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## 14 to 16-Inch Snow Brings Needed Moisture to Area

### CONTENT EQUAL TO 2.33 INCHES OF RAIN

Snowfall measuring 14 to 16 inches covered the ground in McLean and all across the area early this week after one of the most severe winter storms ever recorded here.

The heavy blanket of white melted out to 2.33 inches of most welcome moisture, bringing a reason for rejoicing among area farmers and ranchers—and business people.

Many cattle were left stranded by the heavy snow and high drifts, and some got their first taste of feed Wednesday since the storm began on Monday.

Stranded, too, were hundreds of motorists traveling Highway 66 through this area. A large number rented motel and hotel rooms in McLean and weathered out the storm.

Others, traveling west, attempted to complete their journeys, despite repeated weather warnings, and were forced to find refuge where they could when snow blocked their path.

Snow stopped in the early morning hours Wednesday, and local residents got their first glimpse of the sun in three days shortly before 9 a.m.

The thawing began immediately. By late Wednesday afternoon all main highways and many country roads were open across the Panhandle.

Cold temperatures Wednesday night and this morning, reaching down to 24 degrees here, halted the melting process, and it appears some of the snow will remain for days before the last traces are gone.

Vehicles stranded on the area highways—cars, trucks and buses—were being reclaimed late Wednesday by motorists and travelers eager to continue westward.

Two auto accidents on Highway 66 were blamed on the icy conditions. No one was seriously hurt and property damage was light.

Reed's Station at Jericho—first night stop for McLean's Wagon Train to Amarillo each year—drew the largest number of "overnighters" of any other place during the storm.

**Troopers Snowbound**  
Highway Patrolmen Charles Henderson and R. C. Parker of McLean, themselves stranded by the snow at Jericho Tuesday night—estimated that 300 vehicles stopped at Jericho Monday and Tuesday nights.

Groom, Parker reported, was "flat full of travelers" Wednesday morning.

The patrolmen had gone west to Jericho Tuesday in case their assistance was needed. Snow closed the road behind them, forcing the two to join the throng of travelers.

They followed a snow plow to McLean late Wednesday morning. (See SNOW, Page 5)

### Williams Attending Game Warden School At Texas A and M

Buck Williams of McLean is one of 16 new game wardens enrolled for the spring semester classes at Texas A and M University through a cooperative program with the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Williams and his family moved late last month to Bryan, where they will live while he is attending Texas A and M.

In addition to learning about wildlife management practices, Williams and the other students will take courses such as English, public relations and biology.

The A and M Game Warden School was held for the first time in 1946.

**Rescue Training Course**  
Prior to registering for classes, the rookie game wardens participated in a week-long rescue training course, conducted by the university's Engineering Extension Course.

As state employees, the game wardens are often asked to help during emergencies.

By the time the trainees complete their studies at the university they have been introduced to and prepared for the field work ahead.

They will complete this phase of the training and be ready for assignment by June 1 of this year.

### 'American Heritage' P-TA Meeting Theme

McLean sixth, seventh and eighth graders will perform next Wednesday at the regular P-TA meeting in the high school auditorium.

The program, at 4 p.m., will be under the direction of Mrs. Vera Back with the theme, "American Heritage."

Refreshments are to be served following the program in the grade school cafeteria.

### Board Meets Monday

The regular monthly meeting of the McLean board of education will be at 7 p.m. Monday at the high school home economics room.

**Gray County Sheriff:**  
Rufe Jordan

**County Assessor-Collector:**  
Jack Back

**State Representative:**  
Grainger McIlhenny

**Constable, Precinct 5:**  
J. D. Fish

### WATER WORK BID OPENING NEXT TUESDAY

Bids will be opened at 2 p.m. next Tuesday by the McLean city commission on a new 500,000-gallon water storage tank and the drilling of a water well.

Opening of the proposals is scheduled during the regular monthly meeting of the commission at city hall.

Interested persons and companies have until the time for opening to submit bids.

The successful bidder on the ground storage tank will be required to furnish all labor, material and equipment for installing and equipping the tank.

Recipient of the well contract will be required to drill, equip and complete the well.

The city commission last month voted to install the tank and drill the additional well as parts of a water system improvement project.

**Study City Needs**  
McMorries and Associates, Amarillo consulting engineering firm, was employed to prepare the plans and specifications of the project after studying needs for the water system.

The new tank is to be erected on property recently acquired by the city across the street east of the fire station and city warehouse.

McMorries has estimated that the tank will cost \$25,000, the well \$11,000 and a 1,000-gallon per minute pump \$2,100.

A long-range water system improvement plan was prepared by McMorries, calling for installation of new lines in some areas of the city.

But the governing board decided to delay other improvements until later.

### B Team Tourney Begins at Shamrock

The McLean High School boys and girls B teams see action this afternoon in the first round of the district B tournament at Shamrock.

Both local teams are to face Wellington—the girls at 4 p.m. and the boys at 5:15.

### 2 Candidates File For School Board

Two McLean board of education posts to be filled in this spring's election have drawn their first candidates.

George Orrick, rancher who is currently completing his first term on the board, and Jay Thompson, manager of Southwestern Public Service Co., tossed their hats into the ring.

The school board election is scheduled for Saturday, April 4, with the filing period due to end 30 days before this date.

The three-year terms of Orrick and J. B. Roach are expiring in April. Through Wednesday, there still



**YOUNG CITIZENS:** (Left to right) Bottom row—Eugene Lack, 2, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Lack; Gregory Smith, 1, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Smith; Jackie Mercer, eight months, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mercer. Top row—Jimmy Ray Skinner, six months, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Skinner; Trudi Stewart, 2, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Stewart; Amber Ruth Hester, 7½ months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy D. Hester.

### Week Left in District Play Tigers Edge Broncs, Face Cyclone Friday

Held to one of their lowest point totals of the season, the McLean Tigers barely edged by the Clarendon Bronchos 40-38 there Friday night, as the second round of District 2-A action began.

The Tigerettes found the going rougher, and were subdued 42-24.

Friday night will see the Tigers at Memphis on the eve of beginning their final week of the regular basketball season.

A game here with Lefors Tuesday night was postponed because of the snow, and Coach Derral Davis said Wednesday he did not know when the contest would be re-scheduled.

**Canadian Here Tuesday**  
Canadian, the only team yet able to whip the Tigers this year in District 2-A play, will be here next Tuesday night, with the girls starting the evening off at 7 p.m.

McLean played last Friday without the services of Eddy Jay Windom, and the up-and-coming eager was soxly missed. Windom is sidelined with the mumps.

Coach Davis said the youth is expected to be out of action for at least two weeks. The regular season ends next week.

Derrith Welch, the Tigers' and the district's leading scorer, was (See TIGERS, Page 5)

### Two Autos Overtake On Slick Highway; Injuries Not Serious

No serious injuries resulted from a pair of traffic accidents on Highway 66 this week, caused by icy road conditions.

A Volkswagen driven by Eugene Rackley of Amarillo overturned six miles west of McLean Monday after hitting an icy spot on the highway.

Patrolman R. C. Parker said Rackley was shaken up, but did not require hospitalization.

Wednesday night, a Berryville, Ark., man also escaped injury when his car hit a slick spot, careened against a snow bank and turned over on its side.

Patrolman Charles Henderson said Reibert Harp, the driver, escaped injury in the mishap, which occurred 7.5 miles west of McLean. Damage was estimated at \$100 to \$150.

### Verl Walter Tinkler Dies in Oklahoma

Verl Walter Tinkler, former resident of Kellerville, died at 9 p.m. Friday in a Blackwell, Okla., hospital.

Funeral services were held Monday morning at Highland Baptist Church in Pampa, with Rev. Joe Allison officiating. Interment was in Memory Gardens, Pampa.

An employee of the Arkla Gas Co., Mr. Tinkler had lived in Blackwell for three years. He was a member of the Baptist Church and Masonic Lodge.

Mr. Tinkler is survived by his wife, Laura; four daughters, Mrs. Don Stafford, Mrs. Bob Caddell and Mrs. LeRoy England, all of Pampa, and Mrs. Eddy Brown, Cordell, Okla., and his mother, Mrs. Walter Tinkler, Wichita Falls.



**YOUNG CITIZENS:** (From left to right) bottom row—Teresa Ann Mounce, 4, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mounce; Stephen Ellison, 3, son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Ellison; Becky Henley, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Henley. Top row—Brenda Lee Brown, 10, and Jeanette Hatfield, 3, daughter and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brown; Letitia McPherson, 5, daughter of Martha J. McPherson.

### Just Between Us

Regrettably, The McLean News had to go to press this week without any pictures of the beautiful—but sometimes miserable—snow scenes.

We did snap a number of pictures, but the chance of getting the plates back from the engraver in time was nil.

Perhaps next week.

**-jbu-**  
Second only to the weather as a topic of conversation in McLean in the hospital we are all hoping will be constructed here in the not-too-distant future.

The weather itself served to point up the need for such facilities.

Two residents in need of emergency hospitalization were taken to Pampa Tuesday afternoon during the snowstorm. And the trip was the cause of much concern here and along the route all through the afternoon.

**-jbu-**  
Shortly after noon, Joe Simpson was placed in a Lamb Funeral Home ambulance for the hazardous trip that simply had to be made.

Following the ambulance, driven by Creed Lamb, was Dr. Harold Pugh in his four-wheel-drive Scout.

At about the same time, Mrs. Casper Smith, an expectant mother, decided it was time to go to the hospital, too.

Casper drove the car with his wife as a passenger, and with Mrs. Smith's father, Bill Simpson, following in his wrecker.

The journey to Highland General Hospital in Pampa was finally completed at about 5 p.m.—luckily with Mrs. Smith's baby not yet born and with Joe Simpson, the expectant mother's great uncle, still well enough to undergo surgery.

**-jbu-**  
And members of the county hospital board have the gall to question our need for a hospital in McLean.

**-jbu-**  
In conversations about the proposed hospital, at least one member of the board has even expressed the desire to return the \$100,000 bond money and forget about constructing such an institution here.

He would do this, mind you, even though county voters—who are supposed to decide such things—give overwhelming approval to (See JBU, Page 2)

### LT. WEBB IN BIG EXERCISE 'Quick Release' To Last a Month

SCHOFIELD BARRACKS, Hawaii.—(Special)—Army First Lt. James R. Webb, McLean, and nearly 3,000 soldiers of the 25th Infantry Division's Second Brigade Task Force began leaving Hawaii by air Jan. 25 for Okinawa to participate in "Exercise Quick Release."

The month-long exercise is scheduled to end Feb. 25.

Task Force personnel are carrying only essential light combat equipment. Heavy equipment, including artillery weapons and tanks, will be issued from ships of the Military Sea Transport Service, a forward floating depot, after the men deplane on Okinawa.

**First First Time**  
This new logistical approach, being tried for the first time in the Pacific Command, is expected to speed the movement of troops to trouble spots and to reduce airlift requirements during an operation's initial stages.

Lt. Webb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Webb, north of McLean, is a member of Company B in the division's 25th Supply and Transport Battalion at Schofield Barracks.

The lieutenant entered the Army in June, 1961, and arrived in Hawaii the following December. The 24-year-old officer is a 1957 graduate of Canadian High School and a 1961 graduate of Oklahoma State University in Stillwater. He is a member of Sigma Nu fraternity.

**Archie Lamb Rites Held in Cleburne**  
Funeral services for Archie Sanford Lamb of Cleburne, uncle of Creed Lamb Jr. of McLean, were held in the Dillon Funeral Home Chapel in Cleburne at 3 p.m. Monday.

Burial was in Green Acres Cemetery, Cleburne, under the direction of Lamb Funeral Home of McLean.

Mr. Lamb died at 5 p.m. Saturday in Santa Fe Hospital in Cleburne, where he had been a patient for five months.

He was employed by the Santa Fe Railway.

He was born in Savannah, Tenn., on Oct. 4, 1895. He had been a resident of Cleburne since 1938.

Survivors include his wife, Georgia, of the home; two brothers, Jake Lamb, Friona, and Creed Lamb Sr., Memphis, and two sisters, Mrs. Ila Martin and Mrs. Love Sasser, both of Memphis.

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## JBU

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 the bond issue for this purpose.

**County Commissioner Truitt Johnson** believes that some good might have come of last Thursday's meeting in Pampa, since several McLean residents were there to indicate their interest in the project.

In later discussions, another commissioner who had strongly objected to the hospital previously appeared to be realizing there is such a need, Johnson said.

Since the final decision on whether we are to secure additional funds from county sources is the commissioners' to make, this could be a great accomplishment indeed.

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## MARCH 4 BIG COTTON DATE

### To Plant or Not To Plant Decision

Gray County farmers who do not want to plant cotton in 1964 have until March 4 to release their acreage allotment, according to Miss Evelyn Mason, manager of the county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office in Pampa.

Miss Mason said that a part or all of the cotton allotment will be lost for the next year if at least 75 per cent of the cotton is not planted or released.

Soil bank farms are not affected by this regulation.

Notices of base and payment rates under the 1964 feed grain program have been mailed to all producers, Miss Mason reported.

#### Feb. 10 Appeal Date

She reminded farmers that the final date to appeal the base and payment rates is Feb. 10, if producers wish to prove their production for the year 1959 through 1962.

Under the 1964 program, farmers can divert as little as 20 per cent of their base and receive the low rate shown on the notice.

As much as 50 per cent of the base can be diverted. If as much as 40 per cent is diverted, producers will receive the higher rate shown on the notice on all the diverted acres.

Payment rate for the diverted acres on the farm must not exceed 20 per cent of the value of the land. This means, Miss Mason explained, that farmers cannot pick out the poorest land on their farms to designate as diverted acres.

The payment rate must be reduced if the diverted acres payment will exceed 20 per cent of the value of the particular land designated as diverted acres.

Normal conserving bases must be maintained to participate in the program.

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**25,000TH:** John McKee, president of the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children at Dallas, personally handled admission procedures recently for young Ruben G. Jasso of Lamesa. The youth was the 25,000th patient admitted to the nationally famous Scottish Rite Hospital.

## Presbyterian Youth Training Is Feb. 23

A new program for the young people of the Presbyterian Church in McLean will be outlined, discussed and demonstrated at the Winter Regional Training Event for youth and interested adults at Pampa Feb. 23.

The program, under the direction of Mrs. Pete Casart of Canyon, is sponsored by the Presbytery of Plains Youth Subcommittee of Christian Education.

The new program, using the title of the "Texas Plan," was developed in El Paso in response to national concern for the young people of the church. It is designed to make a dynamic program of organizations which have become static.

Copies of the new Texas Plan will be sent to each church participating for study by delegates before the meeting.

Meeting with the delegates from McLean and Pampa will be others from Perryton, Canadian, Borger, Spearman, Memphis, Childress, Charendon and White Deer.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Eagle of Pampa were recent visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Biggers.

## Services in Bastrop For Mrs. Henderson

Last rites for Mrs. Minnie Viola Henderson were held Sunday in Shiloh Baptist Church in Bastrop, with Rev. R. C. Easley, pastor, officiating.

Interment was in Mt. Olive Cemetery in Bastrop, under the direction of Lamb Funeral Home.

Mrs. Henderson died Friday at 8:45 p.m. in Shamrock General Hospital.

She was born on June 19, 1900, in Bastrop County and moved to McLean from Rotan in 1946. She was married to David Henderson in Stamford in 1926.

Mrs. Henderson was a member of the St. James Baptist Church in Shamrock.

Survivors include her husband; three sisters, Mrs. Sally Mae Houston and Mrs. Leola Hunter, both of Bastrop, and Mrs. Olessie B. Felix, Smithville, and two brothers, Immer Houston and Sam Houston, both of Corpus Christi.

## Chili Dinner Is Re-Set for Tuesday

The McLean High School junior class chili dinner originally scheduled for Tuesday night has been postponed until next Tuesday because of inclement weather.

Mrs. Linda Raines, class sponsor, said the dinner will be from 5 to 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at the school cafeteria.

Fans planning to attend the McLean-Canadian basketball games, as well as all other residents, are invited to eat a chili dinner before the games.

Adult tickets are \$1 and student tickets 75 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. George Colebank visited with the Bonny Cooper family in Canyon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lankford and son, Kevin, of Hereford visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lankford, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Heasley and children visited in Friona Sunday with the Earl, Pete and Bill Graham families.

## Pot-Luck Dinner Enjoyed by Club

Needles ceased long enough at the Busy Bee Quilting Club meeting last Thursday for the ladies to partake of a pot-luck dinner at the noon hour.

Mrs. Edna Smith was hostess. The blessing was asked by Mrs. Luther Petty.

Those present were Mesdames Billy Heasley, Bill Boyd, Sam McClellan, John Biggers, Henry Roth, Bill Pettit, Roy McCracken, Joe Willis, Jess Roberts, Ross Collier, R. L. Wright, Ola Henderson, Irene Ledbetter, Frank Hambricht, Oba Kunkel, Petty, Raymond Smith, Hershel Smith, Joe D. Smith and Edgar Smith.

Dinner guests were Tracie and Tammy Biggers of Pampa, Gregory Smith, Jeree Boyd, Belinda Hutchison, Gene Hambricht, Roy McCracken, Howard Hardin, Luther Petty, Henry Roth, Joe D. Smith and Hershel Smith.

Three quilts were completed by the middle of the afternoon.

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## Hobby Club Meets With Mrs. Bailey

The Sew-Pa-Hold Club met recently in the home of Mrs. Wanda Bailey.

The meeting was opened with singing of songs from the club song book.

Roll call was answered with "The thing I plan to do better this year."

The devotion was read by the hostess.

Refreshments, which carried the Valentine theme, were served to Mesdames Mildred Peoples, Elaine Gordin, Emily Hippy, Ramee Lou Lankford Janice Chitt, Sophie Hutchison, Freda Bailey, all members, and one guest, Mrs. Wanda Bailey.

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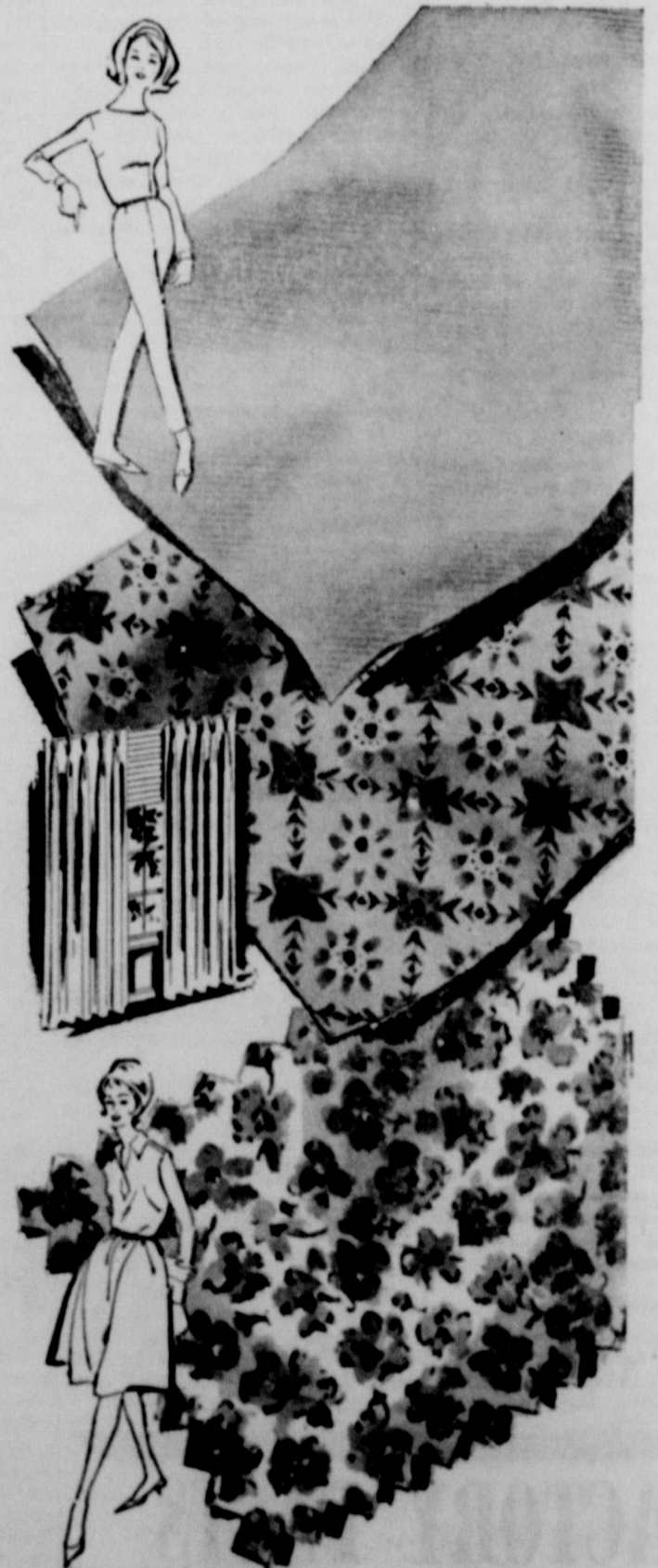
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**AUSTIN—(Special)—**A controversial section of the new Texas Regulatory Loan Act, passed last year after 36 years of legislative wrangling over loan control, has been declared unconstitutional.

District Judge Herman Jones of Austin held invalid the provision that at least 51 per cent of stock in lending firms operating in Texas must be owned by Texans. Jones emphasized this was the only section of the 1963 act affected by his ruling in a suit brought by three out-of-state firms.

The companies whose subsidiaries operate in at least eight Texas cities charged the in-state ownership requirement violated state and federal due process and equal protection guarantees.

American Investment Co., a Delaware corporation; Industrial Finance and Thrift Corp. of Louisiana, and Consolidated Credit Co. of Charlotte, N. C., joined by a number of other out-of-state firms, instigated the suit.

Their subsidiaries operate in Houston, Dallas, San Antonio, Fort Worth, El Paso, Texarkana and Arlington.

Regulatory Loan Commissioner Frank Miskell refused licenses to them.

**COMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION—**The Governor's Committee on Education Beyond the High School is well ahead of schedule, reports Dr. A. B. Martin, executive director.

Earlier this year, the committee—made up of leading industrialists and educators—set an April date for preliminary reports for the recommendations due Gov. John Connally in August. Studies on education in public and private colleges and universities, and professional and technological needs have advanced so well that subcommittees and their consultants have been discharged, Martin said, and the April date has been moved back to Feb. 19.

**TOURIST PLAN UNVEILED —**A pilot plan designed to bring more foreign visitors to Texas was announced by Gov. Connally.

Sen. Walter Richter of Gonzales, the governor's representative, and Walter Mayer of San Antonio, who originated the plan, took off for Germany Sunday to test the program.

They hope to encourage 40 or 50 German citizens to make a 16-day red carpet tour of Texas' leading cities and historic spots from Oct. 15 through Nov. 2.

Texas Tourist Development Agency is sponsoring the projected program in cooperation with Chambers of Commerce and interested private citizens. No public funds are involved.

The tourists, of course, will pay their own way, although some will benefit from hospitality in Texas homes. First visitors will get special low plane fare and at-cost prices all around.

It is hoped the initial visit by the Germans will establish guidelines for a continuing long-range program to boost travel in Texas by globe-trotters from other lands.

**NO FIRM PROBE URGED —**Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr has called on State Banking Commissioner J. M. Faulkner to continue investigation of a collapsed California money order firm. American Security Currency Limited was doing business in 317 Texas grocery and drug stores.

Thousands of Texans reportedly were caught with valueless paper on their hands when the firm went into bankruptcy. Carr recommends getting all facts on its history and status plus full details of an alleged sale of accounts to another company also licensed by the commission.

**CONNALLY IN CIRCULATION—**Governor Connally returned to duty at his office in the Capitol last week, for the first time since he was wounded in Dallas on Nov. 22 by the assassin of President Kennedy.

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Connally announced a traveling and speaking schedule which included visits to UPI and AP managing editors' conventions here; a Boy Scout report ceremony in the Capitol; Abilene B-52 Day celebration on Feb. 15; the Laredo Washington birthday festival on Feb. 22; the Paper Industry Salesmen's Association meeting in New York on Feb. 25; dedication of the New York World's Fair Texas exhibit on Feb. 26, and probably a visit with President Johnson in Washington on the way back to Texas.

**WATER STUDY—**Texans in the future may get very thirsty if they don't plan ahead to catch and save more water. This conclusion and other information about water, including the fact that since 1890 Texas has been using up its water resources at a rate 11 times faster than its population growth, has been spelled out for students.

The water story has been published in a 40-page illustrated booklet, "How Can We Meet Our Water Needs?" prepared by the Texas Society of Professional Engineers and printed by the Texas Education Agency.

Education Commissioner J. W. Edgar has notified school superintendents that 3,000 copies of the booklet on one of the state's most vital problems are available on request for use as resource material in junior and senior high schools.

**SHORT SNORTS—**"The Eyes of Texas" now is public property. The University of Texas' copyright expired on Jan. 30, and couldn't be renewed.

Traffic death toll for 1963 was 2,733, largest in history by far, according to the Department of Public Safety. Figure is an increase of 282 over 1962.

The governor's office will be located in the old State Agriculture Department quarters on the Capitol's first floor, during extensive remodeling and enlargement of the executive suite.

State Supreme Court held the Railroad Commission can't withhold future drilling permits from operators of slanted oil wells who want to straighten their wells. Almost 1,000 slanted wells have been shut in since 1962.

Lon E. Alsup, 65, retired after 22 years as director of The Texas State Commission for the Blind. Although blind since birth, he had successful careers in business, politics and government administration.

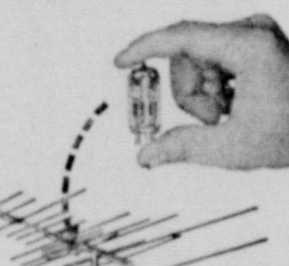
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## THE BERLIN WALL AND ANOTHER WALL

We were all doubtless surprised when the East German authorities began opening the Berlin wall to West Berlin visitors at Christmas time. We can never be sure just what might be up the Communists' sleeves, but for the time being it sounds encouraging. What they ought to do, of course, is to tear the wall down. It is a crime against humanity and a sin against God to confine half a city in a cage, to treat human beings as if they were animals.

The Bible speaks of a wall that separated all mankind into two parts. In Ephesians 2 the law, the ten commandments, is called "the middle wall of partition."

The law was given to God's covenant people. The Gentiles had been given up long before at the Tower of Babel and God had called Abraham and his seed and had given them the law—but they broke the law, so that Rom. 3:19 says: "Whatsoever the law saith it saith to them that are under the law, that EVERY MOUTH may be stopped and ALL THE WORLD might be brought in guilty before God."

Because of the broken law all men have been placed on the same level, but this was also God's purpose of grace: "For God had concluded them all in unbelief, that He might have mercy upon all" (Rom. 11:32). And thus God offers salvation unto all through Christ, who died for our sins at Calvary. Thus it is that Eph. 2:13, 14 says:

"But now, in Christ Jesus, ye who once were far off are made nigh by the blood of Christ, for He is our peace, who hath made both one, and hath broken down the middle wall of partition between us"—and verse 16: "That He might reconcile both unto God in one body by the cross, having slain the enmity thereby."

Thank God there is no "Berlin Wall" between God and those who trust His Son, nor between believers who have been made "one body in Christ."

## Methodist Church Site of Shower For Mrs. Jim Watson

A bridal shower in honor of Mrs. Jim Watson was given Friday evening, Jan. 17, in the parlor of the Methodist Church.

The bride's chosen colors of yellow and white were carried out in the decorations.

A mass of yellow chrysanthemums above the fireplace was flanked on either side by crystal candelabra with votive type candles.

The bride's table was a picture of lace with a crystal punch service. The focal point of the table was a fan shaped arrangement of white stock and yellow roses interspersed with lilies of the valley.

A tiny bride and groom stood beneath the branches of stock, as if walking down the aisle which was formed by streamers marked with "Cynthia and James, Jan. 6, 1964." Tall tapers at the back of the arrangement lighted the table.

Hostesses were Misses Mary Ann Carter and Joan Flowers and Messdames W. P. Flowers, W. G. Carter, Jess Crogan, Earnest Beck, Truitt Johnson, Joe Graham, Leonard Glass, Pete Fulbright, Wallace Grimsley and Wayne McIlroy.

Mrs. McIlroy registered the guests.

Refreshments of punch, cookies, mints and nuts were served by Miss Carter, Mrs. Graham and Mrs. Glass.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Ed Homen, Mrs. Tom Britten and Mrs. Mert Kendrick of Groom, Mrs. Bane Haven of Mayville, Okla., and Mrs. Allie Mae West of Amarillo.

## Miss Bobby Turner To Marry Feb. 14

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Turner of Olton, former McLean residents, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Bobby, to William V. Carson, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Carson of 1019 14th Street, Rolla, Mo.

Wedding vows will be exchanged Friday, Feb. 14, at 8 p.m. in the First Baptist Church in Olton.

Mrs. Berdella Roberts and Miss Iva Davidson of Wheeler visited in the F. L. Bones home Sunday afternoon.

# WALTER ROGERS REPORTS

## THE NEW BUDGET PROPOSAL

The attention of Congress is turned now to the historic debates on civil rights and tax cut legislation, but soon decisions will be made in these matters and work will begin on shaping the financial activities of the government to be conducted in the 1965 fiscal year beginning July 1.

President Johnson's budget proposals have been submitted to the Congress and the country. Those of us who have stood for bringing substantial reductions in the level of government expenditures are encouraged by his efforts to trim the spending sails.

Under President Johnson's budget proposal, the gap between federal receipts and expenditures would be \$2.9 billion in the next fiscal year, bringing well within range the possibility that the fiscal 1965 budget can be balanced.

By comparison, the federal budget proposed for the current fiscal year showed a deficit between anticipated receipts and proposed expenditures of \$10.3 billion.

President Johnson's budget proposal for fiscal year 1965 (and it is important to remember that the budget remains only a proposal until Congress has acted on separate appropriations) anticipates receipts of \$119.7 billion.

Of this total, \$93 billion would be obtained primarily from tax receipts and \$30.9 billion from "trust fund" receipts—money obtained in taxes and contributions earmarked for spending in specific programs such as social security, veterans life insurance and highway construction.

President Johnson's budget proposes expenditures totaling \$122.7 billion, including \$97.9 in the "administrative" budget, that proposed for the general activities of the government, and \$24.8 billion in the various trust fund financed activities, the largest of which is social security.

As every American is aware, the primary source of the government's money is the federal tax on income. The government dollar is split up, according to President Johnson's budget proposal, into these slices: 40 cents from individual incomes taxes; 21 cents from corporation income taxes; 14 cents from employment taxes; 12 cents from excise taxes; 11 cents from miscellaneous sources; two cents from borrowings.

## Submission of the Budget to the Congress

The submission of the budget to the Congress is the first phase of the process. The second phase is congressional review and enactment, the phase about to begin. Twelve subcommittees of the House Appropriations Committee give detailed consideration to the parts of the budget referred to them.

The subcommittees make recommendations to the whole Appropriations Committee, which, in turn, makes its recommendations to the House of Representatives. When passed by the House, the appropriations measure is forwarded to the Senate. There the process is similar to that followed by the House.

If the two houses of Congress disagree, a conference committee meets to resolve the differences. The conference report is referred back to the House and Senate for approval and then forwarded to the President for his final action to make the measure law.

Visitors in the K. S. Rippey home last Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rippey of Electra and daughter, Mrs. Gene Banta of Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Rippey and Mrs. H. N. Roach of Shamrock; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lankford of McLean, their grandson, Kevin Lankford of Hereford, and Mrs. Nida Rippey Green of McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Watson of Dallas spent several days this week visiting here with relatives and friends.



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## Open House Held For N. A. Greers

An open house was given by the children of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Greer in the honor of their new address, 319 West Third, last Saturday night.

Fifty-four guests attended.

Those planning and assisting with the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Barnes of Roswell, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Vernon King and Roy of McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clement of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Mackie Greer of Lubbock, Mrs. Paul Corbett of Hereford, Mrs. Richard Price of Hereford, Mrs. Bobby Payne and Ann, Jan and Patty of Shawwater and Mrs. Michael Greer and Michael John and Christy Michele of Kansas.

The serving table was laid with a lace cloth and held a floral arrangement of blue roses. The white sheet cake was decorated with red rosebuds. Crystal and silver appointments completed the arrangement.

Refreshments of punch, coffee cake, nuts and mints were served by Mrs. Clement and Mrs. Payne. Mrs. King registered the guests and Mrs. Barnes received them.

Miss Lydia Whitaker spent the weekend in Amarillo visiting with her sister.

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### New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Morgan of 508 Spruce St., Chadron, Neb., are the parents of a girl born Jan. 25. She has been named LeAnn Sara. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Frye of Manville, Wyo., and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Morgan of McLean.

LeAnn has a sister, LaTee, 4 years old, and a brother, Danny, 2 years old.

Nancy Meacham and Carole Boston of Amarillo spent the weekend with their parents here.

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## McLEAN LIBRARY NEWS

### Library Hours

Monday—6 p.m. to 9 p.m.  
Tuesday through Friday—8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. (closed 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. for lunch)  
Saturday—1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Mrs. Lavern Carter, librarian, reports that last week there were 256 books checked out.

Many memorial books and used books have been given to the library recently. Mrs. Carter and the library board would like to thank all those who have given books to the library, where they will be available for the enjoyment of so many people.

Books given to the library include these recent additions:

The Foolish Immortals by Paul Gallico and The Velvet Doublet by James Street given by Mrs. John P. Jones, and five volumes of the 1968 edition of The World Book Encyclopedia given by J. B. Stewart.

Books added to the In Memoriam shelf in memory of J. L. Hess are: The Children's King James Bible given by the Pioneer Study Club, Reflections by Harold

E. Kohn given by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Back, The Family Book of Best Loved Poems given by the McLean Rainbow Girls, 100 More Story Poems given by Mr. and Mrs. Guy Beasley, The Home Book of Verse for Young Folks given by the Eastern Star, Folk Medicine and Arthritis and Folk Medicine by Dr. D. C. Jarvis, M. D., given by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cooke, I, Keturah by Ruth Wolff given by Mr. and Mrs. Miro Pakan and family and History of Hereford Cattle given by Mr. and Mrs. Milton Carpenter.

The Golden Flute, an anthology of Poetry for Young Children, given by Mr. and Mrs. Guy Beasley, Texas Thirties by Wilhelmina Beane given by Mr. and Mrs. Miro Pakan and family, and Little Big Foot by William C. Gault given by Butch Lands are in memory of Morris Mullanax.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Back and Mr. and Mrs. June Woods gave Lost Mines and Hidden Treasure by Leland Lovelace, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Payne gave Wimberly's Legacy by Williedell Schawe in memory of W. A. Glasse.

The Golden Treasury of Poetry in memory of Sybil Seaney was given by Mr. and Mrs. Guy Beasley.

These Are My People by Marshall Formby was given by Mr. and Mrs. Miro Pakan and family in memory of Frank Harlan.

The library has purchased two new books which are Tomorrow Is Now by Eleanor Roosevelt and Story-Teller Poems by Rowena Bennett.

### CARD OF THANKS

I want to say thank you to all my friends for the flowers, cards, visits and calls made while I was in the hospital and since I have been home.

Melvin McCabe

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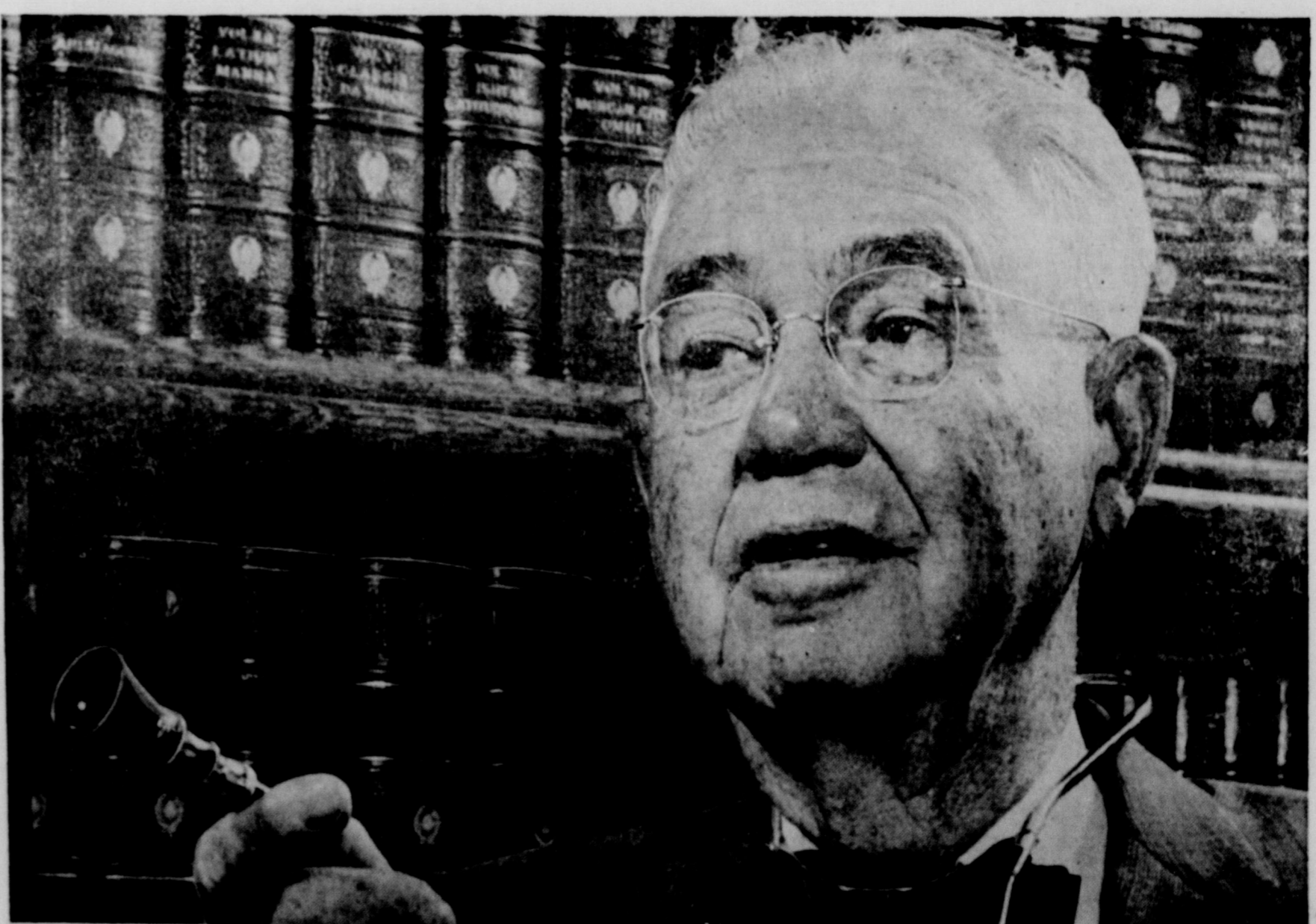
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# NEWS OF CONSERVATION

The Gray County SCD reports that red cedar and Ponderosa pine seedlings are available at Bruce Nursery north of Alanreed.

These seedlings are available to farmers and ranchers in Gray County for farmstead and feedlot windbreaks. They should be planted during February and March.

**Range Seeding**—There are several acres of land in Gray County that have been turned out to pasture without being seeded to native grass. Undesirable forbs and grasses will cover the ground and provide some early spring grazing; however, the potential is limited.

Seeded grasses will establish in two to five years and dependable year-around grazing can be expected.

Harris King, R. D. Williams, Alvin Bell, J. D. and Ray Fish, Truitt Johnson, Roy McCracken, Cecil Seaney, Bill Crisp, M. C. Burdine, Elmer Balch, L. T. Goldston, Drew Wood, George F. Jackson, Lester Bailey, B. J. Immel, Hack McCurley, D. W. Swain, Olin Weldon and Sailor Brothers are some of the people who plan to do range seeding in Gray County this year.

Nearly every one of these farmers and ranchers can show you good results they have had in grass seeding in the past.

Make plans now to establish desirable grasses if you have land that's not paying expenses. Range seeding should not be done later than April 30 of this year.

**Livestock Water**—Due to droughty conditions during 1963, livestock water was limited. Farmers and ranchers interested in livestock water should make plans to construct ponds or drill wells so they won't be caught short during droughty conditions.

**SCD Carryall**—Landowners and operators who plan to do small earth moving jobs can get the SCD carryall at the courthouse annex east of Pampa. Contact DeJores Johnson, secretary of the SCD, to make arrangements for use of the carryall.

**Conservation Assistance**—If you are interested in doing conservation work, contact your local SCD supervisor: Milton Carpenter, Curtis Schaffer, Stan Friend, James Chelt, W. C. Epperson, or the Soil Conservation Service. We are ready to assist you in developing a conservation plan and program on your farm and ranch.

**Bull Purchased**  
Boyd Meador, McLean, recently purchased an Aberdeen-Angus bull from George Orrick, also of McLean.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Bones Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. George Robert Chambers and daughters of Amarillo.

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**YOUNG CITIZENS:** (Left to right) Denise, 6, Regina, 8, and Joe Creed Lamb, 3, children of Mr. and Mrs. Creed Lamb.

## HONOR ROLL

**NEW:** Mrs. Barney Fulbright, 2116 Cedar Crest Drive, Abilene; Anne Teel, Lefors.

**CHANGE OF ADDRESS:** Dr. David L. Woods, Rt. 3, Clovis, N. M.; Mrs. Jim Hudson, 2621 19th St., Apt. 1, Lubbock.

**RENEW:** Ruby Dahl, G. C. Bible, Mrs. Pat Carmichael, Mrs. S. L. Reed, Charles McCurley, Lucille Martin, Glen Curry, Bobby Turner, Don Alexander, Edgar Bailey, John Scott, Johnny Caudill, Laila Ott, Wayne Moore, Ernest Godfrey.

## BIRTHDAYS

Feb. 9—Mrs. Carl Baker, T. L. O'Neal.  
Feb. 10—H. V. Ballard.  
Feb. 11—James Baker.  
Feb. 12—Jimmy Barker, Mabel Ann Lee, Martina Giesler, Mrs. J. A. Darnell.  
Feb. 13—Mrs. Ada Simmons.  
Feb. 15—Paul M. Bruce.  
Feb. 14—Mrs. Ed Jones, Mrs. Oba Kunkel, Bird Jones, Frank Hulsey, Gay Louise Martin, L. T. Goldston, Sandy Blackshear.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bayless and children of Borger spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Abbott. Jim, Fred and LeAnne remained to spend this past week with their grandparents.

Mrs. Joe Burroughs and Mrs. Ernie Fry were in Pampa Monday.

Alvin, Sarah and Donna Windom of Clarendon were recent guests of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hambricht. They were accompanied home by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Windom and Mrs. Loftin and daughter, Miss Rosa.

Mr. and Mrs. Oba Kunkel and Mrs. Bunia Kunkel visited Carl Kunkel in the Groom Hospital last week.

**25th Anniversary**  
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Mrs. Wheeler Carter and Mary Ann and Mrs. C. B. Peabody went to Pampa Monday to visit Mrs. Roy Blackman in Highland General Hospital. They were stranded there during the snowstorm Monday night and Tuesday, but were able to return home Tuesday night.

## NOTICE

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	75c	\$1.49	\$2.22
SALMON	Pink Beauty		59c
TREET	Tall can		39c
CRISCO	3 lb can		73c

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