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# The McLean News

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## Missing Oklahoma Man Discovered West Of Alanreed Tuesday Morning; Listed In Serious Condition

A 42-year-old Oklahoma truck driver who had been reported missing since September 13,

was discovered early Tuesday morning by two fellow truck drivers, near Alanreed.

Harry E. Barfield of Erick, Oklahoma, was discovered

when the two men had stopped along I-40 and were walking around stretching their legs. Their call for help was received by McLean Ambulances at ap-

proximately 10 a.m.

Barfield and his truck were 4.8 miles west of Alanreed. The truck left the west bound lane of I-40, travelling down a sharp decline approximately 100 yards before smashing into a small canyon.

Barfield was reportedly enroute to Hereford to pick up a load of corn for Frito Lay when he was last seen about 10 p.m. Sept. 13 at the truck stop off I-40's Pagan exit.

Barfield was discovered ab-

out 100 yards east of the truck. It was not known if he jumped or was thrown from the truck before it crashed.

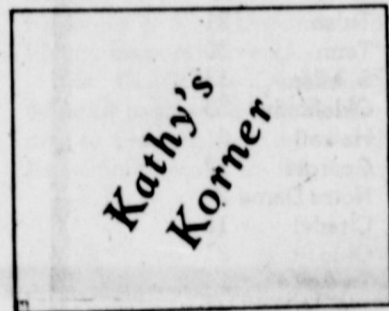
Stories on the truck driver's disappearance had appeared in several newspapers, on radios,

and television stations.

Barfield, a diabetic, was transported to Northwest Texas Hospital by McLean Ambulance where he was listed in serious condition.



THIS TRUCK AND its driver was reported missing September 13. It was located by Alanreed. (Photo by Kathy Carter)



The City of McLean has scheduled a hearing for 8 p.m. Wednesday night, to take suggestions for ways to spend approximately \$7,000 of revenue sharing fund monies.

Although the meeting may be poorly attended, due to the fact that it's scheduled for a Wednesday night, I hope suggestions will be plentiful (and useful).

A former McLean mayor told me Tuesday that revenue sharing cannot be used for things such as salaries, but can be used for things like new mowers equipment...and new items for the park.

I personally will suggest to the council that a certain amount of that money be set aside to be used in the park...for new swings, new basketball goals,

repair work on the tennis courts-the possibilities are endless!

We are blessed with a shady, pleasant park, and we should be able to set aside a little money able to set aside a little of the money we have to ensure the park will be a fun place for the youth, a challenging place for athletes, and a relaxing place for family picnics.

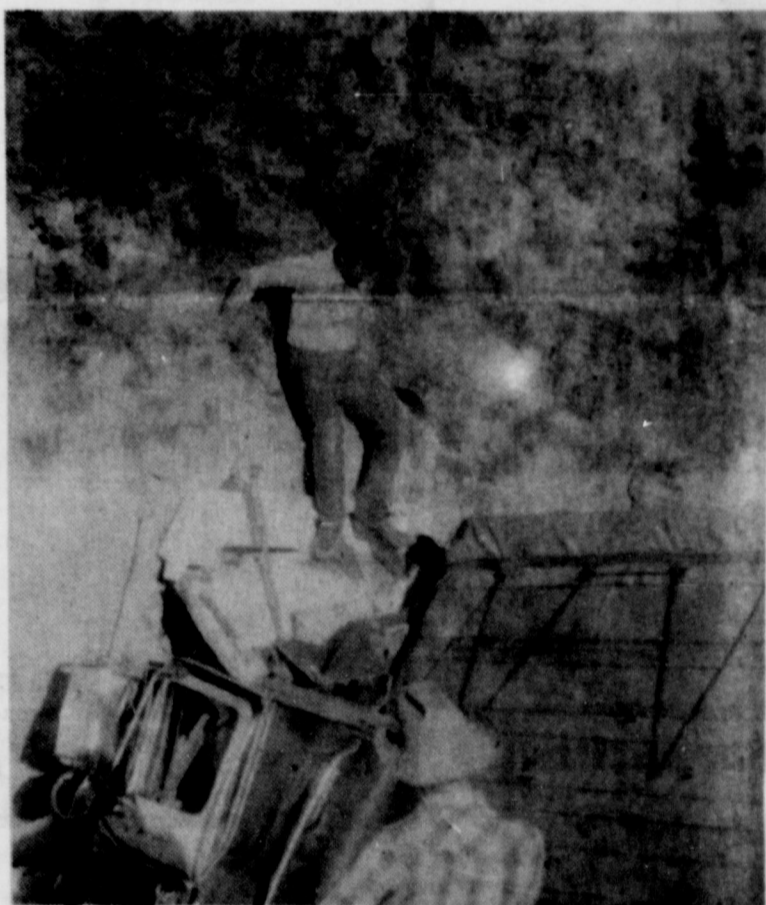
I'm sure you have several good ideas where this money might well be applied. Take a minute to jot a few down and drop them by City Hall for the council's consideration. This is an opportunity to really see your money at work!

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I was called out to cover a wreck Tuesday morning, and as always, was struck by the cool, level-headed, professionalism of our ambulance team, fire department, law enforcement men, and rescue teams.

There are not enough words to describe the pride I felt as I watched these McLean volunteers calmly go about their work, covering each area and leaving no loose-ends.

I hope none of us are ever in a wreck needing the assistance of professional help, but if we are, I hope that help is the same calibre as our McLean people.



CURTIS SIMPSON MAKES his way down to the wrecked truck to check for victims. (Photo by Kathy Carter)

## Ladder Tourney Concludes Sunday

Final play has begun this week in the ladder tournament, as the tournament winds down

to a close. The final tournament will be held at 1:30 Sunday afternoon.

Challenges can be issued and answered until Saturday night.

Players finishing in the top six positions of the ladder will play in a medal play tournament Sunday.

All other players and ladies will play in a scramble tournament that afternoon.

A picnic supper following the action will conclude this year's tournament.

Standings on the ladder as of noon Tuesday were 1. Wayne Carter, 2. Davey Haynes, 3. Sam D. Haynes, 4. Casper Smith, 5. Stacey Howard, 6. Alvin Danner, 7. Johnny Haynes, 8. Bob Glass, 9. Tim Fitch, 10. Buck Lee, 11. Doug Guthrie, 12. Doyal Billingsley, 13. Sam A. Hayes, 14. E.J. Windom, Jr., 15. Thacker Haynes, 16. Bill B. Terry, 17. Howard Williams, and 18. Bill Hambricht.

## Stanberry To Speak At Church

Miss Linda Stanberry, a missionary to Costa Rica for a second term will be speaking in both the morning and evening services Sept. 23 in the Pentecostal Holiness Church located at 603 N. Commerce.

Miss Stanberry answered the call of God onto Christian ministries about twelve years ago.

She is a graduate of Southwestern College of Christian Ministries of Oklahoma City

and completed the prescribed study course for missionaries required by the Pentecostal Holiness Denomination for Ordination

Miss Stanberry was raised in Bovina, Texas and her short stay in the states at this time includes a visit with her parents there. She will return to Costa Rica Sept. 29. Those attending the services will be permitted to ask questions. Services are at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday. The public is invited to attend

## Councilmen To Enforce Dog Ordinance

City Employee will begin picking up stray dogs this week, according to Mayor George Terry.

"We are amending sections five and seven of ordinance 133, to make the penalties stiffer for allowing dogs to roam the city limits," explained Terry. "We are serious about enforcing this ordinance-we have had several complaints about stray dogs, and have decided to take definite action."

The fine for a first-time offense was raised from \$10 to \$25. Owners will be charged \$50 thereafter for each offense, and will also be charged a \$5 fee to cover the expenses of putting up the dog.

Pets will also have to have all

tags and shots before they will be allowed to leave the pens.

If an animal is not claimed within three days, the dog will be disposed of.

In further action, councilmen decided not to raise city taxes this year. The ad valorem tax rate will be set at \$.2661. Last year's rate was \$.265. The change in the rate is so small, it will not cause any changes, according to councilmen.

The group received a favorable report from the Texas Health Department on the landfill and the new fence that are currently under construction.

Mayor Terry also expressed to the council that a considerable amount of money had been saved by allowing Abrams

Construction Company to bury their waste at the dump site. In return, Abrams covered a large portion of the old dump, saving the city money.

City fathers agreed to allow city secretary Stella Lee to combine the tax fund and recreation fund to the general fund.

Councilmen then tabled the budget, and scheduled a public hearing for the budget, 8 p.m. September 26.

New changes in the laws concerning delinquent tax codes were discussed and tabled.

Mayor Terry informed the council that a representative from the Panhandle Regional

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## Whittler's Bench

By Sam Haynes

We're just a few days from the end of another comparably dry summer and the beginning of what I hope will be a wetter fall. The precipitation for up till today (Tuesday) has been 13.35 inches, which is running considerably under our normal yearly rainfall of around 21 inches.

At least the rains we have gotten this year have come at good times and did as much good as that amount possibly could have...

Oklahoma is voting to make their entire year wetter with a liquor-by-the-drink vote coming up soon.

The G.M. strike is still going on as I am writing this column. I know there are lots of farmers, ranchers and others in this part of the country who would like to be making \$101.36 a day (not counting benefits) that the union workers decided wasn't enough.

We may be pricing ourselves right out of business in this

country in more areas than auto making.

It has been estimated by someone that a state lottery in Texas would bring in around \$250,000,000.00 annually to the state treasury. Opponents of "gambling" would be expected to oppose such a move in our state. I have always believed that if I was against something, I didn't have to do it, and I have not wanted to put myself in the position of telling someone else what isn't good for him or legislating morality for others. I have enough trouble taking care of my own!!!

Such a lottery might even allow us taxpayers to get through for awhile without increased state assessments.

I still agree with Will Rodgers when he said "but we have gone so far past "nothing" that more are nearing "everything" in the amount paid to support federal, state, and local governments."

Next week I'm going to bring into focus some of the ways all us old timers can tell if it's gonna be a hard winter coming

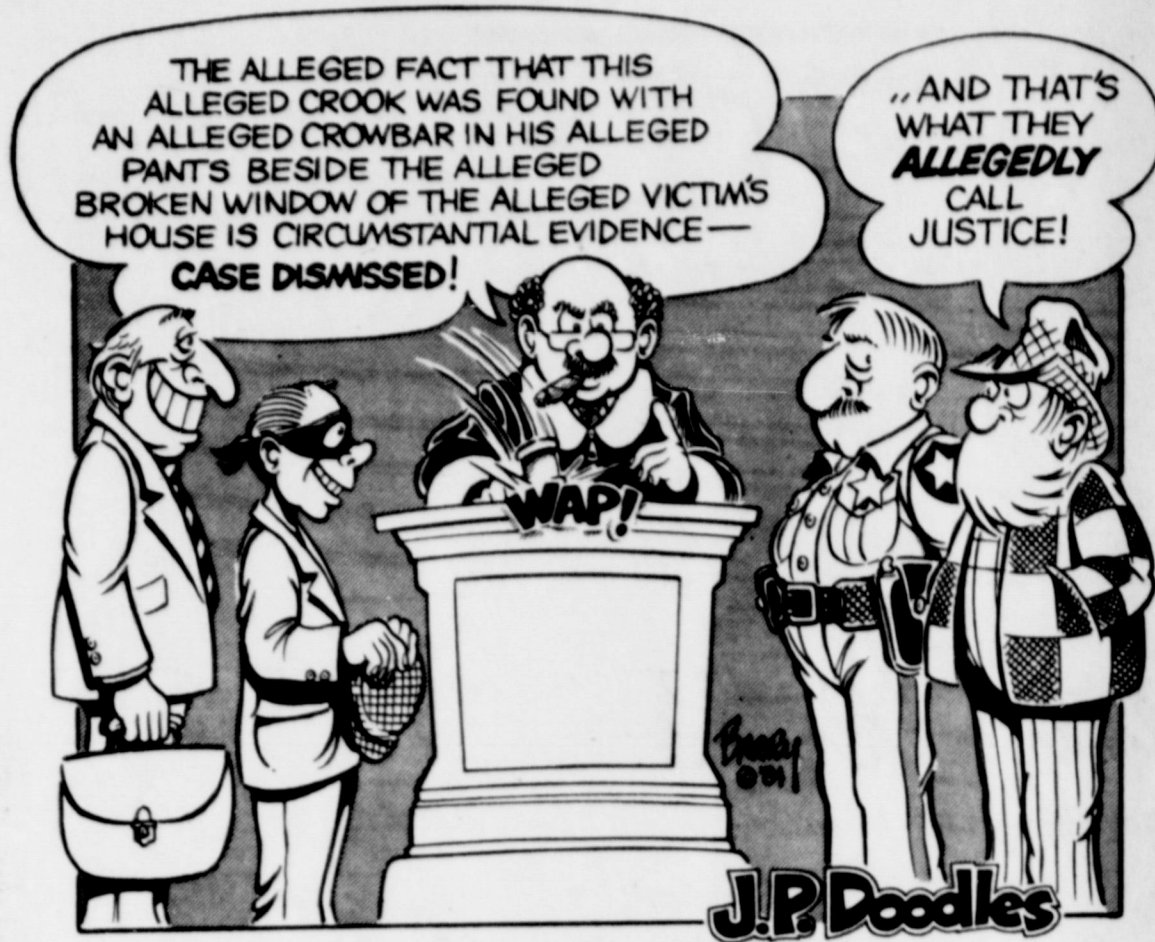
up. If you know any of these "sure-fire" signs, share them with us here at the news office so we can include them in our report.



Date	High	Low
9-11-84	95	69
9-12-84	94	64
9-13-84	95	67
9-14-84	78	65
9-15-84	69	49
9-16-84	78	54
9-17-84	88	53

Precip. for period-none





**COUNCIL**

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Planning Commission would be present at the meeting September 26 to explain any questions concerning the annexation of land into the city limits. City fathers are also inquiring into ways and means of

cleaning several of the abandoned buildings around McLean. Further information is needed before work can be begun on this project. After paying bills, councilmen went into executive session at 9:15. They came out of

executive session at 10:30, and dismissed the meeting at 10:45. Present were Mayor Terry; councilmen W.A. Bentley, June Suggs, and Dr. H.F. Fablan; city secretary Stella Lee; Mr. and Mrs. M.L. Fennell, Tony Smitherman, and Ted Simmons

"Everyone has foolish ideas but a wise man keeps them to himself." -Wilhelm Busch

**Charlene Miller Named To Roll**

Charlene Miller was recently named to the President's Honor Roll at the Amarillo Campus of Texas State Technical Institute, according to Mr. Ron DeSpain, Campu President. Membership to the President's Honor Roll is attained by maintaining a 4.0 grade average.

Charlene is majoring in Cosmetology and is the daughter of Mrs. Annie Herndon of McLean

**LINES by LEM O'RICKK**



The facts are all out now to show,  
'Bout who in our state's got the dough;  
Yes, the Hunts have got loot,  
But that doesn't compute;  
The richest is H. Ross Perot!



**Peerless Prognosticator Predicts**  
by Sam Haynes

Alabama	42	S. E. La.	7
Arizona St.	17	S. Cal.	
Arizona U.	10	L. S. U.	24
Arizona St.	17	S. Cal.	27
Arkansas	27	Tulsa	21
Army	10	Tenn.	30
Auburn	31	S. Miss.	13
Baylor	3	Oklahoma	33
Brigham Y.	42	Hawaii	6
Clemson	21	Georgia	17
Colorado	14	Notre Dame	28
Ga. Tech	29	Citadel	12
Iowa	24	Ohio St.	21
Iowa St.	10	Tx A&M	24
Kansas	7	Vanderbilt	24
Kansas St.	13	T. C. U.	26
Michigan	40	Wisconsin	14
Miami Fla.	27	Florida St.	24
Nebraska	35	U. C. L. A.	20
N. Mex.	14	Tx. Tech	24
Okla. St.	33	San Diego	
Okla. St.	33	S. Diego St.	13
Rice	28	Lamr	6
S. M. U.	35	N. Tx. St.	6
W. T. S. U.	3	McNeese St.	31
Green Bay	13	Dallas	31
Houston	27	Atlanta	24

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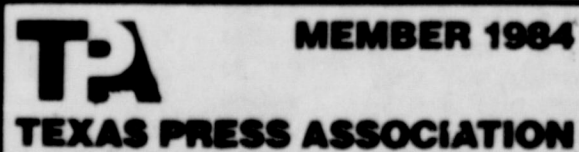
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McLean, Texas  
Population 1160 (1980 Census)



**Senator Bill Sarpalius Reports**



**Reports**



PARENTS MUST BE INVOLVED

AUSTIN - In my last report, we discussed changes in the code of conduct for students. Our school districts bear a responsibility for handling disruptive students, according to the changes made in the summer educational reform session of the Legislature. For some time, there have been school community guidance centers in the larger school districts in the state. Now, these guidance centers will be extended to all districts. They are designed for assistance to students with behavioral problems. Under the new law, parents will be required to meet the school district representative for the purpose of developing an agreement that specifies the responsibilities of the parent and the student within the school community guidance center program. Further, each school district is now required to adopt and implement a discipline management program, subject to approval of the State Board of Education. This program must include cooperative development of the program by school personnel, parents and students. The program

must include the development of a student code of conduct and consequences for violation of the code, and must make parental involvement an integral part of the program with at least two parent-teacher conferences during each school year. Each teacher in the district must successfully complete training in the discipline management program that is adopted in that district by the beginning of 1987. The Texas Department of Community Affairs will be authorized to develop programs in conjunction with private, non profit organizations. The aim will be to target student drop-outs for either returning them to school or to help them achieve an equivalent diploma and to obtain permanent employment. The Steps that have been taken are intended to link the parent more closely to the educational problems his or her child may be experiencing. We are attempting to develop a program that will not just give up on hard to handle youth, but will provide the alternatives that will allow them to become a part of the mainstream of our Texas society.

**COW POKES**

By Ace Reid



"Oh I'm jest pottin' a few pots for the pottle!"

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## DOWN MEMORY LANE

Compiled By Sam Haynes

### 10 Years Ago...

E.M. Bailey, Ed.  
Herald News...Mr. Bartow Landers of Tygh Valley, Oregon visited Wednesday and Thursday in the home of his niece Mrs. Arlie Grigsby. Mrs. J.D. Morris of Amarillo was also visiting her mother Mrs. Grigsby.

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The Senior class recently held a class meeting in which they elected candidates for Harvest King and Queen. Those elected are Charles Stewart and Kathy Hales.

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Mrs. Bertha Smith returned home recently from visiting relatives in Louisiana. While she was there the area was hit by a hurricane.

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20 Years Ago...  
Jack Shelton, Ed.  
An 80-year-old Wellington woman was the object of an

intense search for about 24 hours last week before being found in the vicinity of her former home northwest of town. The hunt ended shortly after 5 p.m. Thursday, when Mrs. W.R. Orr was found at the edge of a pond of water near McLellan Creek.

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Steve Fuller was elected president of the McLean High School freshman class in a meeting held recently. Other officers are Mike Simpson, vice-president; Judy Kingston, secretary-treasurer; Jimmy Hester, reporter.

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The Olympic Torch, unlit but carried as if it had been, came through McLean Tuesday afternoon, with members of the Jaycees and high school boys serving as runners. The torch is

being carried to Los Angeles, Calif., as a part of a fund-raising project for the United States team going to the Olympics in Tokyo, Japan.

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Mr. and Mrs. L.H. Earthman celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday Sept. 6, with an open house at their home in Alanreed. Their children and grandchildren honored the couple on the occasion.

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### 30 Years Ago...

Lester Campbell, Ed.  
James Gleason (Jimm) Bryant, 83 years of age, died suddenly at his home in Alanreed Tuesday evening. A colorful figure, Bryant was that type of man who always was apparently happy. A blacksmith by trade, he was well known to many area residents for his educated horse.

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Mrs. Bryan McPherson was awarded \$47.00 in merchandise certificates during the weekly Appreciation Day activities in McLean last Saturday afternoon.

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Jerry Guyton and Gale Plummer of WTSU, Canyon, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Guyton and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dysart.

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### 40 Years Ago...

T.A. Landers, Ed.  
G.P. Follet brought in the first bale of cotton this season, Sept. 15. The bale weighed 523 pounds and the seed weighed 820 pounds from 1930 pounds of cotton.

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W.B. Mercer made a busi-

ness trip to Dallas and Fort Worth this week.

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Lt. W.C. Stotts, former McLean resident, is a prisoner of war in Germany. His sister-in-law, Mrs. L.E. Cunningham resides in McLean.

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Mr. and Mrs. Claude Simmons and grandson of Amarillo visited the former's sister, Mrs. L.E. Cunningham this week.

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### 50 Years Ago...

T.A. Landers, Ed.  
The M.H. Kinard family moved to Lubbock this week, where Mr. Kinard has bought a farm. The Kinards are one of the old time families here and they have not sold their farm at Gracey and expect to visit this community from time to time.

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The McLean League of the Methodist Church was represented at the Clarendon district League meeting at Wellington, Sept. 15 and 16, by Misses Valeria Stout, Hazel Dyer, Eula Faye Foster, Margaret and Ruth Hess; and Malcomb Stout.

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A "hobo" party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.S. McLaughlin last Thursday evening, honoring Lloyd and Cagel Hunt, who were leaving Saturday for Simmons University at Abilene. A camp fire was built and stories and songs enjoyed until a late hour, when refreshments were served. The boys

were given a rousing farewell as the crowd dispersed.

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Everything will be in readiness for night playing on the local football field when the Shamrock eleven meets the locals here next week. Lighting the firefield has been made possible by cooperation from the business and professional men and the school authorities, and represents some \$1500.00 expenditure.

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### 60 Years Ago...

T.A. Landers, Ed.  
Emmett Thompson of Plainview was in town Monday.

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Curley Crockett returned Saturday from Amarillo.

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The teachers of McLean school were entertained with a moonlight picnic and watermelon feast on Skillet creek Friday evening. The following were among those present: Misses Young, Dutton, Payne, Inez Roberts of Wichita Falls, Vera Roberts, Cousins, Upham, Carpenter, Tucker, Eunice and Lucile Stratton, Mesdames Boyett and Dunkle, Messrs. Dean,

Rodgers, Rice, Steger, Guill, White and Dr. Thos. M. Montgomery.

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Mrs. Temple Atkins of Ramsdell was a McLean visitor Saturday.

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Adv...There will be a poultry car in McLean Friday and Saturday.

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### 70 Years Ago...

A.G. Richardson, Ed.  
Adv...Listen...Tires set and wheels oiled and painted...\$5 per set...City Blacksmith Shop.

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Adv...See, phone or write Henry Thut at Pampa, Texas, for any information about the Buick automobile.

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Strayed on Monday night, September 7th, one black mare mule branded H on left thigh. Finder please notify Frank Bell and receive award. Phone 4 rings on 76.

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The first bale of 1914 cotton to reach the local market was brought in by W.P. Vermillion Wednesday and was purchased by Wise and Beall.

## County Conservation District Sponsors Fish Stocking Program

The Gray County Soil and Water Conservation District is sponsoring a fish stocking program for Gray County and the surrounding area.

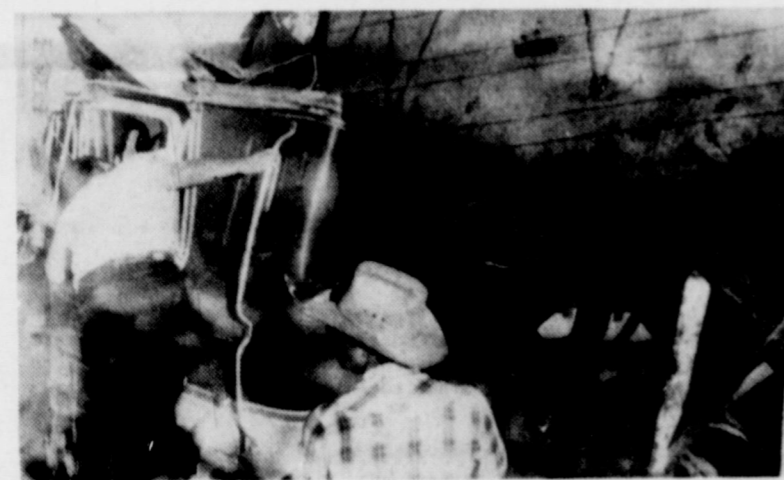
The types of fish available through this program are: 4" Channel Catfish at 35c each, 6" Channel Catfish at 65c each; 4" Blue Catfish at 45c each, 6" Blue Catfish at 60c each; 2-3" Bass at 55c each; 2-3" Redear Sunfish at 35c each; Flathead Minnows at \$7 per pound; and Plastic Bags at 25c each.

The District is requesting advance payment on each order due to the necessity of taking fish immediately to the farm

pond from the delivery point. All orders must be in by the 26th of September.

We expect the delivery date to be in the first week in October. Due to the early deadline, please get your orders in as soon as possible. All parties involved will be informed of date, time, and location of delivery.

For more information concerning your fish stocking needs and order information, contact the Gray County Soil and Water Conservation District by phone at 665-1751 or write to Star Route 2 Box 32, Pampa Texas, 79065.



RESCUERS CHECK FOR victims of this wrecked truck located near Alanreed

## Former McLean Residents Honored

Gary and Teresa Mertel Phillips, former McLean High School graduates, are now members of First Baptist Church of Euless, TX. They are living a life of service and dedication to their church and Home Missions.

They were recently featured on the cover of the Weekly Baptist Standard and on posters distributed all over the state of Texas, representing the "Chosen Witness" program. The program is for the Mary Hill Home Mission and the week of prayer in all Baptist Churches.

Gary is a Business Administrator and Supervisor of Budget and Computer Service and the Tape Ministry.

He is also a member of the "Crisis Pregnancy Center", staffed by members from the church fighting abortion.

His wife, Teresa is a discussion leader in the Women's Bible Study. She is a teacher in the third grade Sunday School Class, a member of Church prayer chain and counselor.

They have two children, Tarrah and John.

Teresa is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie F. Mertel of McLean.

Gary is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Warner Phillips of Pampa, formerly of McLean.

Sunday Bro. Z.A. Myers of the Assembly of God Church was here to conduct services.

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Monday residents playing bingo were Bob Ford, Annie Eudey, Troy Hinton, Grace Swallow, Ruby Bidwell, Kittle Hessey, Leon Burch, Ohmer & Gladys Smulcer, Buck Henley, Bill Schaffer, Inez Fields, Ruth Kemp, Mabel Weeks, and Earl Tolleson.

Our helpers were Bertha Smith, Loree Barker, Onie Gibson, Ruby Boyd, and Mildred Giesler. Bananas were furnished by the Lions Club.

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Tuesday residents playing dominoes were P.L. Ledgerwood, Troy Hinton, Annie Eudey, Leon Burch, Thelma Hopkins, Buck Henley, Grace Swallow, Earl Tolleson, and Odessa

Beeman. Our helpers were Lena Carter, Polly Harrison, and Mary Davis.

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Wednesday afternoon we had our watermelon social. Many thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Geerald Tate for furnishing the melons. Ladies helping to serve were Fern Boyd, Pauline Miller, Sandy Bowen and Betty Lowe.

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Thursday morning Louise Turner was here to mending for the residents. In the afternoon members of the Assembly of God church were here for a sing-a-long.

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Friday Martha Parker was here to show her great movies.

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We are in need of any old jewelry and also lace trim for our craft projects.

## Nursing Center News

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Congratulations  
To  
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Wedding Selections  
Are At The Potpourri  
[Shower September 22]







THIS MHS CUB takes the ball downfield during the McLean-Groom game Sept. 13. Groom won the outing 52-0 (Photo by Kathy Carter)

### Alanreed Briefs

The Willis Mays of Panhandle were here at the Hartley Davis' during the weekend.

Onie Gibson spent the weekend in Panhandle with the Don Bednorz.

At the special meeting called for last Friday night, it was voted to have a carnival at Halloween! All help appreciated.

Faye Conners of McLean and Susie and Nell Keese were in Pampa Saturday.

Visiting the R.D. McLains during the weekend were the Don Horns of Spearman and the Dean McLains of Amarillo. They were all working on the home the R.D. McLains will occupy soon.

Robert Bruce made a trip to Pampa Monday.

Visiting Polly Harrison here this week were her sister Barbara and daughter of Okla.

The Alanreed Homemaker's Club met Sept. 12 in the home

of Lena Carter for their usual meeting. A covered dish luncheon was enjoyed after which Anita Bruce, president presided over a business session. Scripture was given by Onie Gibson. Roll call was "The season of the year I like best" and was answered by Anita Bruce, Lena Carter, Mary Davis, Onie Gibson, Sophia Hutchison, Davie Gipson, Polly Harrison, and Nell Keese. Mrs. Bruce brought some literature on meals for "one or two" and a lively discussion ensued. Some discussion on futher programs was enjoyed.

### Bullock Representatives To Be In Pampa

A representative from State Comptroller Bob Bullock's office will be in Pampa from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. September 26, to explain the new law changes

concerning taxes. The meeting, conducted by John Lindsey, will be held in the non-jury courtroom at the court-

house in Pampa. All taxpayers are urged to attend the meeting to learn about the news laws and how they how they will be affected by them.

### McLean Masonic Lodge To Honor Haynes

John C. Haynes will be honored at a covered dish supper at the Masonic Lodge Saturday evening.

Haynes, who has been a Mason for more than 50 years, will receive a 50-year-pin that evening.

All members of the Lodge are urged to attend this supper, which is slated to begin at 7 p.m.

### Sorority Holds Opening Luncheon September 8

Beta Sigma Phi hosted its beginning day luncheon in the Church of Christ Annex, September 8.

"Paint A Living Materpiece", members shared their favorite artwork with special guests.

Members attending were Jean Bohlar, Mary Lou Glass, Billie Kingston, Jan Layfield,

Kathy Reynolds, Linda McAnear, Linda Syfrett, and sponsor Cheryl Smith.

Special guests attending were Coerine Beaver, Toni Bernard, and Deanna Corley.

### James D. Reid Completes Air Force Course

Airman James D. Reid, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Reid, Mc-

systems mechanic course at Chanute Air Force Base, Ill.

During the course, students were taught to inspect and repair intricate aircraft fuel

systems. They also earned credits toward an associate degree

through the Community College of the Air Force.

### Billingsley, And Blaylock Begin Season

The 1984-85 Tri-State High School Rodeo season began recently, kicked-off with the Memphis High School Rodeo.

Billie Billingsley of McLean won first place in the steer wrestling, receiving six points for the McLean Rodeo team. Ray Blaylock also competed in the bareback riding, but did not place.

Billie then competed at Pampa, where he placed fourth, and received three more points for the team.

Ray Blaylock competed in the bareback riding, but broke his wrist during competition. He will be out for approximately two weeks.

Billie and Ray represented the McLean club last year, and according to club sponsors, are looking forward to another successful year.

### McLean Brief

Former residents Bennie (Wade) and Maybry McMahan of Kennewick, Washington visited several old friends last week. They made a special stop in McLean to see the name of his brother, J.C. McMahan on McLean's War Memorial.

### Jackpot Playday Slated For 2 p.m., Sept. 23

An Open Tri-State Jackpot Playday has been scheduled for 2 p.m. Sept. 23 at the Felton Webb arena.

Events and age groups scheduled are, Barrells, 6-9, 9-12, 13-15, 16-19, and 20 and over; Poles, 6-8, 9-12, 13-15, 16-19, and 20 and over; Flags, 6-8,

9-12, 13-15, 16-19, and 20 and over; and the Rescue Race, open to all ages.

Other events included are, Catalogue Race, 15 and under, and 16 and over; Chute Dogging 12-19, and 20 and over; Sled Race, open to all ages; and the Ribbon Race, 12 and under,

13-19, and 20 and over.

There will also be a stick horse race for contestants five and under.

Entry fees are \$1.50 for those 12 and under, and \$2.50 for those 13 and over.

For more information, call Jerry Billingsley at 779-2120.

### Lions' Club Holds Teacher Appreciation Supper

The McLean Lions Club met in the city park Monday night, at 7 p.m. for their regular teacher appreciation meeting.

Guests of the Lions for the affair were the employees and their families from the McLean Independent School District, members of the board of education and their families, and the wives and families of the Lions.

Char-broiled hamburgers cooked by Jim Hathaway and Curtis Simpson and home-made ice-cream were the staples for the evening meal, and a great time of fellowship and feasting was enjoyed by all.

President Tony Smitherman welcomed the guests assembled and Superintendent Jim Rutherford introduced principals Rer-

Cummings and Dorman Thomas, who in turn introduced the members of the faculty and other school employees.

A special guest, Robert Seay

from Charleston, South Carolina, who is also a Lion was present for the affair. A crowd of around 85 people were in attendance at the gathering.

### Beta Sigma Phi Kicks Off New Year

Members of Beta Sigma Phi gathered in the home of Linda Syfrett for the first meeting of the year.

Members present were Nancy Billingsley, Jean Bohlar,

### Middleton Receives Degree

A resident of McLean has been awarded a bachelor's degree during summer commencement ceremonies at West Texas State University.

Receiving a degree was Neal Middleton, of McLean, Bachelor of Science in psychology.

Of the 362 candidates for graduation, 128 received master's degrees. Bachelor's and master's degrees at WTSU are awarded in the School of Business, School of Agriculture, College of Arts and Sciences, School of Fine Arts and School of Nursing, and College of Education.

Mary Lou Glass, Billie Kingston Jan Layfield, Kathy Reynolds, and Jody Thomas.

Guests were Cherine Beaver and Deanna Corley.

The 1984-85 programs and

projects were discussed. Beta Sigma Phi will be sponsoring a bake sale, Oct. 3. Proceeds will go towards refurbishing the Statue of Liberty, in conjunction with a nation-wide Beta Sigma Phi project.

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CITY OR SPECIAL DISTRICT City of McLean

NOTICE OF CALCULATION OF EFFECTIVE TAX RATE AND PUBLICATION OF ESTIMATED UNENCUMBERED FUND BALANCES

Shirley Johnson, Tax Assessor/Collector, for the City of McLean, in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 26.04, Property Tax Code, have calculated the tax rate which may not be exceeded by more than three percent by the governing body of the City of McLean without holding a public hearing as required by the code. That rate is as follows:

The estimated unencumbered fund balance for Maintenance & Operation fund: \$9,004,022  
The estimated unencumbered fund balance for Interest & Sinking fund: \$

Shirley Johnson, Tax A/C  
September 6, 1984

CALCULATIONS USED TO DETERMINE EFFECTIVE TAX RATE

DATA		
1. 1983 Total tax levy from the 1983 tax roll		\$ 32,836.91
2. 1983 Tax rate (\$ M&O and \$ I&S)		\$ .265 /\$100
3. 1983 Debt service (I&S) levy		\$ -0-
4. 1983 Maintenance & Operation (M&O)		\$ 32,836.91
5. 1983 M&O taxes on property in territory that has ceased to be a part of unit in 1984		\$ -0-
6. 1983 M&O taxes on property becoming exempt in 1984		\$ 372.74
7. 1983 M&O taxes on taxable value lost because property is appraised at less than market value in 1984		\$ .69
8. 1984 Total taxable value of all property		\$ 12,247,476
9. 1984 Taxable value of new improvements added since Jan. 1, 1983		\$ 48,105
10. 1984 Taxable value of property annexed since Jan. 1, 1983		\$ -0-
11. 1984 Tax levy needed to satisfy debt service (I&S)		\$ -0-
12. Rate to raise 1983 tax levy due to appraisal roll errors (lost dollars divided by 1984 taxable value) (\$ x100)		\$ 0 /\$100
13. Rate to regain taxes lost in 1983 due to appraisal roll errors (lost dollars divided by 1984 taxable values) (\$ x100)		\$ 0 /\$100
14. 1983 M&O Taxes used to regain lost 1982 levy		\$ -0-

1. CALCULATION MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION (M&O) TAX RATE		
(A) 1983 Total tax levy (Data 1)		\$ 32,836.91
(B) Subtract 1983 Debt service levy (Data 3)		\$ -0-
(C) Subtract 1983 Taxes on property no longer in unit (Data 5)		\$ -0-
(D) Subtract 1983 Taxes for exemptions (Data 6)		\$ 372.74
(E) Subtract 1983 Taxes for productivity valuation (Data 7)		\$ .69
(F) Subtract 1983 Taxes used to regain lost 1982 levy (Data 14)		\$ -0-
(G) Adjusted 1983 M&O levy		\$ 32,463.68
(A) 1984 Total taxable value of all property (Data 8)		\$ 12,247,476
(B) Subtract 1984 Value of new improvements (Data 9)		\$ 48,105
(C) Subtract 1984 Value of annexed property (Data 10)		\$ -0-
(D) Adjusted 1984 Taxable value for M&O		\$ 12,199,371

(A) Divide the Adjusted 1983 M&O levy (1-G above) by the Adjusted 1984 taxable value for M&O (2-D above) (\$ 32,463.68 / \$ 12,199,371)		\$ .002661
(B) Multiply by \$100 valuation		\$ 100
(C) Effective M&O rate for 1984		\$ .2661 /\$100

INTEREST AND SINKING (I&S) TAX RATE		
(A) 1984 I&S levy needed to satisfy debt (Data 11)		\$ -0-
(B) 1984 Total taxable value of all property (Data 8)		\$
(C) Divide the 1984 I&S levy (4-A above) by the 1984 Total taxable value (4-B above) (\$ / \$)		\$ -0-
(D) Multiply by \$100 valuation		\$ 100
(E) Effective I&S rate for 1984		\$ 0 /\$100

APPRAISAL ROLL ERROR RATE		
(A) Rate to raise 1983 levy due to appraisal errors (Data 12)		\$ 0 /\$100
(B) Add rate to regain taxes lost due to errors (Data 13)		\$ 0 /\$100
(C) Total Rate to adjust for appraisal roll errors		\$ 0 /\$100

TOTAL EFFECTIVE TAX RATE FOR 1984		
(A) Effective M&O rate (3-C above)		\$ .2661 /\$100
(B) Add Effective I&S rate (4-E above)		\$ 0 /\$100
(C) Add Rate to adjust for appraisal roll errors (5-C above)		\$ 0 /\$100
(D) 1984 Effective Tax Rate		\$ .2661 /\$100

1984 Effective tax rate is the tax rate published as required by Sec. 26.04, Property Tax Code

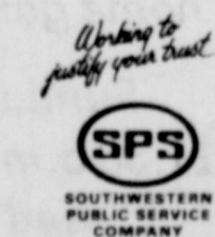
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## LOOSE MARBLES

LISA PATMAN

The other day I was walking back to the office from a trip to the drugstore. I sauntered along, thinking how I had begun to mature gracefully, how with each passing year I became more sophisticated and worldly. Then I tripped on a puff of diesel smoke. That got me to thinking of inner images and how wrong they can be, for not only am I not aging with grace, I haven't even reached the chew gum and walk at the same time stage.

Wouldn't it be wonderful if we could look into the mirror and see exactly what we thought we were going to see? For example, when I get all fixed up--new pair of pantyhose, clean underwear, maybe even earrings, I just know that I'm going to see reflected in the mirror an image of a gorgeous woman. Imagine my surprise when all I see is a lady with gravy stains on her third chin.

Or about the time I become used to my weight and decide that maybe I don't look as big as I thought, some fool with a camera catches my backside in living color, has it blown up to poster size, and it still is smaller than the original.

Then there are those times when I am talking to a group of people and they begin laughing uproariously at everything I say. I assume it's because they are appreciative of my tremendous wit, when all along it's been that I have a piece of spinach caught in my front teeth.

There is a bright side to all of this. You see, when I begin thinking that I'm full of natural beauty and charm, that I have a flat stomach and firm thighs, that I am unusually perceptive and sensitive, it drives me crazy to look in the mirror and see a fat lady with gas. And therein lies the silver lining around a large and rather flabby cloud--I have an excuse for being crazy.

I pity all the decent-looking women out there who are unable to look in their mirrors every morning and instantly come up with a reason for being slightly insane. Think of the poor dears drifting gracefully from beauty shop to exercise class, from art show to Broadway play, from the beaches of Hawaii to the firefides of ski resorts. Poor, pitiful things, wandering around in their tiny bikinis and size 5 ski pants, plagued with flawless skin, and hair with natural body. How they must worry about their sanity. All over the world women of this type probably are crying, "Why was I cursed with this beauty? Why couldn't I have been born ugly and fat so I could excuse my sanity? Woe is me."

While I certainly pity these creatures, they are going to have to find their own excuses for craziness. After all, I've spent years developing this special flabby muscle tone, this network of wrinkles, and these cells of cellulite. I've worked hard to develop this rationalization for my idiocy. Face it, Miss Universe, you just don't have what it takes.

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## You're Cooking

Frozen yogurt is sweeping the country with frozen-yogurt bars and shops in many cities. Supermarkets also have begun to carry a variety of fruited flavors of this creamy dessert that is enjoyed by adults and children alike.

You can make your own frozen yogurt in your favorite fruit flavor. Keep a supply ready for any occasion. And serve it with sliced fresh fruit for a lower-calorie lunch once or twice a week.

**BASIC FREEZER-TRAY YOGURT**  
1 envelope unflavored gelatin  
¼ cup cold water or orange juice  
½ cup sugar

¼ teaspoon salt  
1 cup mashed ripe bananas (3 medium)  
1 tablespoon lemon juice  
1 (8-ounce) container plain yogurt  
2 egg whites, unbeaten

In small saucepan, sprinkle gelatin over water or orange juice. Place over low heat. Stir constantly until gelatin dissolves, about 3 minutes.

Stir in sugar and salt. Remove from heat. Stir in bananas and lemon juice. Stir in plain yogurt.

Pour into freezer tray or 9-by-5-by-3-inch loaf pan. Freeze until firm.

Turn mixture into large bowl. Add egg whites. Beat at high speed of electric mixer until smooth and fluffy, about 10 minutes. Return to freezer tray. Freeze until firm.

This kitchen-tested recipe makes about 5½ cups.

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**ARIES (3-21/4-19)** Legal action should be considered regarding a long overdue settlement suit. Call in your political IOU's and bring pressure to get matters rolling.

**TAURUS (4-20/5-20)** An office romance can turn out to be the real thing, but extreme caution is urged, especially at your level of professionalism. Consider changing companies if you can do it without loss of standing.

**GEMINI (5-21/6-20)** This is not the time for major financial investment for you. Just sit tight for a few months and don't let that cash burn a hole in your hand.

**CANCER (6-21/7-22)** Give in to your longing to get away from it all, at least for a couple of weeks. Choose a vacation that is free of telephones and frantic activities. Lie back and bask.

**LEO (7-23/8-22)** You may not approve of a younger one's career choice, but in order to preserve your relationship, back off. Everyone has to make their own mistakes, and besides, you could be wrong.

**VIRGO (8-23/9-22)** Everyone should take care of their health, but don't become a fanatic. It is self-defeating, and what's more, it is boring your friends right out of your life.

**LIBRA (9-23/10-22)** An unexpected

windfall could come your way, a much deserved one as payment for your patience with a difficult relative. Share it with someone special and enjoy it.

**SCORPIO (10-23/11-21)** Your thin skin may suffer in a field as volatile as the theatre, but if you have faith in your talent, then give it a try. Work on your tendency to paranoia, however, for happier results.

**SAGITTARIUS (11-22/12-21)** Patience is not your long suit, so avoid investments that require a lengthy period before paying off. On the other hand, steer clear of get rich quick schemes.

**CAPRICORN (12-22/1-19)** If you really love someone, don't let that person's larger bank balance stop you from making a commitment. Talk over your doubts, and come to a mutually agreeable working arrangement.

**AQUARIUS (1-20/2-18)** Face up to the fact that you cannot afford your way of life and stop expecting others to support it. You have oodles of talent and energy, so put them to work for yourself.

**PISCES (2-19/3-20)** You are ignoring you need for occasional solitude from fear of hurting other's feelings. Be firm and candid with well-meaning friends. The care enough to understand.

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## 33 And Still Uh Counting!



[THIS IS WHAT HAPPENS TO PEOPLE WHEN THEY GET THEIR CORNERS AGAINST THE WALL IN THEIR SABOTAGE SUITS!] HAPPY BIRTHDAY, SHARON FROM ALL YOUR FAMILY & FRIENDS!

## PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS GENERAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 6, 1984

### PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 29 proposes a constitutional amendment that provides to state-chartered banks the same rights and privileges that are or may be granted to national banks of the United States domiciled in this state. For example, if national banks become authorized to maintain branch offices, this amendment would extend the same privilege to state banks.

The proposed constitutional amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to provide state banks the same rights and privileges as national banks."

### PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 19 proposes a constitutional amendment that restructures the Permanent University Fund to provide: (1) for the expansion of the institutions eligible to participate in the bonding capacity of the fund to include the components of The University of Texas and Texas A&M University systems that have been added to those two systems of higher education since the Permanent University Fund was last restructured by constitutional amendment; (2) for the expansion of the purposes for which bond proceeds can be expended from new construction to include major repair and rehabilitation projects and the acquisition of major capital equipment (e.g., computers and laboratory equipment) and library books and materials; (3) for an increase in the bonding capacity from 20% (¼ for The University of Texas System and ¼ for the Texas A&M University System) to 30% (20% for The University of Texas System and 10% for Texas A&M University System) of the value of the assets (exclusive of real estate) in the Permanent University Fund in order to provide sufficient bond proceeds to care for the addition of 10 new institutions to those authorized to participate in the Permanent University Fund bonding program and to care for the expanded purposes for which the bond proceeds can be spent; and (4) for the dedication of the dividends, interest, and other income from the Permanent University Fund remaining after payment of principal and interest due on bonds and notes issued, to the provision of support and maintenance (over and above normal legislative appropriations) for Texas A&M University in Brazos County, Prairie View A&M University, and The University of Texas at Austin.

House Joint Resolution 19 also annually appropriates \$100 million in each fiscal year, beginning September 1, 1985 (from the first money coming into the state treasury that is not otherwise appropriated by the constitution) for the use of those

agencies and institutions of higher education which are not included in The University of Texas or Texas A&M University Systems and, therefore, not eligible to participate in the Permanent University Fund bonding program. The amount of this appropriation could be adjusted every five years by a ¼ vote of the Legislature, but could not be adjusted in such a way as to affect outstanding bonding indebtedness. Each institution of higher education that is eligible to participate (i.e., those institutions of higher education outside The University of Texas and Texas A&M University Systems) would be authorized to expend directly its share (such share to be determined pursuant to an equitable formula) of the \$100 million appropriation for the purposes of acquiring land, constructing and equipping buildings or other permanent improvements, major repair and rehabilitation of other permanent buildings or improvements, and acquisition of major capital equipment (e.g., computers and laboratory equipment) and library books and materials. Additionally, each institution would be authorized to issue bonds backed by a pledge of up to 50% of its share of the \$100 million annual appropriation for the purpose of land acquisition, new construction, and major repair and rehabilitation projects.

Except in the case of fire or natural disaster and in other extraordinary cases, verified by a two-thirds vote of each house of the legislature, all institutions of higher education would be precluded from receiving appropriations of general revenue funds for the purposes of land acquisition, new construction, and major repair and rehabilitation projects.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to create from general revenue a special higher education assistance fund for construction and related activities, to restructure the Permanent University Fund and to increase the number of institutions eligible to benefit from the Permanent University Fund."

### PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 65 proposes a constitutional amendment which authorizes the legislature to provide for the payment of assistance to the surviving dependent parents, brothers, and sisters of officers, employees and agents of the state or its political subdivisions, including members of organized volunteer fire departments and members of organized police reserve or auxiliary units authorized to make arrests, who die in the course of performing hazardous official duties. Payments to surviving spouses and dependent children of

such officers, employees, and agents are already authorized by the Constitution.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for payment of assistance to the surviving dependent parents, brothers, and sisters of certain public servants killed while on duty."

### PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 20 proposes a constitutional amendment which abolishes the office of county treasurer in Bexar and Collin counties if a majority of the voters in each of those counties vote in favor of abolishing the office of county treasurer in a local election to be held on the issue. All the powers, duties, and functions of the office of county treasurer in each of these counties would be transferred to the county clerk.

The proposed constitutional amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to abolish the office of county treasurer in Bexar and Collin counties."

### PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 22 proposes a constitutional amendment which provides a new method of filling a vacancy in the office of Lieutenant Governor. The amendment requires the President pro tempore of the Senate to call together the committee of the whole Senate within 30 days after a vacancy occurs in the office of Lieutenant Governor. The committee would be required to elect one of its members to perform the duties of the Lieutenant Governor until the next general election. This individual would continue his duties as Senator at the same time that he performs the Lieutenant Governor's duties. If the Senator who is elected ceases to be a Senator before the next general election, another Senator must be elected according to the above procedure to perform the Lieutenant Governor's duties. The President pro tempore would be required to perform the Lieutenant Governor's duties pending the election of one of its members by the committee of the whole Senate.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the state senate to fill a vacancy in the office of lieutenant governor."

### PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 73 proposes a constitutional amendment that permits the use of public funds and credit for payment of premiums on non-assessable life, health, or accident insurance policies and annuity contracts issued by a mutual insurance company authorized to do business in this state. The constitutional prohibition against a grant of public money to an individual, association, or corporation or against becoming a stockholder in a corporation, association, or company has limited life and health group policies of political subdivisions to non-mutual insurance companies. The amendment would permit mutual insurance companies to bid for those policies.

The proposed constitutional amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to permit use of public funds and credit for payment of premiums on certain insurance contracts of mutual insurance companies authorized to do business in Texas."

### PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 4 proposes a constitutional amendment to change the membership of the State Commission on Judicial Conduct to include one Judge of a Municipal Court and one Judge of a County Court at Law, who shall be selected at large and appointed by the Supreme Court with the advice and consent of the Senate.

The amendment also provides additional grounds for removal from office of judges or justices of Texas courts, and provides additional disciplinary actions that could be taken in lieu of removal or censure. The amendment would extend the Commission's disciplinary authority to masters, magistrates, and retired or former judges who hear cases by designation. The amendment creates a tribunal to review recommendations of the State Commission on Judicial Conduct for removal or retirement of a judge or justice. The review tribunal would be composed of seven (7) Justices or Judges of the Courts of Appeals selected by lot by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. The amendment also provides for appeal of the review tribunal's decision to the Supreme Court of Texas and grants an accused judge the right to discovery of evidence.

The proposition will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment relating to the membership of the State Commission on Judicial Conduct and the authority and procedure to discipline active judges, certain retired and former judges, and certain masters and magistrates of the courts."

### PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 22 proposes a constitutional amendment which increases the per diem of members of the Legislature. The amount of per diem allowed during a calendar year would be equal to the maximum amount set in federal income tax statutes as of January 1 of that same year as a deduction for ordinary and necessary business expenses incurred by a state legislator. Current per diem is \$30; the maximum deduction is now \$75.

The proposed constitutional amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to provide a per diem for members of the legislature equal to the maximum daily amount allowed by federal law as a deduction for ordinary and necessary business expenses incurred by a state legislator."

Estos son los informes explana-torios sobre las enmiendas propu-estas a la constitucion que aparac-erán en la boleta el día 6 de noviembre de 1984. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/252/2608 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 19887, Austin, Texas 78711.



# FOOTBALL



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Friday

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SWEET OR BUTTERMILK  
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**Diapers**  
24 CT. LG., OR 36 CT. MED.

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**.10**

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**Sugar** 5 LB. BAG

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BONELESS OR BONEIN  
**Arm Roast**

BONELESS  
**Chuck Roast**

BONELESS  
**Stew Meat LB. ONLY**

**\$1.79**

CLUB  
**Steak** LB. ONLY **\$2.88**

T-BONE  
**Steak** LB. ONLY **\$3.29**

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**Steak** LB. ONLY **\$2.49**

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Meads Country Hearth  
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U.S.- 1 RUSSET  
**Potatoes** 10 LB. BAG

**.99**

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**Bananas** LB. ONLY **.19**

CALIFORNIA FREESTONE  
**Peaches** 3 LBS. FOR **\$1**

GREAT FOR SALADS  
**Lettuce** LB. ONLY **.29**

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TV Lunch Meats  
Bologna  
P&P Loaf,  
Salami  
Spiced Luncheon  
12 oz. pkg. 79c

Fresh Green Limes  
10 for \$1  
Red Delicious  
Apples 59c lb.  
Sweet Yellow Onions  
3 lbs. 49c

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The reason that there are so few women comics is that few women can bear being laughed at.

Anna Russell  
Do not shorten the morning by getting up late; look upon it as the quintessence of lofe, as to a certain extent sacred.

Apollonius  
Noble deeds and hot baths are the best cures for depression.

Dodie Smith  
If my theory of relativity is proven successful, Germany will claim me as a German. Should my theory prove untrue, Germany will declare that I am a Jew.

Albert Einstein  
Courage is the secret of power.

Hower

**QUOTES**

They fail and they alone who have not striven.

Thomas Bailey Aldrich  
Honor wears different coats to different eyes.

Barbara Tuchman  
The law of grab is the primal law of infancy.

Antoinette Brown Blackwell  
Although America occasionally gags on a gnat, it also has some talent for swallowing tigers whole.

Adlai E. Stevenson  
"I baked a sponge cake for you, Darling," the young bride announced, "but it didn't turn out quite right. I think the grocer gave me the wrong kind of sponges."

Sunshine Magazine



"HISBY PLAYS GOLF IN THE LOW '70'S. IF IT GETS ANY COLDER, HE QUIT'S."

**Jolly Green Thumb**  
BY MARY FUREY CRYMES

Gardeners enjoying the last fruits of their garden plots are wishfully thinking of how to extend the growing season. There's something about fresh fruits and vegetables that makes them want to keep on growing them. One way is to plan and work an indoor garden.

You need the same elements for this as for outdoors — space, soil, wherewithal and light — lots of light — even more than for outdoors. This can discourage many.

With a south facing window the sunlight just streams through and gets you closer to home for fruiting plants like peppers and tomatoes. These require about 6 hours minimum daily — they rarely make it in cold areas where winter lights dim early. Even Alaskans report good results on these with ar-

tificial gro light, but not consistently. All in all, it's easier and less expensive if the grower can provide sunlight. If not, artificial lights are better than ever if you're game to try. They help indoor herb gardens flourish; aid leaf crops like lettuce and chard and do their thing for tomatoes in the parlor or basement.











That's the crop most gardeners are interested in extending. Most are spurred by tales of mid-winter salads with fresh tomatoes; or Christmas table tomatoes or seedlings — and started in 4-inch clay pots. Use a light soil mix laced with sand. Place pots on the aforementioned sunny south-facing window, and transplant to larger pots when seedlings reach a height of 6 inches.

When supplementing growth with artificial light, use one cool white and one warm white fluorescent, 40 watts, hung about 6 inches above plants. Start with 4 to 5 hours daily; increase if you note tomatoes becoming leggy. Keep temperatures even; don't dip below 55 at night or crop can be lost. Use the same rules to grow indoor peppers, herbs, cress and other salad greens all winter long.

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# The McLean News

## Business Directory

<p><b>Gasoline</b></p> <p><b>Foshee's Texaco</b> Earnest &amp; Maurine Foshee 79-2621</p>  <p>201 W. Railroad</p>		<p><b>Western Wear</b></p>  <p>119 N. Main Emergency phone - 779-3235 Store Phone - 779-2429</p>		<p><b>Hardware</b></p> <p>Shop Our Shoe Store At Your House! Satisfaction Guaranteed Mason Shoes Dorothy Wilson 779-2547 after 6 after 6 p.m.</p>  <p><b>McLean Hardware</b> 779-2591 115 N. Main McLean</p>			
<p><b>Plumbing</b></p> <p>Call Jerry Cook at <b>ATLAS PLUMBING</b> 779-2784</p> 		<p><b>Well Service</b></p> <p>WATER WELL SERVICE Submersible Pump Sales &amp; Service</p>  <p>DAVID BROWN 806-779-2678 Box 273 McLean, TX 79057 806/779-2678</p>		<p><b>Contractor</b></p> <p>BONDED INSURED</p> <p>Jim Worley 779-3298</p> <p>902 W. 6th McLean, TX.</p>		<p><b>Radiator</b></p> <p><b>Don Miller Radiator Service</b> Is Our Business Not a Sideline •New &amp; Rebuilt Radiators •Gas Tanks &amp; Heaters •Repaired 612 S. Jefferson AMARILLO, TEXAS 376-6666</p>	
<p><b>Flowers</b></p>  <p><b>Lamb's Flowers</b> 779-2611 1009 N. Main McLean Ask About Our Friday Flowers</p>		<p><b>Cattle</b></p> <p>REGISTERED TEXAS LONGHORN CATTLE Denworth Line Camp</p>  <p>LONGHORN BULLS FOR SALE OR LEASE JOHN M. AND JOYCE HAYNES 806/779-2587 LEFORS ROUTE, BOX 31 MCLEAN, TEXAS 79057</p>		<p><b>Electrical Work</b></p> <p><b>B&amp;B ELECTRIC</b></p> <p>ELECTRIC WORK APPLIANCES TV ANTENNAS HEATING AND AIR CONDITIONING <b>PHONE LOYD BYBEE</b> 779-3252 or 779-2517 P.O. BOX 284 MCLEAN, TX. 79057 I WILL APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS</p>			
<p><b>Backhoe Service</b></p> <p><b>Glenn Hallum Backhoe Service</b> Commercial or Individual Fully Insured SEPTIC TANKS, CESSPOOLS, BANK STOCK TANKS, STORM CELLARS, TREE REMOVAL, REPAIRS ROAD AND TERRACES AND CLEAN CATTLE GUARDS</p>  <p><b>Alanreed, Texas</b> 779-2907</p>		<p><b>Concrete Work</b></p> <p><b>BARKER REDI-MIX</b> Ready Mix, Concrete Back-Hoe Service And finishing work PHONE 779-2703 or 779-2869</p> 		<p><b>Expert DRY CLEANERS</b></p> <p>One Hour Martinizing</p>  <p>Bring your cleaning when you shop in Pampa... Pick it up the same day!!! Two locations to serve you 1807 N. Hobart 1824 W. Francis Pampa, Texas</p>			



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**CLASSIFIED RATE**  
\$2.00 minimum  
15 cents per word  
Card of Thanks - \$3  
All ads cash, unless customer has an established account with The McLean News - Deadline for Want Ads - Noon Tuesday, Phone 779-2447.

The McLean News cannot verify the financial potential of these advertisements. Readers are advised to approach any "business opportunity" with reasonable caution.

## For Sale

**FOR SALE: GOOD**  
wooden-framed trundle bed. Call 779-2209, or 779-2772.

**FOR SALE: PULP**  
Blood stain remover. Price \$75 each. 2520 Third Avenue. Female, Black hair.

I AM NOW selling the Pampa News and Amarillo News. Starting Sunday, I will also carry the Daily Oklahoman. For further information, contact Dale Glass at 779-2580.

**MARRIAGE PLANS**  
IN your future? The McLean News has a beautiful, reasonable line of wedding invitations, announcements, thank you notes, personal stationery, engraved napkins, and much, much more. Come in and see our Regency book.

## Lost And Found

**LOST: BLACK ANG,**  
US Bull. #78 tag, left ear, Contact Bob Fish. 779-2950

## Real Estate For Sale

2 bedroom home on 3 acres. Priced to sell at 20,000. Alanreed.

Beautiful 2200 sq. ft. home on five lots. 600 sq. ft. family room. Wood-burner. \$44,500.

Needs TLC. 3 bedroom brick home. For sale \$35,000. 719 N. Waldron.

Need a church? We have one that's ready for occupancy! Parsonage also available. 409 N. Gray.

**PIONEER REAL ESTATE**  
IDA HESS, BROKER 779-2641  
108 N. MAIN McLEAN, TEXAS

**FOR SALE: LARGE**  
six room stucco house in Alanreed, 5 acres, fenced. Good access to I-40. \$28,000. Mrs. J. D. Harrison, 779-3143. 38-2c.

## Businesses

**DJ PLUMBING REPAIR PLUMBING**  
24 Hr. Service Experienced and licensed. Phone 779-8882 or Phone 779-2634 35-4c.

**EXPERIENCED CARPENTER - 18 years.**  
Will do remodeling, roofs, plumbing, any concrete or carpenter work. Good references. Call Larry Swanson at 779-3101 or 779-2950. 27-tfc

## Card Of Thanks

We would like to say thank you to each one who in so many ways has shown so much kindness and love to all of us during Pat's illness and our loss.

We appreciate each of you and say thank you for caring and sharing your love to us. The family of Pat Frye

Due to an unexplainable mix-up, several of our mailed, engraved thank you notes, have not reached their destination.

For those of you who sent us a gift and have not yet received a card of thanks, please accept our apologies and our thanks.

There is no way for us to know how many

of the cards of thanks we mailed reached their proper places, so to avoid duplication, we hope you will accept this impersonal, but heartfelt thanks. Bobby and Roxie Ingram

## Notices

**MASONIC LODGE REGULAR MEETING**  
Second Thursday, 7:30 p.m.  
Practice Nights First, Third and Fourth Tuesday at 7:30 p.m.

**NOTICE: ANY BUSINESS**  
DESS pertaining to Ewing L. Smith needs to contact his daughter Sharon Bryan Executive of his estate. P.O. Box 821 Perryton, Tx 79070. 37-2c.

A Proposed Use Hearing for Revenue Sharing Funds in the amount of \$6,849.00, will be held by the City of McLean on Sept. 26, 1984 at 8 p.m. in the City Hall. Oral and written suggestions for fund use will be accepted. Mayo G.W. Terry

A Public Hearing will be held Sept. 26, 1984 at 8 p.m. by the City of McLean in the City Hall concerning the 1984-85 proposed budget. Mayor G.W. Terry

Representative from State Comptroller Bob Bullock's office will be in Pampa from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Sept. 26, to explain the new law changes concerning taxes. The meeting, conducted by John Lin-

dsey, will be held in the non-jury courtroom at the courthouse in Pampa. All taxpayers are urged to attend the meeting to learn about the new laws and how they will be affected by them.

The United Methodist Church is now taking bids for the sale of an 8500 BTU evaporative air conditioner, in working condition. Bids will be opened September 27, 1984, and the United Methodist Church reserves the right to refuse any or all bids.

All bids should be sent to the United Methodist Church, % Secretary, McLean, TX 79057. Anyone interested in purchasing the air conditioner may contact the church at 779-2337. 38-1c

## School Menus

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| Friday, September 21<br>Cold Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk   | Monday, September 24<br>Chili Dogs w/Cheese, Pork and Beans, French Fries, Peanut Butter Chewies.                            |
| Monday, September 24<br>Creamed Beef on Toast, Juice, Milk  | Tuesday, September 25<br>Fish on a Bun, Tarter Sauce, Cole Slaw, Macaroni and Cheese, Jello.                                 |
| Tuesday, September 25<br>Biscuits, Gravy, Juice, Milk   | Wednesday, September 26<br>Wenesday, September 26<br>Mexican Casserole, Battered Carrots, Tossed Salad, Soppapillas w/Honey. |
| Wednesday, September 26<br>Creamed Beef on Toast, Juice, Milk   | Thursday, September 27<br>Chicken Noodle Soup, Assorted Sandwiches, Crackers, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Fruit Cobbler.              |
| Thursday, September 27<br>Pancakes, Sausage, Milk Juice   |  |
| Friday, September 21<br>Roast Beef, Creamed Potatoes, Brown Gravy, Green Beans, Hot Rolls w/Butter, Honey |  |

## Tee Vee Laffs



"WELL! THIS SEEMS AN EXCELLENT TIME TO ASK IF YOU WOULD LIKE A NICE TV SNACK TONIGHT!"

In the 1980 national elections, only 67 percent of qualified Americans even bothered to register to vote. And then, only 60 percent of those registered made it to the polls. That means only FOUR out of TEN Americans qualified to vote did so.

There are more than 100 million potential voters in this country, yet only 69 million bothered to register to vote for the president.

Does your vote count? Did you know that this year in the Democratic primary in Texas, the winner won by only 509 votes, out of one million cast? Did you know that in 1960, President Kennedy was elected by a majority of less than one votee per precinct? Your vote does count.

## Birthdays

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| at Word               | Lucille Cullison |
| McCarty               | Kenneth Gossett  |
| Benjamin              | June Suggs       |
| John Coleman          | Sept 26          |
| Michael T. Kirkmorton | Sept 27          |
| Sept 23               |                  |
| Mr. Allen Cooke       | Sept 25          |
| Sept 25               |                  |

Futura Health Care Services, P.O. Box 645, Drumright, Oklahoma 74030 and the City of McLean, P.O. Box 9, McLean, Texas 79057, for McLean General Hospital, 402 N. Main, McLean Texas 79057, represented by Gerald L. Tipsword, P.O. Box 645, Drumright Oklahoma, 74030 (THCF File #AH84-0319-173) is scheduled to appear at a hearing at 9 a.m. on November 9, 1984, in the offices of the Texas Health Facilities Commission, 1600 West 38th Street, Suite 305, Jefferson Building, Austin Texas, to present evidence in

support of the application for a Certificate of Need to relicense and operate McLean General Hospital. The proposed licensed and operating bed capacity will be 19 beds (15 medical/surgical, two OR/GYN and two ICU/CCU). Laboratory and emergency medicine services will also be offered. No purchase of additional medical equipment is proposed. The Commission proposes to render a decision on the application no later than the nineteenth day from the date of publication of this notice.

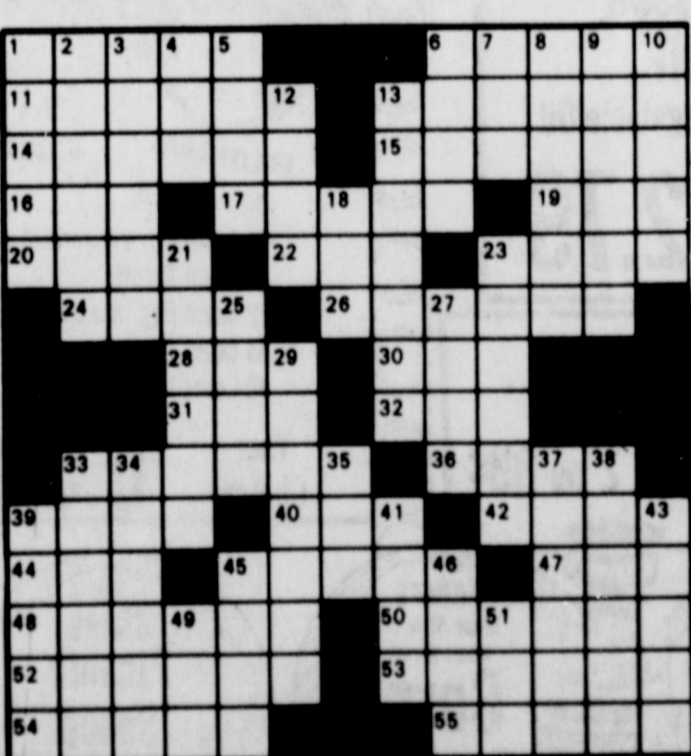
A request to become a party to the application may be made by filing a sworn affidavit with

the Commission using the format prescribed by Commission Rule 515.9 no later than 5 p.m., October 17, 1984, and the application October 17, 1984, and by forwarding a copy by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the applicant and all other parties.

Note: If no request to become a party or petition for hearing is timely filed with the Commission, the Commission may proceed without a hearing on the application for a Certificate of Need at any time after October 17, 1984, upon written request by the applicant.

## Crossword

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|---------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>ACROSS</b>             | 42 Consomme          | 18 War prisoner (abbr.)        |
| 1 Cloaks                  | 44 Sea mammal        | 21 Continent                   |
| 6 Ways                    | 45 Speak             | 23 Skin                        |
| 11 Portugal and Spain     | 47 Spanish gold      | 25 _____                       |
| 13 Robbers                | 48 Pass. as time     | 27 Pull                        |
| 14 Just                   | 50 Sex               | 29 Sower                       |
| 15 Saint Francis          | 52 Series of names   | 33 Concubine                   |
| 16 Period                 | 53 Slim              | 34 Package                     |
| 17 Destroyed              | 54 Lieu              | 35 Code dot                    |
| 19 Short sleep            | 55 War horse         | 37 Head                        |
| 20 Adore                  |                      | 38 French police               |
| 22 Mortar tray            | <b>DOWN</b>          | 39 People of _____             |
| 23 Strike out (abbr.)     | 1 Covered with ice   | 41 Lower appendages            |
| 24 Nine (Fr.)             | 2 King of fairies    | 43 Studied                     |
| 26 Most expansive         | 3 Chide              | 45 Secondhand                  |
| 28 Knock                  | 4 Before (poet.)     | 46 Zooms engine                |
| 30 Wander                 | 5 Product of worms   | 49 School organization (abbr.) |
| 31 Lubricate              | 6 Grain mildew       | 51 Gain over expense           |
| 32 Lamb's father          | 7 Ones (Fr.)         |                                |
| 33 Group of seven         | 8 Ammonia compounds  |                                |
| 36 Sloe drink (pl.)       | 9 Desalinate         |                                |
| 39 Resident of Copenhagen | 10 Shoot from ambush |                                |
| 40 Zero                   | 12 Indian maid       |                                |
|                           | 13 Louder            |                                |



## Suburbia



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**Round Steak**  
Bone In \$2.48 lb.

**rump roast**  
Boneless 2.29 lb



Gilt Edge Round Ice Cream  
1/2 Gallon \$1.69

**SPAM**  
\$1.43 12 oz.

**Cabbage**  
10¢ LB.

**Tomatoes**  
2 lb for 89¢

USDA Choice **Pikes Peak Roast** 1.98 lb

Fleischmann's Margarine 1 lb qtrs **98¢**

Pillsbury Hungry Jack Biscuits (Sweetmilk or Buttermilk) 9 1/2 oz Cans **49¢**

Gilt Edge Buttermilk 1/2 Gal. **99¢**

Tenderized **Round Steak** USDA Choice \$2.78 lb

TV Frozen Florida Orange Juice 12 oz Can **95¢**

Weight Watchers Milk 1/2 Gal. **1.09**

Gilt Edge Sweet Acidophilos Milk 1/2 Gal. **1.09**



**Chuck Roast** 1.79 lb.

Superman Peanut Butter 18 oz. **1.39**

Vienna Sausage Sausage 5 oz. can 2 for **89¢**

New Crop No. 1 Little Joe Sweet Potato **3 \$1.00**

**Wilson's Franks** 12 Oz Pkg **89¢**

Mrs. Smith's Apple & Dutch Apple Pies 26 oz **1.49**

TV Vegetables Brussel Sprouts Cauliflower Cut Broccoli 20 oz **1.19**

Kings Hawaiian Bread 16 oz **1.39**

Rodeo Buckboard Whole Boneless Ham **1.88** lb

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**Dr Pepper** All Varieties 6 Pack 12 Oz Cans **\$1.59**

New Crop Red Delicious Apples **59¢** lb

New Crop Washington Bartlett Pears **59¢** lb

California Seedless Red Grapes **69¢** lb

Wilson Certified Bologna 1 lb **\$1.39**

Pringles Potato Chips Original, Cheese & Lite 7 1/2 oz Can **99¢**

**Cheer** All Temperature Detergent 50¢ off label 49 oz Box **1.89**

Golden Grain Macaroni & Cheese 7 1/2 oz 2 for **79¢**

**Cam King Bacon** 2 lb Pkg **2.49**

Vlasic Sweet Butter Chips 22 oz Jar **1.29**

Kraft Miracle Whip Regular & Lite 32 oz Jar **1.79**

Dixie Paper Plate 100 Count **89¢**

Rainbow Peanut Butter 18 oz Jar **99¢**

Delta Towels Jumbo Roll 2 for **1.00**

Bolo Dog Food Reg., Beef & Liver 15 oz Cans 4 for **89¢**

Gold Medal Flour 5 Lb Bag **.99**

Wesson Oil Pure Vegetable Oil 48 oz Bottle **2.79**

**Pampers** Convenience Pack Diapers  
60 Count Extra Absorbent  
48 Count Toddler  
72 Count Reg. Absorbent  
54 Count Super  
40 Count Max. Absorbent  
Your Choice **8.99**

Campbell's Ranchero Beans 16 oz Cans for **69¢**

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Greer Freestone Peaches 2 1/2 Can **88¢**

Kuners Cut or French Style Green Beans 16 oz Cans for **89¢**

Kuners Tomatoes 2 for 303 Can **89¢**

Kuners Corn Cream Style or Whole Kernel 16 oz Can for **89¢**

NEW Glante Picante Sauce 16 oz **1.29**