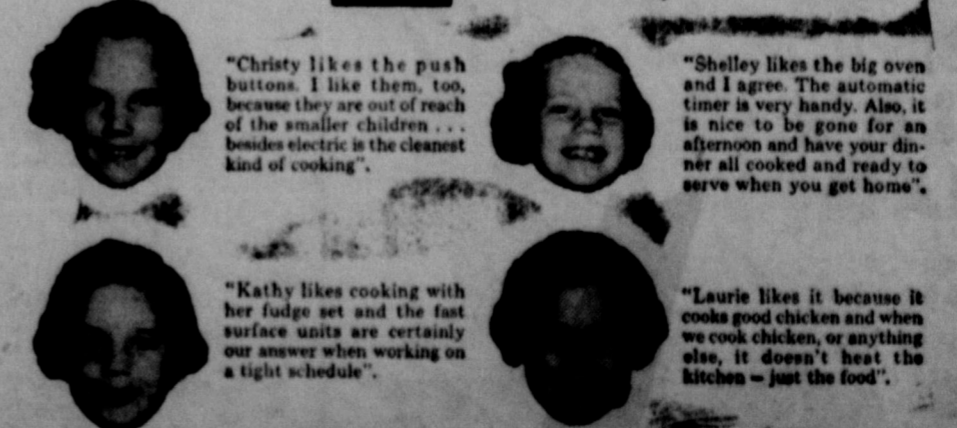
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Baptist Women's Missionary Society Meets Tuesday

The Baptist WMS met in the church basement Tuesday night for the regular monthly business session and mission program.

Mrs. R. L. McDonald, president, was in charge of the business, with Mrs. Joe Suderman reading the minutes. Prayer was led by Mrs. L. F. Giesler.

The mission program was under the direction of Mrs. Luther Petty, program chairman of the Lena Lair circle. The subject was "Fountain of Youth." The devotional, "Christ's Call to Youth," was given by Gail Day. Impersonations were given, and songs and other numbers were given by members of the G. A., R. A. and Sunbeams, and a group of young people, and a brief message by the pastor, Jesse Leonard.

Mrs. McDonald conducted a period of dedication to close the program. Coffee and doughnuts were served by the Brotherhood.

Ladies present were Mesdames McDonald, Petty, Giesler, Suderman, Morris Brown, Joe Smith, J. Boyd Smith, J. M. Stevens, Walter Simmons, Lonnie Day, Frank Simpson, David Dwight, W. C. Simpson, Fannie Dan Allsup, E. L. Price, Jesse Leonard, Boyd Reeves, Leo Gibson, Howard Williams, Bula Kunkel, Homer Abbott, Clarence Voyles, George Colebank, O. L. Tibbets, and Frank Howard.

Shower Honors Mrs. Wesley Sharp

A pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Wesley Sharp was given May 14 in the home of Mrs. Bill Stubbs. Assistant hostesses were Mesdames Shelton Nash, H. H. Worsham, Jimmie Hill and F. R. Crisp.

The honoree was presented with a corsage of baby socks. Mrs. Hill was in charge of games, with the winners presenting the prizes won to the honoree. Mrs. Nash read a beautiful poem.

The serving table was centered with a large white stork surrounded by pink and white carnations. Pink punch and cookies fed in pink and blue were served. Attending or sending gifts were Mesdames J. L. Shields, J. D.

Fish, Sr., Frank Hambricht, Lora Tindall, J. J. Palmer, A. H. Moran, Robert Bruce, Paul Bruce, Delma Butrum, Ad Proel, Howard Miller, L. M. Smith, Mug Castleberry, E. R. Sherrod, Bill Adams, Bill Bob Adams, D. L. Hall, J. D. Fish, Jr., Thelma Phillips, J. D. Carpenter, Earl Johnson.

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Mesdames W. J. Ball, C. P. Hamilton, M. C. Burdine, John Foshee, Everett Hall, Jeannie Chapman, A. M. Chapman, Jess Finley and B. F. Shemwell; Misses Kay Stubbs, Kay Hall and Becky Adams; and Twentieth Century Study Club of Alanreed.

ATTEND REUNION

The following McLean people attended a family reunion in Coleman last weekend: Mrs. Sue VanHuss and Doris, Mrs. R. T. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. George VanHuss and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore and Harl, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Moore and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmus Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Ott Moore and family, and Mr. and Mrs. James Smith and Vickie. They were accompanied by Mrs. T. H. Plum and children of Scott City, Kans., and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Roby and LaVerne Williams of Lubbock.

The reunion was in observance of the 99th birthday of Mrs. G. A. Matthews, mother of Mrs. Sue VanHuss and Mrs. R. T. Moore. Among the more than 100 people attending the reunion was a cousin of Mrs. Matthews, Mrs. Nancy Purcell of Brownwood, who is 92 years of age.

WCS OFFICERS TRAINING
The Methodist WCS met at the church parlor Tuesday morning at 9:30 for officers training.

Ruth Ellen Riley gave the devotional and conducted the training period.

Character is made by what you stand for; reputation by what you fall for.—Alexander Woolcott.

Annual 4-H Roundup At A & M June 11-13

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The final program will be held in the G. Rollie White Coliseum following the barbecue and will feature Chancellor M. T. Harrington of the A & M College system; entertainment provided by the Sears-Roebuck Foundation and the Heart H by 4-H club members.

Personals

Mrs. Pete Fulbright visited in Seminole last week with her daughter, Mrs. Caass Archer, and family.

Pat Miller left Saturday morning for Socorro, N. M., to enter college. He was accompanied to Socorro by his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, his sister and brother, Molly and Worth, and Gayle Mullanax.

WHEAT HARVEST

The Amarillo-Canyon-Vega-Claude areas report some light damage has been caused by rain. Harvest is expected to begin about June 20.

Reports from the Pampa-Canadian area indicate prospects remain good. Harvest should get underway about June 20.

The condition of the crop in the Northern Panhandle remains in from fair to excellent condition. Harvest should get underway about June 25 and continue through July, due to different stages of maturity.

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By Vern Sanford
 Texas Press Association

Special Session
 Fifty-fifth legislators will have a shorter-than-usual "vacation." Gov. Elice Daniel says he will call them back, probably about October, for a special session.

Final score showed 47 out of 51, or better than 90% of the governor's recommended bills passed in the regular session. But the missing 10% are vital, says Daniel. He still wants:

1. His law enforcement commission, a sort of statewide grand jury to investigate official misconduct.
2. A lobbyist registration act, registration of persons who represent others before state agencies and possibly other "better government" bills previously advocated.
3. A state plan for buying water storage space in federal reservoirs. A constitutional amendment to do this died in the past session. Since amendments cannot be considered in a special session, the governor said he is working on a statutory plan—possibly the creation of a statewide water district with authority to issue bonds and levy taxes.
4. Action on "other matters"

that may arise" after the Travis County grand jury reports. Jury is looking into any irregularities that might have caused the ICT payoffs to legislators by the Texas Naturopathic Association. So, instead of the usual post-session lull, the Capitol faces a summer of suspense followed by a frenzied fall.

New Jury at Work
 Texas has generated more troubles than one grand jury could see in two months. Hence, a brand new Travis County jury begins this week where the old one left off after digging away all during April and May.

Its study of ICT's past and naturopathic legislation will probably last all summer.

A Dallas grand jury already has indicted BenJack Cage, one-time ICT manager, on charges of theft and embezzlement. Authorities are trying to get him returned from South America so he can be tried.

Who What, Where and When?
 Texas' off-again, on-again Insurance Commission is still a prime source of speculation.

Past legislature passed laws abolishing the old board and enabling the governor to appoint new members. It also directed the commission to leave within three years from its leased office quarters into a building to be erected with insurance tax revenue. And it passed dozens of new restrictive insurance laws for the new commission to administer.

Old board members Mark Wentz and John Osorio promptly re-

signed. But Gov. Daniel refused to accept their resignations. He said they'd have to stay on until their successors were named.

Then Atty. Gen. Will Wilson ruled the insurance tax revenue couldn't be used for a new building. It goes into the general revenue fund and is already earmarked for other things, he pointed out.

And, until the new commission gets going, insurance men over the state are uncertain as to how to comply in detail with some of the new laws.

Ethics Quandary
 Just who should do what to comply with the new code of ethics is still being discussed in the Capitol.

Some 163 legislators and state officials have given the secretary of state statements about their connections with businesses under state regulation. Assets ranged from Cuban oil companies to small town dry goods stores.

Sec'y of State Zollie Steadley said failure to file such a statement could be grounds for removal from office, but that he didn't have authority to enforce it.

Gov. Daniel said he saw no need for his filing, since the constitution prohibits a governor's serving as office or director of a corporation under state regulation. But he suggested the secretary of state might ask for an attorney general's ruling to clear up other points about the law.

Bonds Go Begging
 First sale of the second \$100,000,000 issue of Texas veterans

land program bonds attracted no takers.

In today's "tight money" market the constitutionally-prescribed 3% interest doesn't lure buyers, said Land Commissioner Earl Rudder.

He said the bonds would not be offered again until conditions improve.

Crops Lag
 After years of longing for water, most Texas farmers are now trying to "recover" from the rains.

State Agriculture Commr. John White estimates flood damage to crops at \$50,000,000 or more. Cotton planting deadlines had to be extended by the state office because farmers were delayed in plowing their wet fields. Even so, some crop loss was foreseen from inability to plant.

In some areas of North Texas small grains were reported hurt by too much water. But dryland cotton farmers in South Texas said they could use a little more moisture.

Texas already has received more rain in the first five months of 1957 than in the entire year of 1956. Sample totals for '57: Dallas, 36 inches; Austin, 24 inches; San Antonio, 19 inches; Greenville, 44 inches.

New Buildings Slated
 From four to six new buildings are to go up soon, moving toward the eventual creation of a "state government center," clustered around the Capitol. In the offing are:

1. A State Courts building, now under construction, to cost about \$3,750,000.

2. A State Office building, for which Legislature which contracts have been let and site-clearing begun to cost about \$4,000,000.
 3. A Central Power building to furnish heat and air conditioning for the Capitol and other buildings. Authorized by Legislature with directive that it be ready by October, 1958.
 4. A State Archives and Library building for which Legislature appropriated \$2,500,000.
 5. A Texas Employment Commission building and an Insurance Commission building. Lawmakers told each to move from rented quarters, but money for new buildings is not immediately available.
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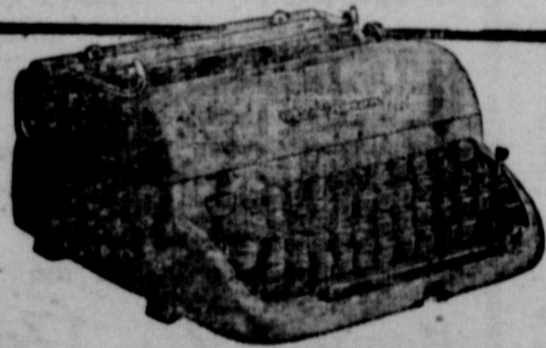
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