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SHERI HAYNES WINS MEDALIST IN STATE GOLF



SHERI HAYNES
State Golf Medalist

By Gail Terry.

MHS is very proud to announce that Miss Sheri Haynes a senior this year, won the State Golf tournament at Austin last weekend.

Sheri has been very active this entire year participating in numerous athletic events. She has been outstanding in basketball and track.

Miss Haynes won district as medalist in golf, then went on to regional where she tied with a girl from Farwell. She and Miss Vinton of Farwell went in to a sudden death playoff, and Sheri lost by one stroke.

At state, Sheri and Miss Vinton were very close all the way through, Sheri went ahead to beat Miss Vinton four strokes in the end. Sheri shot a 191 for 36 holes of golf.

At the present Sheri has not yet decided where she will go to college. She has had many offers to play basketball, golf and track. She is planning a trip to Mississippi this weekend to look at Delta State which has one of the finest Women's Basketball teams in the U.S.

Sheri is certainly a young lady that deserves recognition for all her accomplishments this year.

Jesse D. Pool To Graduate At A.C.

Commencement exercises for students at Amarillo College will be held Monday, May 12 for 551 candidates. Ceremonies will include graduates from the College of Arts and Sciences, School of Biomedical Arts and Sciences, School of Technology, and School of Vocational Arts at 8 p.m. in the Civic Center Auditorium in Amarillo.

Avery* Rush Jr., president of Diamond Shamrock Oil and Gas Company and executive vice president of Diamond Shamrock Corp, will deliver the main address.

Charles D. Lutz, Jr., AC president will conduct the program, present diplomas and confer degrees on the following: Jesse D. Pool, a graduate of McLean High School, will be awarded a Certificate of Completion in Psychology. Pool is a spring graduate.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Cotton and Mrs. T. L. Cotton from Mobile, Alabama visited with relatives and friends last week. John Holt from Canadian also visited with the Cottons and with his mother, Mrs. Viola Holt. They left at 8:30 Friday morning to return to Mobile.

Girl Scouts To Sponsor Jubilee

McLean's preparing for another Derby Town Jubilee which will take place on Friday, May 16 at 7:30 p.m., in the newly remodeled high school auditorium.

The jubilee will be sponsored by the McLean Girl Scouts.

Talent from all over the area will perform at the jubilee, bringing to the music lovers of this area, the Best in country, western and popular music. The girl scouts invite everyone to come out May 17 and have an evening of fun for only a small charge.

Claude Parker, Resident's Father Dies At Wheeler

Funeral services were conducted Friday May 2, in the First United Methodist Church of Mobeetie for Mr. Claude Urban Parker, father of R. C. Parker of McLean. Rev. L. V. Grace, retired Methodist Minister and Rev. Robert Green, Pastor conducted the service.

Mr. Parker was born February 23, 1893 in Coryell County and passed away April 30, 1975 in Parkview Hospital at Wheeler. He had been a resident of Mobeetie since 1938. Mr. Parker was a member of the Masonic Lodge for many years. He had been honored for his service as a Mason. Mr. Parker was a member of the Methodist Church.

Mr. Parker was preceded in death by his wife.

He is survived by one son, R. C. Parker of McLean; four daughters, Mrs. Wilson Skinner of Ft. Worth, Mrs. Byron Simpson of Mobeetie, Mrs. Horace Blair of Booker, and Mrs. Eugene Gudgel of Mobeetie, 20 grandchildren and 31 great-grandchildren.

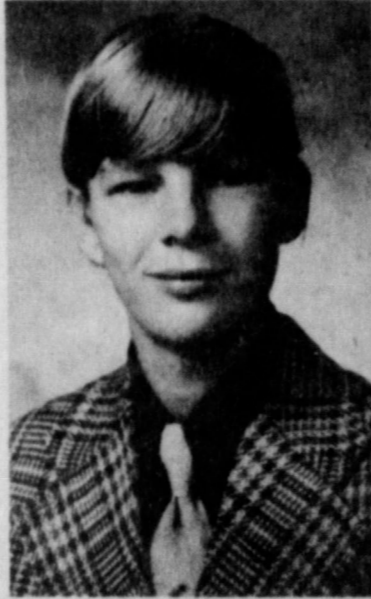
Pallbearers were grandsons and Graveside Rites were conducted by Masons.

Young At Heart To Meet Friday

The Young at Heart Club for senior citizens will meet next Friday, May 9th in their club room on Main Street. They invite anyone over the age of 55 to come and join.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Windom, Jr., attended services for Mrs. Richard L. (Iona) Zimmerman in Midland Saturday at St. Luke's United Methodist Church.

Survivors include the husband, a daughter, Mrs. Eddy Jay (Barbara) Windom of Dallas; a son, Richard; her mother, Mrs. Mabel Smith of Midland; a two month old grandson, Eric Jayson Windom



SYDNEY MORRIS
Valedictorian

Top Two Students of '75 Graduating Class Are Named

Sidney Morris will receive Valedictorian honors for McLean High School's 1975 graduating class, achieving a four year grade point average of 93.59. Salutatorian honors belong to Keith Gipson who acquired a 91.91 grade point average during his high school years.

Sidney, the 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Morris has also been recognized for many academic honors. He won the Science Award, freshman; English Award, World History Award, Geometry Award, sophomore; and Chemistry Award, junior. During his sophomore and junior years, he received a scholastic award for attaining a grade point average of 92-100 in all subjects. Sidney has also been an act-

Former Resident's Father Dies At Shamrock

Funeral services for F. M. Earles, 79, of Shamrock, who died Friday at Shamrock General Hospital after a brief illness, were held Sunday at 2:30 p.m. in Eleventh Street Baptist Church at Shamrock.

Officiating was Rev. Rick Wadley, pastor of the Lefors Baptist Church, assisted by Rev. Bill Rushing, pastor of Samnorwood First Baptist Church. Burial was in Shamrock Cemetery.

Mr. Earles, the father of Lanora Ryan, a former resident of McLean, was born in Emmett. He came to Shamrock from Navarro County in 1939.

He was a Baptist and a retired employee of Gulf Oil Co.

Survivors are three daughters, Mrs. Lanora Ryan of Shamrock, Mrs. LaVada Gaffney of Guilford, Conn., and Mrs. Juanita Oakly of Detroit, Mich; two sons, M. L. of Pampa and W. B. of Lefors; two sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Witmire, Monahans and Mrs. Connie Carruth of Andrews; 16 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.



KEITH GIPSON
Salutarian

ive four year member of the Band, being elected most spirited, 1; vice president, 3; and Band King his senior year. Sidney plans to further his education by attending West Texas State University next fall.

Keith the 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Gipson, has also been an active member of the band for four years. His senior year he was elected band president. Keith also participated in the UIL One Act Play his junior and senior years. Continuing his education at Trinidad State Junior College in Trinidad, Colorado, Keith plans to study gunsmithing.

Interstate 40 Link To Be Completed

The first phase of three on a multi-million dollar project to complete a 9.7 mile link of Interstate Highway 40 in Gray and Donley counties was approved for construction Wednesday by the Texas Highway Commission.

The Highway Commission is expected to award the contract in May on the first phase estimated to cost \$5.4 million. If this is done, then work on the first phase--excavation and leveling of dirt for the new westbound Interstate lanes--would probably start in June.

The IH 40 project extends from about 1/2 miles east of Jericho eastward to one mile west of Alanreed, a total distance of 9.7 miles.

This section of U.S. Highway 86, which straddles the Gray-Donley County line, is a four-lane divided roadway. Jack V. Light, Amarillo district design engineer for the Texas Highway Department said the first phase will involve dirt work only for the new westbound lanes and a new safety rest area to be located on the north side of IH 40. This work will take about 1 1/2 years to complete.

The second phase will involve paving the new westbound lanes and rest area and the third, reconstruction of the eastbound lanes and con-

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May 11-17 Is "Hospital Week"

May 11 thru the 17th has been officially proclaimed as "NATIONAL HOSPITAL WEEK".

McLean Hospital, along with hospitals all over the nation will be observing this week.

Mayor Sam Haynes has officially proclaimed this week as Hospital Week in McLean.

Randy Curry Gets Scholarship

The annual convocation at Southwestern Oklahoma State University at Weatherford, Okla., was held Thursday afternoon, May 1.

At this convocation eighteen scholarships, five of them given for the first time, went to students selected by the School of Pharmacy faculty. Receiving one of these five awards, which were the Al Harris Scholarship, funded by the Southwestern Pharmacy Alumni Foundation, was Randy Curry from McLean. Curry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Curry.

Local 4-H'ers Win Second Place

Two members of the McLean 4-H Club won second place at District Competition held at Canyon, Saturday, May 3, by presenting a unique and new approach to method demonstrations. Beth and Bryan Smitherman competed in the Beef Cattle Junior Symposium Competition by presenting a demonstration on "Preparing a Calf for Show."

Their approach to the demonstration was different in that they presented a film which was taken at the Amarillo Stock Show. The film showed them washing, clipping, grooming, and showing the calf at the show. During the film Beth and Bryan explained in detail what was being done and why. Their demonstration was presented in county competition earlier and won 1st place for them.

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MRS. LAURENT PERRON

Local Resident's Granddaughter Married At San Antonio.

Miss Candis Marie Webb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Webb of San Antonio and Laurent Perron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marius Perron of San Antonio, were wed recently by Rev. W.H. Long at Northeast Baptist Church in San Antonio.

Maid of honor was Miss Connie Zwick of Austin and bridesmaids were Mrs. Fred Jones of Bryan, Miss Cynthia Graham of Denver, Miss Diane Elliot of Lubbock, Mrs. Fred Meyers and Miss Johana Stafford.

Marius Perron III, of Austin, was best man. Groomsmen were Fred Jones of Bryan, Fred Myers, Phil Bep-

ko and Jay Hoyer. Jack Walker and Steve Owens served as ushers.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony at the church. After a wedding trip to Disneyland the couple will make their home in San Antonio.

The bride is the granddaughter of Mrs. Ruby Hill of McLean.

Baptist Ladies Have Bible Study

The ladies of the Baptist W.M.S. met in the church parlor Tuesday, May 29th for Bible study from Acts 13 and 14. The study on the missionary journey of Paul was given by Mrs. A.C. Wood.

Those present at the meeting were Mesdames Rella Ayers, Homer Abbot, Jim Stevens, Bill Pettit, Oba Kunkel, Bertha Smith, Leo Gibson and A.C. Woods.

On January 20, 1775, William Pitt's motion to withdraw British troops from Boston was defeated in the House of Lords.

Market Report

Overall beef prices are generally about the same with some indication of slight increases, one observer reported this week.

"But this is still an ideal time to put extra cuts into the freezer," according to Mrs. Gwendolyne Clyatt, consumer marketing information specialist, with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Pork features are available but they're scattered, she added. Choices are Boston butt roasts, end chops, rib end roasts and quarter-loin cut into chops.

Good values include smoked picnics, frankfurters and liver.

Mrs. Clyatt termed fryer chicken economical and noted that egg prices have dropped since Easter, making them an excellent protein value with Grade A, large size the best buy.

Frozen items to watch are strawberries and orange juice.

Fresh fruits in good supply at economical prices are Navel and Valencia oranges, pears, strawberries and banana.

Artichokes spotlight the vegetable counter--they're seasonally plentiful.

Other vegetables include potatoes, celery, cabbage, carrots, turnips and dry yellow onions.

Also, dairy products are in good supply, Mrs. Clyatt said.

Consumer Watchwords: Look for store specials on processed foods--this is a good time to stock up.

V.A. Representative To Visit McLean

Warner Phillips, a representative for the county veterans service in Pampa, will be in McLean on May 20th at the city hall from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

He will be available to help veterans, veterans widows or dependants with any problems they might have. Keep this date in mind.

On May 9, 1775, the Second Continental Congress began to assemble in Philadelphia.

The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill
Attorney General

AUSTIN—It's against the law to sell insurance in Texas without a license, but apparently a few people don't know that yet.

A small number of unlicensed companies or individuals have been offering what amounts to "insurance coverage" on anything from lost credit cards to extended automobile warranties to breakdowns of major home appliances. They do this even though they do not meet the requirements for insurers set by the State Board of Insurance.

Consumers who buy such "insurance" think they will be protected for their loss if, for example, they lose a credit card and someone charges a large amount of merchandise to their account.

But lawyers in our Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division and Insurance, Banking and Securities Division say often such insurers have no money reserves to pay claims.

So, after paying "premiums" regularly, the consumer may not be able to collect if he or she suffers a loss.

Most insurance companies and agents are stable and reputable. Those few which are not generally are unable to meet licensing requirements set by the State Board of Insurance, the agency charged with licensing and regulating the insurance industry in Texas.

Recently, a few unscrupulous agents have been reported to be zeroing in on old or ill persons to sell "medical in-

urance." Many purchasers of the policies didn't meet company standards, and would have been unable to collect. Some agents were alleged to have sold such persons a new policy every year, in order to get the agent's commission. And some of the agents were also alleged to have defrauded the companies they represented by concealing or falsifying information about the applicants.

Another type of "insurance" sold is an extended automobile warranty, one which covers any car problems after the dealer's warranty runs out.

Our Consumer Protection and our Insurance, Banking and Securities attorneys say that if you buy insurance from a third party who is not connected with the manufacturer or dealer of the product you bought, such as a new car, you should be careful to check into the reputation and dependability of the insurer.

They recommend that you have answers to these questions before committing yourself:

- *What types of expenses are covered by the insurance?
- *How much will the policy pay?
- *Is there a waiting period before the benefits go into effect?
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The material civilization which has been the source of endless pride is busily engaged in a process of self-destruction. Fear and insecurity have gripped nearly everyone. Is there no such thing as security? Is anything sure and steadfast in this world?

There is a "rock of ages" which can protect us from the storms of life. "Trust ye in the LORD for ever: for in the LORD JEHOVAH is everlasting strength (literally: Jehovah is the rock of ages)" (Isa. 26:4). This rock, secure and steadfast, to which we may cling and be safe, is God's definite promise to bless man under certain conditions. "Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on thee: because he trusteth in thee" (Isa. 26:3).

Security belongs exclusively to those who dare to do God's bidding. There are two steps in securing our minds on God. They are:

1. Engage in diligent study of His book, the Bible, so that we may learn what God wants us to do, as it "thoroughly furnishes us unto all good works" (2 Tim. 3:17).
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STATE CAPITAL
Highlights
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 by Lyndell Williams
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AUSTIN — Major legislation bearing on property tax values throughout the State has been passed by the House and sent to the Senate.

Representatives approved two separate measures which some contend provide for "the first major overhaul of the property tax structure in Texas this century."

HB 637 by Rep. Luther Jones of El Paso establishes a legislative tax board which will conduct an \$8 million statewide audit of taxable property during the next two years.

HB 1463 by Rep. Wayne Peveto of Orange would direct all property tax appraisals to be made by countywide offices. Local taxing authorities would still establish their own tax rates and assessment ratios under the legislation.

The State Comptroller's office would develop standards and procedures for the county tax appraisers.

Both bills are regarded as important to school finance reform. Many of the school measures would base allocation of state aid on market value of district property.

VOTE BILLS ADVANCED

Bills important to the legislative process cleared the House in a busy week.

HB 4 revises the 1973 campaign reporting and disclosure act, and establishes a bi-

partisan commission to enforce it.

SB 300, with a controversial party purity amendment attached, provides for a computer-policed permanent voter registration system. The measure returns to the Senate, which previously has rejected the "purity" provision requiring voters to register by party preference.

Other major bills passed by the House last week would provide for establishment of Health Maintenance Organizations (SB 180) and encourage rape victims (HB 284) to report crimes and aid prosecutors in getting convictions. The HMO bill went back to the Senate with a minor amendment and is expected soon to be signed into law.

LAWYERS CURBED

A State Bar of Texas Committee on Professional Ethics has held city councilmen and mayors who are lawyers should not practice in municipal courts or represent clients in cases initiated by city police officers.

Morris Hassell of Rusk, committee chairman, said some of the same reasoning used in the opinion could be applied to legislators practicing before state agencies.

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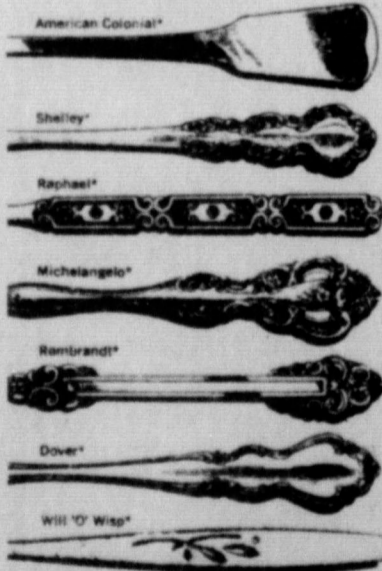


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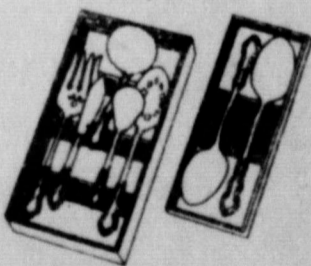
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Vicious Dog

A State Supreme Court decision cast doubts on cities' rights to regulate telephone rates for "extended metropolitan area service." The high court upheld an intermediate House court finding that a city has no inherent power to regulate utility rates, but only that granted by the legislature.

The Supreme Court also affirmed a \$139,194 damage judgment against a Houston finance firm following the death of a man from a heart attack after efforts to collect a \$158 debt.

In another case, the high court found no usury in a Dallas savings association's \$24,985 profit from arranging a \$150,000 loan for a development firm.

AG OPINIONS

The legislature has authority to require public utilities to refund to customers excessive rates, Atty. Gen. John Hill held.

In other recent opinions, the Attorney General concluded:

- A commissioners court is not required to call an election for purpose of invalidating previously-authorized road bonds on presentation of a petition.
- The legislature may alter the method of selecting members of public service boards so long as the agencies' economic obligations are not impaired.
- A commissioners court's mere refusal to ratify a prior action allegedly taken in violation of the open meetings act does not of itself have the effect of invalidating the earlier action.

APPOINTMENTS

R. Paul Teague Sr. of Texas City was named by Gov. Dolph Briscoe to the College Coordinating Board, succeeding Loren Bryce Meaders of Dallas who resigned.

Briscoe appointed Michael P. Metcalf of Dumas district judge of the 69th district (Deaf Smith, Oldham, Moore, Hartley, Sherman and Dallam counties).

He named Barry E. Blackwell of Dalhart to succeed Metcalf as 69th district attorney.

Tom Cole of Houston is new deputy general counsel for the Republican Party of Texas.

Roy M. Talley of Austin will serve on the legal committee of the Interstate Oil Compact Commission for Texas.

Taking a short cut through an unfenced back yard, Ed was attacked and bitten by the property owner's dog. In due course, he retaliated with a suit for damages. At the trial, the defendant admitted that his dog was vicious.

"That is precisely why I keep him, to attack trespassers," he told the court. "I keep him chained, but the chain is long enough for him to protect my property. The plaintiff was bitten only because he went where he did not belong."

However, the court threw out this defense and granted Ed's claim. "The safety of human life," said the judge, "may not be unnecessarily endangered in the protection of property."



Generally speaking, the law considers the keeping of a vicious dog similar to the keeping of a dangerous weapon. The dog, like the weapon, must be handled with extreme care. Against a trespasser who is innocent, embodying no personal menace to anyone, the property owner has no more right to use a vicious dog than to use a gun.

In fact, some courts impose liability on the owner even if he tried his best to prevent bites. One home owner kept his vicious dog locked in an enclosure beneath the front steps. A visiting neighbor was climbing the steps one day when his foot slipped through a loose board. The dog, seeing the foot come into range, lost no time in taking a bite.

Here, the court held the owner liable even though he had tried to avoid accidents. The court said this was the penalty for keeping such a dog on the premises in the first place.

On the other hand, the owner is usually not responsible if the victim plays an active role in bringing on his own trouble. Take this case.

A man went to pick up his car at a repair shop, which had already closed for the day. He knew the proprietor kept a vicious watchdog, but "took a chance" and went in anyhow. Unfortunately, the dog did bite him severely.

Could the man collect damages? In these circumstances, the court said no.

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Freshman Class Have Party

By Gina Layne
The McLean "freshmen" went on an expedition into the great Northwest last Saturday led by none other than the great pathfinder, Kenneth McGinty. All of the Freshmen really had a blast. There was a lot of Weiner-roasting, chilly-spilling, marshmallow-roasting, and dummy-dunking and/or sorehead soaking, whichever the case may be, going on; spiced up by a dash of Romecing and Julieting. Speaking of sorehead-soaking, Mrs. Jefferson left the party completely soused. Only a few survivors, after swimming the River-of-no-return, experienced the thrill of playing baseball as they ran barefoot through the cowships in the open pasture. As this happening ends our ignorant days of bliss, we will hopefully pass on the sophistication of the sophomore society.

Band Banquet Set For Tuesday

Thursday, May 13 at 7:30 the McLean Band Boosters will sponsor a Band Banquet honoring band members. The theme of it will be the "Bicentennial Review of Music." The 7th and 8th grades will put on the entertainment. The public is invited to attend. Tickets may be purchased for any band student or at Parsons Rexall Drug Store. The Senate passed a bill to require coverage of alcoholism in health and accident insurance policies.

HECE Students Honor Employers

By Gina Layne
Last Tuesday night at 7:00 p.m., the members of HECE at MHS has a banquet in the home economics department. The banquet was held in appreciation of the employers of the HECE members. Denise Lamb, president of the organization, presided over the banquet. Each employer was presented with a certificate of appreciation by their student-employee. A formal dinner was also held. The HECE class is sponsored by Mrs. Martha Mears and is a part of the FHA organization.

At the close of the banquet, the guests were given a tour by Homer Jefferson, superintendent, of the newly remodeled auditorium. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Jones, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cash, Mr. and Mrs. Creed Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jefferson, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mears, Toni Bailey, Patsy Bailey, Sydney Morris, Connie Bohlar, Denise Lamb and Roger Bowling.

Sophomore Class Has Barbecue

By Beth Hambright
The sophomore class of MHS had a party April 29. A bar-b-que supper was cooked over a open fire by Coach Hicks. Sponsors were Mrs. Elenor Jefferson and Mrs. Charlene Pierce. A good time was had by all.

News From ALAN REED

By Mrs. P. M. Gibson
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hall are very happy about a brand new granddaughter, born April 28. She weighed 6 lbs. 4 ounces and was named Alisha Leigh. She has one sister, Diana. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hallum of Houston. The other grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hallum of Brownwood.

Mr. A. H. Moreman is in McLean Hospital, and is feeling better. Recent visitors in Mr. and Mrs. Moreman's home were her sisters Mrs. Nellie Mendenhall of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Blanch Grice of San Antonio. Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Gibson were in Pampa on Friday where Mrs. Gibson received medical attention.

Visiting the P. M. Gibsons Friday afternoon was their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Vineyard of Idalou, Kelly and Wendi. Mrs. Mike Fulbright is in a hospital in Lubbock where she had surgery on Friday of last week and is reported doing fine.

Harrison Worsham had surgery recently in Groom and is reported doing fine. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crisp visited their children the David Frizzels of Lockney on Thursday of last week and their grandson Chad came home with them. On Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. David Frizzel, Cindy and Julie came and spent the night Sunday and Chad went back home with them.

BIRTHDAYS

- MAY 9 NONE
- MAY 10 Homer Wilson, Kinnette Hambright
- MAY 11 Mrs. Scott Carpenter
- MAY 12 Mrs. Allen Wilson, Mrs. K. S. Rippy, Mrs. Bill Reeves, Jerry Guyton, Sharon Sitter Atchley
- MAY 13 Mrs. Woodrow Wilkerson, Ishmel Wofford
- MAY 14 Sidney Gilbreath, Elton Johnston, Jr., Mrs. Clyde Brown, Janice Hill
- MAY 15 Walter Craig Corbin, Davey Smith Haynes

One Act Play Set For May 8

By Gina Layne
On Thursday evening, May 8, the people in the one-act play will perform the play that they used to compete in the UIL contests at Clarendon. The play, "The Other Side of the Wall" will be performed in the newly remodeled high school auditorium at 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Loyd Fulbright was in Lubbock Thursday, Friday and Saturday because her daughter-in-law had surgery. Moving into Ruby Hill's house from McLean was Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Hutchinson and son. Mr. and Mrs. Bert McKee visited Alvis Moreman in McLean Hospital Tuesday evening.

McLean Tiger Band Plays in Colorado

The MHS Band has recently returned from a trip to the Blossom Festival in Canon City, Colorado. The band students along with their direction Roger Quibodeaux and their sponsors, Mrs. Quibodeaux, Mr. and Mrs. Hunt, Mrs. Paul Miller, Mrs. Casper Smith, and Mr. Robert Matheny stayed at the Palmer House motel in Colorado Springs. Every band member wishes to express their gratitude to Mr. Quibodeaux and also the sponsors. The trip was especially enjoyable because each band member worked hard to earn the money to

attend the festival. The only awards received for the three days activities were the memories, the applause and the support of the McLean citizens. In addition to the competition the McLean students and their sponsors visited Royal Gorge and other sites of interest. The Governor entered into an agreement with the Department of Labor allowing unemployed Texans receive an extension of to 13 weeks in unemployment benefits.

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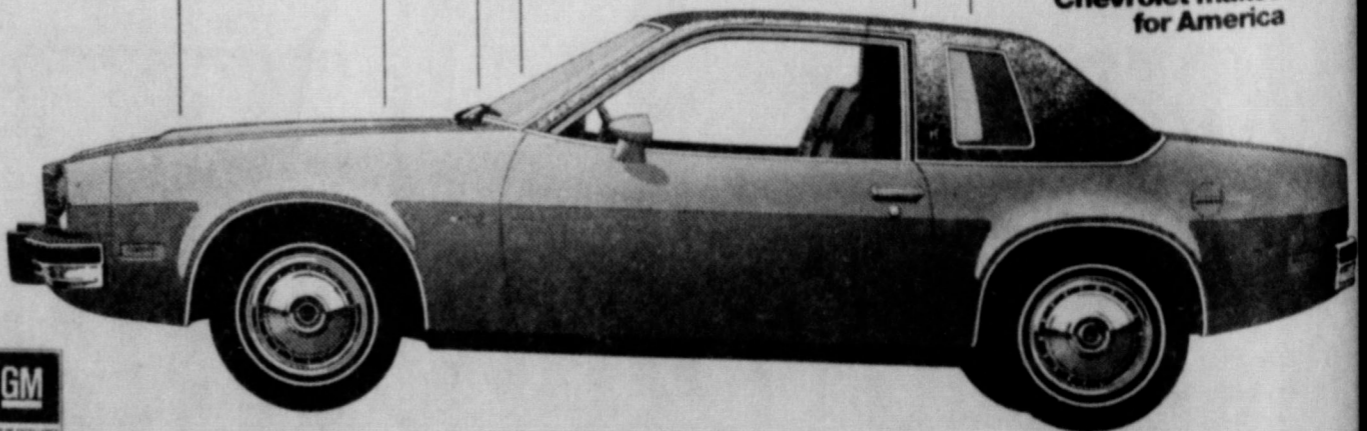
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Few Changes Made In '75 Deer Season

Deer seasons across the state for 1975-76 will be generally the same as last year.

In other deer action, the Commission adopted a Wildlife Division proposal to issue only antlerless deer permits instead of tags in those 37 counties which previously had either-sex bag hunting last year.

Otherwise, the general deer season will continue as defined in the regulatory

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authority proclamations, this season Nov. 15, 1975 through Jan. 4, 1976, in most of the state. Other areas seasons are Nov. 22-Dec. 7 in the Panhandle.

Turkey seasons generally will be concurrent with deer seasons. With both species, some individual county regulations vary, whether under

JIM BACK

To the many relatives and friends who have contributed to the comfort and happiness of our loved one during his several years of illness, we want to express our thanks.

For the phone calls, visits, and prayers during his last weeks, we are indeed grateful. To those who sent or brought food and to the women who served our lunch on Wednesday, we are especially appreciative.

The beautiful floral offerings and numerous contributions to the local museum as a memorial to our husband and father made our loss easier to bear.

For the unceasing care shown by every member of the hospital staff, to all the nurses, so faithful to the end, to both Dr. Fabian and Dr. Wood, who did all that was humanly and scientifically possible, we owe a debt of genuine gratitude.

A special note of appreciation goes to Creed and Denise of Lamb Funeral Home, who took care of details—major and minor—in a sympathetic and efficient manner.

Thank God for little towns and Big people who care!
 The Family of Jim Back:
 Vera F. Back
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We wish to take this means of saying "Thank You" for the acts of kindness shown us at the time of the death of our Father and Grandfather, Claude Parker. For the food brought to our home and for the Memorial tributes of flowers and other gifts, we express our deep appreciation to each one of you. God bless you all.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Parker
 Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Parker
 Mr. and Mrs. Brad Parker
 and son
 Michele Parker
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the regulatory authority of the commission or by general law statute.

In the southernmost third of the state, javelina may be hunted Oct. 1-Jan. 4.

Antelope season in the Texas Panhandle was set for Oct. 4-7.



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Congressman Jack Hightower in a statement issued from his Washington office today, state that he was sadly disappointed by President Ford's veto of the Emergency Farm Bill.

"We had been hearing rumors of this action for weeks," Hightower said, "but I just could not help but think that the support the bill received in Congress would convince Mr. Ford of the desperate situation the farmers of America are facing."

"The bill is directed at an emergency situation just as its title suggests," Hightower said, "faced with double digit inflation eating away at any return on his investment and effort, the farmer has got to be able to count on a fair price for his product."

Hightower said, "It is impossible for me to believe that the President is aware of the swift and unpredictable changes in today's agricultural markets, if he states that his veto shows that this Administration is determined to act in support of the American farmer as well as the consumer is in greatly expanded agricultural production. Without the assurance of a realistic return the farmer must cut back his production, creating shortages and still higher retail food prices, hurting himself as well as the consumer. It is impossible for me to understand how this veto works in the best interest of anyone."

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HEARD NEWS

Mrs. Jessie Cannon and Mrs. Wiley of Pampa visited in the O. O. Tate home Thursday.

Miss Jana Davis of Pampa spent the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ott Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Carpenter visited Sunday afternoon in Shamrock with Mr. and Mrs. Elvie Turnbow and Mrs. Weston.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Don Morris of Amarillo spent Friday night and Saturday with Mrs. Arlie Grigsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Graham were in Sayre, Okla. Friday.

Mrs. Ott Davis was in Wheeler Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Nancy Setzler and Von of Shamrock visited Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Phillips.

Mrs. Carl Phillips was a Shamrock visitor one day this week.

Francis L. Petty of Midland is spending from Sunday til Friday visiting with his mother, Mrs. Luther Petty, who came with him from Amarillo, where she had been visiting in the H.M. Billingsley home. She had also attended the funeral of her cousin, John E. Rowland. While visiting at the Billingsley she enjoyed a birthday party for her grandson, Vernon Kennedy, who was 36 years old.

School Land Board announced bids will be received for a large oil and gas lease sale June 3. Another sale is scheduled at the same time for Texas Youth Council, Parks and Wildlife Department and Department of Corrections lands.

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 - Building Materials of all Kinds
 - Antique Items of all Kinds

A weekly public service feature from
the Texas State Department of Health

Accent on Health

J.E. PEAVY, M.D., Commissioner of Health

Medical help for children in Texas comes from many sources, and for three children living near Brenham it was the State Health Department laboratories which discovered they had high lead levels in their bodies.

Lead poisoning can cause mental retardation or even death, and early discovery is vital to prevent any lasting effects.

How did the laboratories in Austin become involved with lead poisoning cases near Brenham?

The State Health Department, in cooperation with the Texas Department of Public Welfare, is carrying out an extensive medical screening program throughout the state for children on welfare rolls. The State Health Department is responsible for the physical examinations given under this Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT) Program through a contract with the Welfare Department.

When a medical screening team from the State Health Department rolled into Brenham last year--bringing with it the promise of better health--the three children with lead poisoning attended the clinic.

During the Extensive physical examinations, blood samples were taken to be sent to the Health Department Laboratories for analysis. On this day--a lucky one for the three children--the blood samples taken disclosed the sinister lead condition.

The initial high lead reading led to another test to verify the first result, and the children began treatment to leech the lead from their systems.

It also resulted in an investigation by an environmental health engineer of the premises where the children lived. His inspection of the home showed lead-based paint peeling from the walls, woodwork and window sills. The paint chips have a sweet taste which children find enjoyable, and they were chewing on the window sills and picking up paint flakes.

Since the discovery, the walls have been covered over and the parents advised of the lead problem. And, the children have been undergoing periodic blood tests and treatment by a local physician.

These youngsters are just three of the more than 159,000 children in Texas who have been examined in the EPSDT Program.

During the physical examination by a physician or nurse, blood samples are taken and sent to the special Medical Screening Division of the Bureau of Laboratories.

Each child's blood undergoes a laboratory analysis for

syphilis, lead, hemoglobin (anemia) and hemoglobin types (sickle cell and related diseases). About 30,000 individual tests are performed each month.

The laboratory staff includes 15 highly-trained personnel, including medical technologists, chemists and laboratory technicians. The medical technologists are all certified by the American Society of Clinical Pathologists. The chemists hold college degrees, and the laboratory technicians are usually college graduates.

The Health Department facility is the largest lead poisoning analytical laboratory in operation in the country with the exception of New York State at Albany. Only two or three other laboratories in Texas are equipped to do lead testing.

The lead atomic absorption equipment called for an outlay of some \$30,000. Automated equipment enables the laboratory staff to keep abreast of its continuing work load.

"There is no way the job can get done without skilled dedicated personnel," said Dr. Therrell. "We are able to do the tests at a great financial saving with uniform quality control in our central laboratory, as opposed to having each medical team attempt to do this in the field he said. The Austin staff performs laboratory tests for the entire state, except for Houston.



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Down Again, But Up Slightly... 24,000 During the Last Half Of May... Brucellosis Again in Spotlight... Earlier Reports.

Cattle on feed in Texas continue to be down about 50 per cent from a year ago. But maybe there is light at the end of the tunnel. The Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service at Austin notes that cattle on feed in Texas and the nation showed a slight upturn in April compared to a month ago.

In Texas as of April 1, there were 1,122,000 cattle on feed. This is four per cent above the number on feed a month ago. But it is 49 per cent below the total a year ago.

Feedlot operators in the state reported intentions to market 700,000 cattle now through June 30. This would be 62 per cent of the total on feed as of April 1 and would be 37 per cent lower than marketed during the April to June 30 period last year.

Nationwide, cattle on feed in the 23 major feeding states are the lowest number for April in 12 years.

In the seven major feeding states--Texas, Arizona, California, Colorado, Iowa, Nebraska and Kansas--the number on feed is two per cent above a month ago, but is 37 per cent below those on feed a year ago.

CROP QUESTIONNAIRES will be mailed to 24,000 Texas farmers during the latter part of May.

They will be the basis for compiling information about Texas crops for 1975. Texas farmers, incidentally, have the reputation throughout the nation of being the most cooperative of any group in answering these questionnaires.

If you are one of those receiving the questionnaire, you are requested to fill it out as accurately as possible and return it promptly. Accurate returns are needed to get as true a picture of Texas agriculture as can be obtained.

BRUCELLOSIS ERADICATION EFFORTS are being speeded up throughout the state. The Texas Animal Health Commission (TAHC) notes that misunderstanding about the program is causing some difficulties.

"Most cattlemen are cooperating with the program, and they are to be commended for that," Dr. H. Q. Sibley, executive director of the TAHC, said.

If you have a question about the program, you can get the correct answer to it by contacting the Texas Animal Health Commission in Austin or TAHC field veterinarians.

The state-federal program was begun in 1934 on a voluntary basis to eliminate the disease. Since 1954, regulations have evolved into a system which includes testing cattle to find infection and sending infected animals to slaughter. Only about one per cent of the nation's cattle population is infected with brucellosis.

CROP REPORTS OF ACREAGES planted by farmers for most crops will be released earlier this year than in past years. The reports are usually released in July, but the Statistical Reporting Service says it will now release acres to be harvested in June.

The planted acreage and acres for harvest estimates to be released June 30 will be based on surveys as of June 1.

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south side of the highway.

The Interstate highway will have four lanes separated by a safety median. The roadway will have complete controlled access and some frontage roads. Two overpasses will be constructed, one each at Lake McClellan and at the entrance to the Johnson Ranch. The dirt work and paving will be performed for the safety rest areas that will serve both east and westbound Interstate traffic.

During the first two phases of construction traffic will be carried on the existing U.S. 66 lanes with some minor detouring onto frontage roads that will be built.

Thomas R. Kelley of Pampa, Highway Department resident engineer, will supervise the

construction.

This section of U.S. 66 carries about 6,500 vehicles daily. An estimated 12,000 cars, trucks and buses are expected to use the facility daily in 1996.

At first the safety rest areas will consist of some landscaping, a paved roadway and curb and gutter. Eventually the rest areas will have comfort stations and picnic tables and will resemble those located on Interstate about 15 miles east of Amarillo.

Although price estimates have not yet been tabulated, the second and third phases of the 9.7 mile project will most likely cost more than the first phase.

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