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July has been designated as the Month of the Woman, and as part of the celebration the Public Broadcasting Stations (OETA, channel 12 in McLean) is broadcasting several programs about women.

I hope you did not miss the two-part Eugene O'Neill play "Mourning Becomes Electra" which finished up last night on PBS. Joan Hackett played the mother Christine Mannon, who murders her husband. Miss Hackett gave one of the most outstanding performances I have seen on television in years.

If you missed that be sure to try to watch the next three Wednesdays on PBS at 7 p.m. for three more great performances about women. July 16 will be "Abide With Me" with Anne Francis and Cathleen Nexbit. On July 23 Academy Award winner Meryl Streep (Kramer vs. Kramer), Swoosie Kurtz and Jill Eikenberry will star in "Uncommon Women and Others." This is a story about an informal reunion of five women seven years after they graduate from college.

In the final show in the series, Tony Award winner Zoe Caldwell portrays the legendary French actress Sarah Bernhardt in "Sarah" July 30 at 8 p.m. If all the shows match the quality of "Mourning Becomes Electra", they will certainly be worth your time to watch.

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Have you ever noticed that some people become petty dictators if you give them just a little authority? When I was a teacher, occasionally I would meet a teacher who could not handle the responsibility of controlling a group of youngsters in any way except by becoming a tyrant.

I guess there are people like that in every profession, and in every business. But if you are the customer, and the little tyrant is supposedly a public official, you should scream loud and long!

Last week my husband discovered, much to his horror, that his drivers license had expired. Since I have known him, he has been a fanatic about renewing that little plastic card when it comes due, but to my knowledge he did not receive a notice during his birthday month concerning the lapse.

I don't know about you, but I don't look at my license very often, and I'm sure I could easily let mine lapse, too.

At any rate, he called a Department of Public Safety office in a nearby town to explain his predicament and ask what he should do. The woman who answered must have had a hard day, because she was very curt, and to be frank, snotty! She proceeded to chew him out for failing to renew his license, told him that the department was not obligated to send out renewal cards and in fact did not do it always. See DISTAFF, Page 2.

McLEAN WEATHER

Date	High	Low
7-1	111	72
7-2	103	74
7-3	101	73
7-4	102	75
7-5	100	70
7-6	102	69
7-6	102	
7-7	98	72

NO PRECIPITATION



THIS YOUNG LADY was visiting her grandparents, and came to the community-wide God and Country Celebration as part of the Fourth of July holiday. The youngster sat quietly throughout the program, but just had to investigate the camera clicking behind her. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morgan of McLean. (Photo by Linda Haynes)

Community Worships At Patriotic Service

Approximately 150 people gathered in the city park Sunday night for a God and Country Celebration and worship service.

Lay representatives from the First Baptist Church, the Assembly of God, and the First

United Methodist Church conducted the service.

Master of ceremonies John M. Haynes introduced musical numbers and guest speakers from each of the churches.

Speakers were Jacques Riley, Bill Billingsley, J.B. Brown, Frances Kennedy, Roger My-

ers, and Bob and Allen Patman.

Musical numbers were presented by a Methodist quartet: Sam Haynes, Ida Hess, Johnny Haynes, and Linda Haynes; a Baptist trio: Darryl Herndon, Jane Simpson, and Jacque Riley; and Steve Myers, Leland Myers, and Roger Myers of the

Assembly of God Church. Gladys Stewart also sang.

The service was sponsored by the McLean Ministerial Alliance.

Those attending ate homemade ice cream and cake following the service.

19 And 20 Year Olds To Register

Men born during the year 1960 must register for the draft at the local post office during the week of July 21, according to Frank Simpson, post master.

Men born during 1961 will register during the week of July 28, he said.

The registration was mandated by Congress in a recent bill to register men. The bill

does not provide for a reinstatement of the draft, but simply a registration.

Simpson said that the 19 and 20-year-olds can register in any post office in the United States, but that it is better for them to register at their home post office, in case the draft is ever reinstated." Simpson said that if the registration is eventually used for the draft, that men will

be inducted from the town where they are registered.

Registration is to supply names and addresses of men eligible to be called if Congress renews the draft itself in the future.

Selective Service Director Bernard Rostker said that all 20-year-olds born in January, February, and March will be required to register at the local

post office Monday, July 21.

He said 20-year-olds with birthdays in April, May, and June will register Tuesday; July, August and September Wednesday; and October, November and December Thursday. Friday will be a makeup day. The following week the schedule will be the same for 19-year-old men, he said.

County Commissioners Establish JP Office

Gray County Commissioners last week approved the establishment of a temporary Justice of the Peace office to be located near Alanreed.

The office was established to process tickets given by the Department of Public Safety which is heavily patrolling a dangerous 10-mile stretch of Interstate-40 in an effort to

control further fatalities.

Justice of the Peace Margie Prestidge of Precinct 2 will be working part time in the Precinct 3 temporary office located in the KOA Kamp Ground at the U.S. Highway 70 cutoff to Clarendon.

"Five DPS officers are working their off hours in the ten-mile stretch which extends

from Alanreed 10 miles west, according to Sgt. Jim Powell of the DPS. "The money to pay the officers is coming from a federal government supplement recently made available."

"Although warning signs are prominently displayed near the troublesome stretch, drivers just aren't heeding the warnings," Powell said.

A record number of six people died on the stretch of highway during the month of May.

Sgt. Powell and other DPS officers decided that the east-bound traffic is more prone to speed in the dangerous area.

"East-bound traffic has been clocked at 70 mph average, while we found that the west-bound traffic averaged 59 mph," Powell said, according to the Pampa News.

Commissioners also approved the redesignation of Justice of the Peace, Precinct 5 to Justice of the Peace, Precinct 4. Since 1945, the commissioners precinct 4 and justice of the peace precinct 5 have covered the same area, and the difference in numbers has been confusing to voters, according to Wanda Carter, county clerk.

"The commissioners decided to make the change in the numbers to stop the confusion. The new number is in effect now, so that on the ballot in November, McLean voters will vote for constable in precinct 4, vote for constable in precinct 4, Jim McDonald is the only candidate on the ballot as of right now," Mrs. Carter said.

"In the Democratic primary and runoff, the office was designated as Precinct 5. It's the same office, and the same area of the county, but now the

McLean Has 13 Consecutive Days Of 100-plus Temperatures

Thirteen consecutive days of temperatures over 100 ended Monday with the thermometer finally dipping below the century mark, to 98 degrees to end one of McLean's longest heat waves.

The hot spell began June 24 when the temperature climbed to a record 110 degrees and then stuck over the 100 mark for 12 more days. June 25 the temperature was 109, with 108 recorded June 27. July 1 marked the highest temperature of the entire period with 111 degrees recorded on that date.

McLean has had no precipitation since .08 inch was recorded June 17. The month of June saw only .20 inches of rain in the area.

Texas health officials warned of a "second wave of deaths" in the cruel heat wave that has already claimed over 100 lives in a four-state area and wiped out millions of dollars in crops, poultry and livestock.

Forecasters said that the lingering high pressure system which is causing the record heat may not move for several more days.

City superintendent Bob Glenn said that water consumption in the city has jumped from about 336,000 gallons per day early in June to over 800,000 gallons per day since the heat wave began.

The total water consumption in McLean for the 13 days of over 100-degree temperatures

was 10,847,000 gallons or a per capita usage of about 10,000 gallons. Glenn said the city has plenty of water from its four water wells. "We'll be okay as long as the pumps don't go out," Glenn said. One of the city's three water pumps has been out of service for about two weeks, according to Glenn.

"We won't run into any trouble unless a second pump goes out," Glenn said. "I expect the consumption to stay this high until people give up on their gardens, or until we get a big rain," he added.

McLean has 625 water meters in the city limits.

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Fireworks Start Fires

McLean fireman put out eight fires caused by fireworks over the July Fourth holiday, according to fire chief Jim McDonald. He said that the department went to two fires Thursday night, and then were called out six times Friday night between 9:30 and 11:30.

Four of the Friday night fires were in the city limits, with one fire west of the city and one near Sandspur Lake.

Major Sam Haynes explained that city ordinances could only be legally enforced by a city policeman, which McLean does not have.

"McLean was lucky this year," Haynes said. "With the extremely dry conditions, and the number of fires started by fireworks, it's just luck that a house didn't catch on fire."

McDonald said that all the fires were minor, with no major damage caused.

City secretary Stella Lee said that there is still an ordinance on the city books forbidding the use of fireworks. "The ordinance, written in 1922 when T.A. Landers calls for a fine of from \$1 to \$10 for exploding

"Without a city policeman to enforce the fireworks ordinance, we just have to depend on the parents to make sure their children use fireworks carefully," he said. Other law enforcers were discouraging the use of fireworks in town, Haynes said, "but they (the county and state officers) are not legally required to enforce our ordinances."

Telephone Company Asks Increase

Inflation and the continuing need to poor billions of dollars into Texas telephone growth are prime factors in Southwestern Bell's request for \$326.3 million in new rates filed today with the Texas Public Utility Commission.

"Our need for new rates is basic," said Doyle E. Rogers, the company's vice president for Texas. "As a utility company, we have no choice but to stay up with Texas' rapid growth. Billions of dollars are essential to meet that growth. We cut expenses. We gain revenue through increased sales. But soaring double digit inflation eats up all the gains we make. We're at the point where a request for additional rates is our only alternative."

"The \$326.3 million is our full financial need," Rogers said. "Our case presented to the Commission supports that need."

If the request is approved, Southwestern Bell would net an overall increase of 11.65 per-

cent in intrastate revenues. "Percentage increases for individual services will vary," Rogers said. "The 11.65 percent increase applies only to the overall revenue increase for the state, and not to specific services."

Rogers said Southwestern Bell has spent about \$3 billion in construction in Texas during the past three years, and will add more than another billion this year.

"We have an investment in excess of \$6 billion in Texas," he said. "It is imperative that we earn a reasonable level on that investment in order to secure the additional huge sums necessary to continue growing with Texas."

In 1979, the PUC authorized Bell to earn 10.17 percent on its Texas operations. "We need to earn in the range of 12.5 percent in Texas to provide the incentive for investors to pour in the dollars necessary to

provide continuing good phone service for the state," Rogers said.

Rogers pointed out that telephone rates have gone up much slower pace than other goods and services. "In the last decade, the Consumer Price Index has increased almost three times as rapidly as telephone rates," he said.

Rogers said that the Bell System continues to be committed to compliance with President Carter's anti-inflation program. "The present guidelines expire on September 30, 1980, and guidelines for the following year will not be issued for some time. Therefore, no guideline amount is cited in the 1980 filing. However, we have assured the Commission that we intend to comply with the principles of any new guidelines which may be issued before a decision is reached on our rate request," Rogers said.



THE HIGH TEMPERATURES in McLean have been dealing the state highway maintenance crews misery. Here, men repair a section of I-40 east of McLean which exploded because of the heat. (Photo by Linda Haynes)

New Swimming Pool Opens

Another swimming pool is now open for business for McLean youngsters, according to Grace Flores and Diane Luera, managers of the pool. The pool at Gately's Trailers Park has been cleaned and is now open for business from 11 a.m. until 9 p.m. every day, the women said.

The charge for swimmers from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. is \$2, and the charge from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. is \$1.50. Children 10 and under will swim for \$1.

McLean swimmers have been using the Dixie Motel swimming pool since summer began. That pool charged \$1.50 per person.

Darsey, Steel Win At Clarendon

A pair of McLean ropers won the team roping at the Clarendon Saint's Rodeo July 4 Rodeo last week for the second year in a row. Mike Darsey and Dale Steel improved on their

last year's time and scored 8.25 to take the win.

The team won out over 32 teams in the competition, and received prize money and buckles.

OPINIONS

VIEWS ARE WRITTEN BY LINDA HAYNES, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED - IF YOU HAVE AN OPINION ON ANY CURRENT SUBJECT WE WELCOME YOUR SIGNED LETTERS.

WAR AND PEACE

1775 - 1979	
1,186, 654	
AMERICANS DIED	
IN	
ALL THE U. S. WARS	
REVOLUTIONARY WAR	4,435
WAR OF 1812	2,260
MEXICAN WAR	13,283
CIVIL WAR	529,332
SPANISH AMERICAN WAR	2,446
WORLD WAR I	116,563
WORLD WAR II	407,828
KOREA	54,246
VIET NAM	56,261

1900 - 1979	
2,290,754	
AMERICANS DIED	
IN	
U. S. HIGHWAY	
ACCIDENTS	

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and then said that he would probably have to take his written test and driving test again before it could be renewed.

My husband was very disturbed about taking the test again, not because he couldn't pass it, but because he knew it would take most of one morning to get through the procedure again.

After talking to several friends and learning that they had been treated very rudely in the same office, I decided to call Austin and get some information.

If you ever get in that situation, here are the correct facts: The Department of Public Safety sends out notices preceding the date the license is expired. The notices are mailed from Austin to the address listed on the drivers current license. The very polite, informative lady in Austin said that sometimes cards do not come, because of computer foul ups or problems in the mail.

However, if your license has expired you have TWO YEARS to renew it before you have to

take your written test again. The danger of having an expired license is that if you are stopped by a highway patrolman, you will be ticketed for an expired license.

There can be only one explanation for the woman in the office fibbing about taking the test over again. That must be the way she gets her kicks...by threatening someone in her control.

When Sam went to have the license renewed, no one even mentioned taking a test again. He simply had to take the visual test, sign his name and pay his money.

But the point is, that you shouldn't let people like our cranky friend threaten you...especially a public servant.

I think it is a shame that a clerk undoubtedly gives the DPS a bad name among many people, because I have never met a DPS trooper who was not the soul of courtesy. In fact, I have often wondered if patrolmen are required to take a course in courtesy as part of their training. If they do, the

results are outstanding...but I recommend they give the course to some of their clerical help!

According to Ralph Jones, a highway safety consultant for the University of Michigan, the estimated 17,600 fatalities linked to drunken drivers in 1975 will grow to approximately 26,000 in 1985.

As I was walking back to work Monday at lunch, a yellowed sheet of newspaper wrapped around my legs. I stopped as the hot wind that felt like it was coming off a blast furnace whipped the paper around, and my eye was caught by a headline: "COLD SNAP CONTINUING!". The paper was dated November 12, 1976, and I thought it might make you feel a little cooler if I quoted part of the story:

"It was a brry-type day yesterday - with prospects for even more of the same today, plus a little freezing rain and or snow as well.

As the Arctic cold front forged an icicle through the heart of the Panhandle yesterday, temperatures fell from 43 degrees at midnight, all the way down into the 20's - with a

28 degree reading at 4 p.m.

New Mexico forecasters issued a winter storm watch for that state, but were uncertain as to the exact type of weather to expect.

The one thing they were sure of though, was that today was going to be windy and 'bitterly cold.'

So just remember as we're suffering through this record-breaking heat wave...November is not too far away!

Not only does Cicero Turpen have one of the hardest heads in the county...he has the best sense of humor.

Turp, who's one of the best of the old time "wind-mill men", was injured a few weeks ago when a snatchblock fell 25 feet and hit him on the head. He was rushed to an Amarillo hospital where he had surgery, and the doctors were amazed at his physical endurance.

We're happy to say Turp is home and recovering rapidly, but because of the surgery on his head, he had to have all his hair shaved off. Turp, who has always been proud of his Indian ancestry, told his wife, as he patted his bald head, "This may be the first time someone else scalped an Indian."

New Arrivals

Allen and Cathy Clarke of Duncan, Okla., are the parents of a boy, Kyle Allen, born July 7 at Duncan. He weighed 5 lbs. 8 oz. and was 18 inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clarke, all of Miami. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey of McLean.

4-H News

DISTRICT 4-H HORSE SHOW

Sixteen Gray County 4-H members were among some 130 area 4-H'ers who participated in the District 4-H Horse Show, June 25-26, in Amarillo. Participants and their placings include:

Robyn Coleman - 1st - Barrel Racing, LaJona Taylor - 2nd - Grade Geldings - 8th - Barrel Racing, Lisa Maddox - 2nd - Registered Geldings under 5, Sabrina Parker - 7th - Registered Mares under 5, Lee Ann Smith - 4th - Grade Mares, Denise Thompson - 8th - Pole Bending, Sandra Brown - 3rd - Registered Geldings under 5, Billie Billingsley - 9th - Barrel Racing, Jackie McAndrew - 5th - Grade Mares, Lorrie Enochs - 11th - Grade Mares, Cindy Coleman - 12th - Grade Mares.

Robyn Coleman qualified for the State 4-H Horse Show in Fort Worth, July 21-24, by placing first in Barrel Racing. LaJona Taylor was ranked fifth on the list of alternates for the State Show.

Other Gray County 4-H'ers participating in the District Show were: Amy Cockrell, 12th - Grade Mares; Laura Horne, 11th - Grade Mares; Matt Stockstill, and Sally Worsham.

4-H FASHION REVUE

The Gray County 4-H Revue will be presented for the public Tuesday afternoon July 8th at 2:30 p.m. in the First Christian Church in Pampa.

Participants will be judged on the appearance of the garment modeled at 9:45 a.m. at the Church.

The Fashion Revue winds up the completion of the Clothing Project. County winners advance to the District Contest on July 22nd.

During the business meeting, it was decided to meet every three years. The following officers were elected.

President: Bill Sims, Pampa, Vice President: Edward Vincent, Lefors, Secretary: Dorothy Howard Morris, Pampa, Treasurer: Harold Sims, Lefors.

After the assembly, the group returned to the Civic Center for cake and coffee.

The reunion committee wishes to express appreciation for assistance from Jerry Wilson of Wil-Mart, Dyer's Bar-B-Que, Moose Lodge, and other individuals too numerous to mention.

The entire community was involved with the class reunions and the city celebration on the 4th and 5th and it was refreshing to relive all the memories that so many people hold dear from our little town. Every citizen was enriched by the weekend activities.

DEATHS

AUBREY GUY BARTON
Aubrey Guy Barton, 71, died Saturday, July 5 at McLean Highland General Hospital.

Services were July 8 in First United Methodist Church, with Rev. Joe Walker, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery under the direction of Lamb Funeral Home.

Mr. Barton was born in Boggy, Okla., now Foss, Okla., and moved from Pampa to McLean in 1972. He married Fayette Bell Copeland in Clovis in 1941.

Mr. Barton was a retired gauger with Northern Natural Gas Company. He was a member of First United Methodist Church and the Lions Club.

Survivors include his wife; a sister, Miss Gladys Barton of Amarillo; three stepbrothers, James O. Wood of Chickasha, Okla., Ted Wood of Dimmitt, and Roy A. Wood of Dill City, Okla.; and two grandchildren.

ARCHIE LAYTON HIBLER
Archie Layton Hibler, 64, died July 2 in Amarillo.

Services were July 4 at First United Methodist Church in McLean with Rev. Joe Walker, pastor, and Rev. Tom Thompson, pastor of First United Methodist Church in Wellington, officiating.

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

Mr. Hibler was born in Roswell, N.M., and moved to McLean in 1918. He moved to Wheeler in 1940, where he owned and operated Hibler Implement Company. He moved back to McLean in 1974 and was engaged in farming and ranching.

He married Lila Massey in 1940. Mr. Hibler was a member of the First United Methodist Church and Wheeler Masonic Lodge No. 1099.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Lee Hibler of Wheeler; one daughter, Kitty Owens of Wellington; one brother, Guy Hibler of McCamey; one sister, Verla Jones of Lubbock; and four grandchildren.

JESSE LEO DAVIS
Services for Jesse Leo Davis, 78, of Andrews were Monday in the Means Memorial Methodist Church in Andrews with the Rev. Keith Wiseman, pastor, officiating.

Born May 3, 1902, at Burneyville, Okla., he died at 8 a.m. Saturday in McLean Hospital.


Burial was in Andrews Cemetery under the direction of Lamb Funeral Home.

Davis moved to Andrews from Mangum, Okla. in 1929. He had been visiting his daughter in McLean for the past five weeks. He married Mary Snipes May 10, 1924 in Altus, Okla. Mrs. Davis preceded him in death March 7, 1978.

Davis was a retired shop foreman for Andrews County. He had been employed by the County for 36 years before his retirement.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Bill Graham of McLean; five sons, Zane Davis of Ft. Worth, Tommy and Charles Davis, both of Andrews, Floyd Davis of Breckenridge, Mike Davis of El Paso; two sisters, Mrs. Pat Murphy and Mrs. T.E. Spannagel of Cement, Okla.; one half-brother, Joe Crow of Minnesota; and two half-sisters, Mrs. Grady Green of Burk Burnett and Mrs. Lawrence Wichbrecht of Wichita Falls.

LINES
by
LEM
O'RICKK



The GOP's ready to go,
With R. Reagan heading the show;
All those speeches won't clash
With Detroit's pile of trash;
'Cause it's all just garbage, you know.

ALANREED BRIEFS

By Lena Carter

Visiting the L.T. Goldstons last week were his brother Vernon, and wife of Dallas, July 4 they went to Clarendon where they were joined by several family members. The Goldstons and the Dan Kellers plan to leave this week for a trip to California.

James Harrison of Lubbock visited his mother Polly Harrison, brother Robert Harrison and family, and sister Faye and son Scott, Sunday.

Faye Eckstrom and Scott of El Paso, and Polly Harrison were in Pampa Monday to check on their mother and grandmother, Annie Marshall and daughter Betty.

Visiting Jewel Warner Sunday and Monday were Dwight Hightower, of Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. Roberson (she is the former Joyce Smith) and Mrs. Roberson's mother Nellie Tyree, all from Canton, Okla.; and Mrs. Roberson's sister.

The Lloyd Fulbrights had all their children home during the holidays.

Richard and Ricky Dragoos of California, Nora Dragoos, Vicki Armbrister, and Nora's sister Doll were in Pampa Wednesday.

Hazel Walker's sister was visiting here last week.

Visiting the S.C. Fish family this week is grandson Tonyo of California.

Visiting the P.M. Gibsons last week were his sister and her family, the Virgil Loweries of Lovelady, and their son Eugene and family of Spearman. Also visiting were Richard and Ricky Dragoos of California, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Harris, and Nora's sister Doll of Oregon.

Visiting the P.M. Gibsons Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Gibson, Tracy and Brad of Pampa.

Emmett Allen's garage was closed over the holidays while they did some visiting.

Visiting Lena Carter Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carter and Kevin of Bentonville, Ark., and Virginia Dalton of McLean.

Former residents Mr. and Mrs. Bill Campbell have a new grandson, Michael Wayne Helton. The parents are Sheila and John Helton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Vineyard and Shane of Glenrose visited the P.M. Gibsons during the weekend.

The Carl Bakers had grandson Clifton Morgan of Shamrock at First Baptist Church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Davis were in Groom Monday to see Mrs. Hattie Terbusch.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Keese have their grandsons visiting.

Polly Harrison and Lena Carter were in Pampa on business Tuesday.

LEFORS BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Jackson from El Paso visited Mrs. John Lantz and Norma during the reunion.

A.W. and Jackie Shoffitt were guests in the George Fogleman home over the weekend.

Ray and Betty Webb Davis, from Roges, Arkansas were visitors in Lefors.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred O. Browning, from Loving, N.M. visited his mother and Emmett over the weekend. Also, their daughter, Joy and her husband

Jerry Hurst and their two daughters were at home. The hursts live in Stillwater, Okla.

Mary Harlan, of White Deer, and JoAnn and Morris Chambliss, of Hobbs, N.M. were guests in the Bill Hesse home.

Bonita and Jack Smith, of Alexandria, Virginia, visited her sister, Geneva Lisenbee during the reunion.

Ted Bigham, from Lubbock was visiting his family and friends in Lefors over the weekend.

In this world it is not what we take up, but what we give up, that makes us rich.

Henry Ward Beecher

I teach that all men are mad.
Horace

My mother loved children.
She would have given anything if I had been one.
Groucho Marx

There is one sure fire recipe for a pilot in a strange town, that don't know where the field is located. Locate a high tension line. There is almost sure to be a field there. If not, follow it till it comes to an intersection of three or more lines and there will be located the city's municipal field.

Will Rogers

Crowd Attends Homecoming

Approximately 400 former students and friends attended the Lefors High School reunion on Friday and Saturday.

The classes of 1941 and 1942 assembled in the Quivera Room at the Coronado Inn on Friday afternoon and night while other classes from 1927 through 1950 congregated at the Lefors Civic Center.

On Saturday morning, registration and visitation took place at the High School Building until the Bar-B-Que at the cafeteria from 11 to 1. At 2, the group met in the auditorium for an assembly emceed by J.C. Jackson of El Paso. Mayor Wendell Akins welcomed the group from the city and Norman Norma Lantz extended the welcome from the School. The Necrology was acknowledged and Geneva Lisenbee, Bill Hesse, and John Archer were thanked for their help with the Bar-B-Que and the meal.

The student who travelled

the longest distance was Donald McLaughlin, from Tripoli, Libya from outside the United States, and from inside the United States was Jack and Bonita Libby Smith, from Alexandria, Virginia. Both of these were members of the Class of 1942.

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Hospital Report

DISMISSED SINCE JULY 1

Judy Blevins
John C. Haynes
Walter Miller
Eddie Phillips
Bill Pipes
M.J. Whewell
Kyle Woods

IN HOSPITAL THIS WEEK

Billy Bybee
Elmer Daniels
Mary Perry
Jesse E. Smith

There will be a blood pressure clinic July 16 from 1 p.m. until 5 p.m. at the Young-At-Heart club building.

Ruth Boles is proud to announce the adoption of her granddaughter, Ashley Brianna Howard, born July 3. Ashley has one brother Michael Shane. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Howard [formerly Jonnie Ruth Kirk] of Stinnett. Mrs. Walter Hill of McLean is her great-grandmother.

WELCOME!

'ALLEN CAFE'

WE ARE NOW OPEN FOR BUSINESS

EAST END EXXON TRUCK STOP

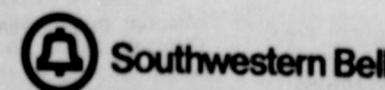
LISSA ALLEN

Public Notice

Southwestern Bell, in accordance with the rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, hereby gives notice of the company's intent to implement a new schedule of telephone rates in Texas effective August 12, 1980, unless otherwise determined by the Commission.

It is expected that the requested rate schedule will furnish an 11.65 percent increase in the company's intrastate revenues.

A complete copy of the new rate schedule is on file with the Public Utility Commission at Austin, Texas, and is available for inspection in each of the company's public business offices in Texas.



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McLEAN BRIEFS



THE FRANKE FAMILY REUNION

Franke Reunion Draws 41 To McLean July 4

A population explosion of 41 persons occurred in McLean July 4 when the Franke family reunion was held. Mrs. Evan-

elia Franke, 85, a resident of Thomas Nursing Center is the mother of 12 children, six sons and six daughters, all living. Five daughters and three sons attended with their families which included four grand-



MRS. EVELINA FRANKE

daughters, six grandsons, seven great-granddaughters, and four great-grandsons.

Those attending from California were son Lloyd (Bud) and wife Alta; son Charles and his wife Sylvia; son Clarence; daughter Edna Scrogam, her husband Dick and their grand-daughter Jessica. Their daugh-

ter Janice Layfield, her husband Norman, and their children Andy and Cheri recently moved from Oregon to Lefors.

From Kansas came daughter Mable Morilla, her husband Elmer, and their son Ed. Also attending were their two daughters, Linda Bower and husband Chet with their children Jerod and Belinda, and Betty Guder, husband Dale and their daughters Susan and Shannon.

Two of Mrs. Franke's daughters, and a granddaughter moved to McLean from California recently. They are Betty Lopez and daughter Tiffany; and daughter Elsie Morilla, granddaughter Lindalee Sy-frett, her husband Jack and their daughter Heidi Lynn.

Other McLean residents attending the reunion included daughter Lois Myers, wife of Rev. Z.A. Myers, their four sons and families, Leland and wife Wanda; Steven, wife Becky and their sons Jason and Joshua; Roger and Darrell. Grandson Tim Franke arrived later.

Betty Lopez hosted a barbecue at her home, and Rev. and Mrs. Myers had a fireworks display later that evening at their home. Mr. Howard Loyd took pictures in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Rigdon spent the holiday week-end with her mother, Mrs. Laverne Back. Greg has been accepted to the Pharmacology program at the Texas Tech School of Medicine. After four to five years of work, he will receive his Doctorate. He and Halcyon will be moving to Lubbock in August to make their home.

Recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Rush Turner were grandchildren Brian, Christian, and Courtney Brook of Rolla, Missouri.

Larry Boyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boyd is being transferred from Monahans to Bakersfield, Calif., by Gulf Oil Company.

Mrs. Viola Davis, Mike Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Johnson and children of Shendoah, Iowa visited Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Trew Saturday.

Mrs. Fern Boyd spent Sunday night with her sister, Mrs. Frankie White, in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Windom of Celina visited during the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Windom, Jr.

John Adamson and son Johnny, Mike Nunez, and Becky Orrick visited the George Orricks during the weekend.

Burret Kinard spent Saturday and Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Raymond McReynolds, and family in Forgan, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Glenn of Arkansas have been visiting his brother Bob Glenn and family, and her mother, Mrs. Lona Jones. The Roy Glens and Mrs. Jones were in Skellytown Sunday to see their sister and daughter, Mrs. Marie Immel.

The David Trew family of Amarillo spent the weekend at the Trew Ranch.

Mrs. George Terry and son Billy, and Jill Trew attended a Campbell family reunion at Brownwood.

Mrs. Clyde Brown has been in Amarillo following a tonsilectomy.

Mrs. Ruth Magee was in Amarillo Thursday on business.

Mrs. Marsalee Vineyard and son Scott spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Windom Sr.

Guests of Mrs. Minnie Fulbright over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Cass Archer and Tim of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harrell of Gore, Okla.; and Mrs. Faye Bargay and children Tommy, John and Brenda of Centerton, Ark.

Mrs. Ada Simmons and Granville made a business trip to Clarendon Tuesday.

Sandra Reed or Roanoke spent the weekend with Diane McAnear and Jamie Trew.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Graham

made a business trip to Plain-view Thursday.

Ernest Smith of Amarillo and Hershel Smith of Calif. have 3 have been visiting their dad, J.E. Smith and other relatives.

Kimberly and Tina Winter of San Angelo are visiting grandparents Bernard and Zelda McClellan.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Trew of Bryan visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Trew and other relatives last week.

Eva Peabody is in Dallas visiting her daughter Mrs. Ted Longino and family.

Guests of Corinne Trimble were her grandchildren Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hamer and sons Jason and Kevin of Lubbock; and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Trimble and daughter Madie of Houston.

Mrs. Evelyn Pennington was in Shamrock Hospital three days last week.

Guests of Mrs. Betty McCurley during the weekend were daughters, Mrs. Lynda Butt and daughters of Clayton; and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Schneider and children of Denton. Mrs. McCurley returned home with the Schneiders for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mc Mullen made a business trip to Pampa Monday.

Dean Trew returned home Sunday from Sasabe, Ariz where he had been working.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Pennington were grandson Arlis Edwards and family of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Whitten and family of Erick, Okla.

Mrs. Jewel McCurley is visiting her daughter Mrs. Frankie Stacy in North Carolina.

The Billy Jack Baileys entertained with a cook out on the fourth with guests Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCurley and children of Shamrock, Britt and Peggy Hathaway, and Betty McCurley.

Jean Orrick is spending this week in Lubbock with her daughter Becky.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Trew and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Allen of Shamrock spent several days at Taos, N.M.

Chloe McMullen and Lavern Carter attended the Gray County 4-H Dress Review at Pampa Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ercy Cubine attended a school reunion in Knox City during the weekend.

Three of the four children of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Looper gathered in McLean over the July Fourth holiday for a family reunion. Mrs. Sam Haynes of McLean, Mrs. Ethel Barnes of Dumas, and M.T. Looper of Norman, Okla. were the ones attending. James Looper of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. was unable to attend.

Others attending the reunion at the Haynes home were Mrs. Doris Looper and Marsha and Bobby Roberson of Norman Okla.; Tommy Looper of Edmund, Okla.; Orin Barnes and Shawn and Starlynn of Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carter

and Kristina of Odessa; Mrs. Jenny Evans, Chris and Jack of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Thacker Haynes and J.T. of McLean; Scott Raines of Lubbock; Sally and Dollie Haynes of McLean.

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MR. AND MRS. HARRIS D'SPAIN

D'Spains Honored On 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Harris D'Spain were honored with an open house Sunday July 6 to celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary. The open house was hosted by their children and grandchildren. On Saturday, a family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D'Spain.

Out-of-town guests were Frances and Pamm Akers, of Tyler; Leslie and Choissa Chamberlin of Lakewood, Colo.; Ruth Thomas of Amarillo; Grace Bufkin of Silver City, N.M.; Cecil and Helen D'Spain of Estancia, N.M.; Lalla D'Spain of Albuquerque, N.M.; J.A. and Janice Treadwell of Hobbs, N.M.; Charles and Ada

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Hosting the open house were Mr. and Mrs. Jae F. Horton of Big Spring; Jeff and Wendy Horton and Leslie of Lubbock; Jon and Janene Horton of Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Walker of Kennewick, Wash.; and Weston Walker of Kennewick, Wash.

weekend at Blakemore Lake, north of Shamrock fishing and cooking out. Joining them were Sue's twin sister Janet Marriotti, Gary and Ginger, of Odessa; Tinnie and Willie Marriotti, and Ruby and Bulb Alexander. They all shared lunch Sunday at Sue Marsh's home.

Frankie Smith visited with her mother, Myrtle Miller, in Decatur, Texas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Boyd Smith attended the 6 annual Bob Willis Memorial old time Fiddle Contest in the Elwood Park Amarillo, Texas visited with old friends including Sis and Morris Stephens from Matador, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clifford of Quinlan and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moore of Pampa visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ott Moore during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moore have returned from Kaiserslautern, Germany after a four-year stay. They are now living in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel McCarty of McLean and their son Joel of Dallas visited last week in New Boston and Longview. While there they attended the wedding of Ray Gunn, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Rodney Gunn. They also played golf and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hindman.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McLaughlin of Cisco visited in the Sam Haynes home Saturday. Mrs. McLaughlin is the former Johnnie Syper who worked for several years as a nurse in the McLean Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Martindale of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mason of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Bart Martindale of Shamrock, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Pierce of Yukon, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Cooper of Oklahoma visited Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Martindale last weekend.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T.G. Richardson were Doris and C.B. Locke and David of Lewisville; Joy Mae and Jessie Cooper and their three sons of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil O. Richardson and Lynn of Fort Worth; and Mrs. Larry Richardson and T.G. of Fort Worth. All went to Panhandle for a family reunion where there were 107 present.

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July 14
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July 15
Mrs. R.T. Dickinson
Mrs. Earl Stubblefield
Joan Webb
Mrs. Frank Golightly
Jim Bob Adams
Dick Bode

July 16
Mrs. Jack West

Ladies Auxiliary Elects New Member
By Lucille Cullison
The Ladies Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars for the Johnnie Windom Post #8565 met for a formal meeting in the post home July 1 at 8 p.m.
Louise Dickinson was elected as a new auxiliary member and was inducted into the auxiliary.
She was also elected as the new telephone chairman.
A salad supper is set in the post home July 17 at 7:30 p.m. for the Post and auxiliary members and their families.
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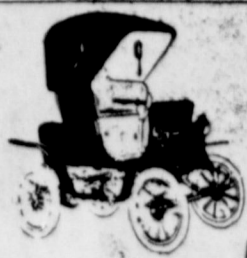
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DOWN MEMORY LANE

From the files of The McLean News

by Sam Haynes

10 YEARS AGO

E.M. BAILEY, Ed.
Richard Campbell of Texas Tech University, a defensive end, played recently in the Coach's All-American Football game in Lubbock's Jones Stadium. He became the third Red Raider to play in the game. Campbell, of Matador, is the brother of Mrs. Jim Allison of McLean.

Clarence Pierce was a patient in Groom Memorial Hospital last week.

Mrs. Roy Glenn and son Clifton of Jackson, Ark., returned home Friday after spending some time at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Lona Jones, in the hospital.

20 YEARS AGO

CHARLES CULLIN, Ed.
Purchase was announced this week of the zero lockers in McLean by Glen Curry and Carl Watson. The firm was formerly owned by Roland Williams.

Pvt. Tommy Boston of Camp Pendleton, Calif., has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Bessie Boston, and other relatives for two weeks.

Mrs. C.B. Peabody and Mrs. Ted Longino and boys made a business trip to Pampa and visited Mrs. H.A. Longino in Highland General Hospital.

30 YEARS AGO

LESTER CAMPBELL, Ed.
Writing an article on "Better Farming and Better Farm Living Ideas" has paid off for John Dee Coleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Coleman, in the form of a \$100 scholarship. His essay, a project in Mrs. Jim Back's English class last semester, was entered in the farm youth contest of the magazine "Business of Farming" published by the U.S. Gypsum Company of Chicago. The article placed fourth in the national contest.

Donna Gail and June Stubblefield, Floella Cubine, Ann Cooper, and Bethie Mantooth visited the latter part of the week and the first of this week with Mr. and Mrs. C.P. Cline and Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Stubblefield in Amarillo.

Peggy McCracken of Alanreed visited over the week-end with Betty Pearson.

Mrs. Claude Powell left Monday for a visit with relatives in Hereford.

40 YEARS AGO

T.A. LANDERS, Ed.
The formal opening of the McLean Public Library will be held Monday afternoon from 4 to 7 o'clock, to which the general public is invited. Refreshments will be served to all who attend the opening sou-

airs will be given, music and a display of dolls from foreign countries will be featured.

Sherrif Cal Rose of Pampa was in McLean Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S.W. Rice and sons James Lee and Billy D., Mrs. M.G. Armstrong of Sunray, Mrs. Edward Gething and Miss Mary Ellen Gething spent Sunday in Lone Wolf, Okla., visiting relatives.

John Sturgeon, Pampa attorney, made an address on "Real Americanism" at the Lions Club ladies night banquet and installation of officers, in the recreation hall at Lake McClellan Tuesday evening.

Briton Rogers of Mesa, Ariz., visited his uncle, M.M. Newman, last week.

50 YEARS AGO
T.A. LANDERS, Ed.
Miss Floy Rowe, who is attending W.T.S.T.C. at Canyon, made the honor roll for the spring term. Miss Rowe is a graduate of McLean High School.

It is reported that a high line will be built into McLean by the Southwestern Public Service Co. this summer to care for the needs of their McLean customers. T.W. Gilstrap, local manager, when interviewed by a News reporter, refused to deny or affirm the report, stating that there is no plan to discontinue the present plant. A high line would place in McLean practically unlimited electric power for any use, which is not true under present conditions.

W.L. Haynes, former McLean resident, was accidentally shot with his own automatic shot gun last Thursday, necessitating the amputation of his left hand and foot.

Woodrow Wilkerson and Isadore Cohert were Memphis visitors Sunday.

A.P. Rippy and daughter, Mrs. Nida Green, returned Friday from a visit at Branson, Colo.

60 YEARS AGO

M.L. MOODY, Ed.
Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Upham entertained a large crowd of people at their home west of town on Monday with a picnic, with a big basket dinner at noon. Unlike most picnics of this sort, everybody was invited, and there were about 200 people present. The Uphams entertained this large crowd in their usual hospitable manner, and the event will long be pleasantly remembered by those who attended.

C.L. Cooke of the American National Bank tells us that arrangements have been made with Dallas parties to put in a n up-to-date gin plant here. This will be welcome news to farmers who have planted cotton on the strength of previous assurances that a gin would be built, but which failed to grow into anything more tangible.

Messrs. and Mesdames Jesse and Burette Kinard motored to Clarendon Monday for the celebration.

Curley Crockett and Charles Cousins motored to Amarillo Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Carpenter and little daughters returned the last of the week from Central Texas.

70 YEARS AGO

A.G. RICHARDSON, Ed.
Wednesday morning the local school board considered and passed favorably a petition signed by the patrons of the Skillet school district asking that they be allowed to transfer their children to this district. The matter of transferring the scholastic money will be taken up with the officials of Donley county, of which Skillet district is a part, and it is believed the transfer will be made without a hitch.

Yesterday afternoon the team of W.A. Hawkins of Northfork, which were hitched to a hack in front of Cash & Sons' store, became frightened and ran away, taking the direct road towards home. They made several short turns and were running at a lively clip but managed to keep the hack right side up until they were caught by F.H. Yokley. Luckily, there was no damage done.

Minnis Massay and D.B. Veatch went out into the wilds Wednesday to look for owls and jack rabbits.

Arthur McCready of Alanreed was here the first of the week to help the local ball team in their game with the Bloomers.

Mrs. Sherrod of Noble, Okla., is spending a few weeks here the guest of her sons, H.W. and Roy.



STEVE MYERS WAS one of several people who provided special music at the patriotic worship service Sunday night. (Photo by Linda Haynes)

AREA THEATRE LISTINGS

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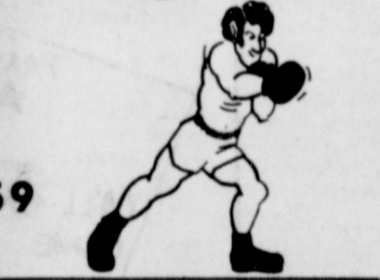
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A special thanks again for our ambulance service and for Jim and Randy.

We love you all,
The entire Turpen family

We would like to thank those who donated on the quilt, and also we would like you to know that we are very grateful for the beautiful trophy we won. Thank you again. Yount-At-Heart Club.

NOTICES

ATTENTION
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Citation by Publication issued this 23rd day of June, A.D. 1980 Helen Sprinkle District Clerk. By Laverne Bayless Deputy.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To: JIMMY A. DECKER
GREETING:

You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 11th day of August, A.D. 1980, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable 223rd Court of Gray County, at the Court House in Pampa, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 20th day of June, 1980. The file number of said suit being No. 22,037. The names of the parties in said suit are:

In the matter of the marriage of Donnetta Decker as Petitioner and Jimmy A. Decker and in the interest of Johnny Lee Decker and Christine Diaz, minor children, as respondent. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit:

Suit for Divorce

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.
Issued this the 23rd day of June A.D., 1980.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Pampa, Texas, this the 23rd day of June A.D. 1980.
223rd District
Helen Sprinkle Court Clerk
Gray County, Texas
By Laverne Bayless Deputy



GREGG MANN LED the assembled crowd in the pledge to the flag at the patriotic service in the park. (Photo by Linda Haynes)

Loose Marbles

by Lisa Patman

(This is one of those "for women only" columns—unless you are a man who has a great interest in shaving your legs, in which case it is okay for you to read it, but people will look at you funny if they catch you.)

The other evening I caught Old Dad staring intently at my legs. Thinking that I might be in line for a compliment, I asked coquettishly (with a little fluttering of the eyelashes), "What are you thinking, my handsome prince?"

"I was thinking you should either shave them or curl them," He replied.

A few minutes later, after finding my razor under a melting bar of soap, I began an intense study of my legs, making what may be one of my finest discoveries—my entire life history is etched on my very own legs.

On my right knee is a scar caused by a fall in the seventh grade. As I recall, just before I fell I was running to see who the police were transferring from the playground to the paddy wagon (those ninth grade boys were greatly attracted to hubcaps and gasoline—especially if they belonged to someone else.)

Below that scar is another that tells of the time when I was a gawky fourteen-year-old cheerleader. That scar symbolizes a wreck in which the tiny car I was riding in ran smack into a telephone repair truck. We were on our way to a pep rally (those of us in the tiny car, not the repair truck.) I remember how, later, I bravely led the student body in cheer after cheer. I also remember my bandage slipping loose halfway through the rally, flapping wildly through the remaining cheers.

My left leg has, memory-wise, a really heart-tugging scar—a long, thin one made as I was shaving my legs, nervously getting ready for my first date (I was stood up). And there are two other, quite similar scars which testify to the fact that I was late for my own wedding simply because I couldn't find a white band-aid to match my wedding dress. Funny how hard it is to explain to a new husband that you were late because you cut yourself shaving.

Then there are those delicately colored varicose veins which not only announced the approaching birth of my first child, but began to tell my age at the same time.

And at this very moment there is a lovely green and yellow bruise on my left ankle which shows that instead of sitting quietly at home, reading books and eating bon-bons like any right-thinking person should, I was out getting whammed on the ankle by a large, ferocious tool box.

All in all, I figure my life's story has been permanently recorded on my lower limbs (there's no telling what the rest of my body has to say) or, if you want it put more profoundly, not only is my life an open book, it is a naked leg.

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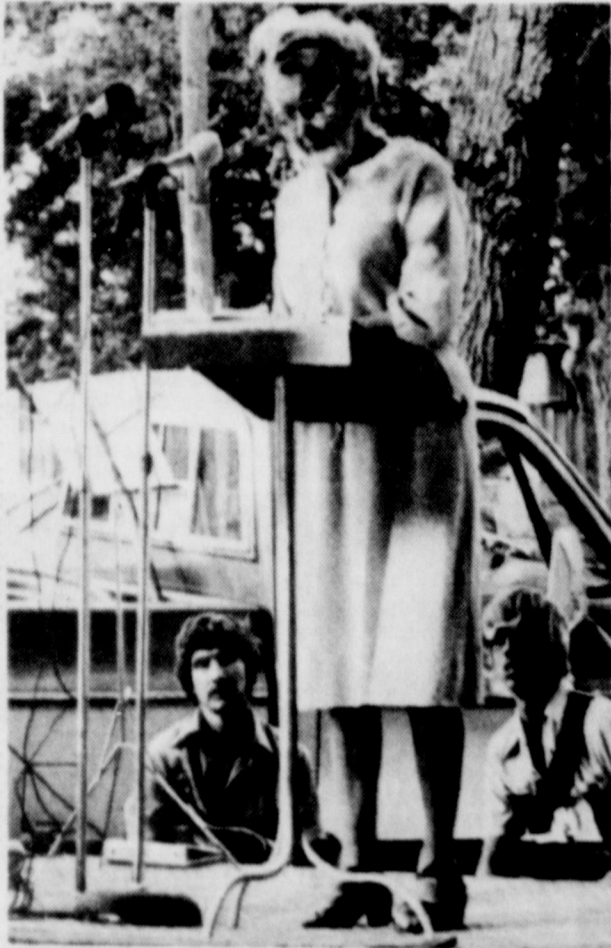
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ONE OF THE speakers at the worship service in the park Sunday night was Mrs. Frances Kennedy, a retired school teacher. (Photo by Linda Haynes)

Quotable Quotes

Selfish persons are incapable of loving others, but they are not capable of loving themselves either.
Erich Fromm

The ruin of a nation begins in the homes of its people.
Ashanti Proverb

We are under-exercised as a nation. We look instead of play. We ride instead of walk. Our existence deprives us of the minimum of physical activity essential for healthy living.
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