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In 1879 Thomas Alva Edison perfected the electric light, and now 100 years later, Americans are wondering how much longer we will be able to afford to keep electric lights burning in our homes.

Last week, I opened my bill from Southwestern Public Service, and came close to fainting when I saw that our bill for our home for the month of August was almost \$300!

Of course, the "light" bill is no longer just for lights. We have electric air conditioning, television sets, radios, kitchen appliances, electric water heaters, and many other items in addition to our lighting.

I don't believe the energy crisis really hits home until you see a bill like that. We promptly turned off the central air conditioning unit, and lectured the children on saving electricity.

The next morning when I went to check with Pat Durham, SPS' very efficient secretary in McLean, I discovered that there was an error in my bill, which she had already caught and corrected.

But I'm glad the incident happened, because I learned two things: first, that there may come a time when our lifestyle will have to change because of increasing energy costs, and second, that I was glad I lived in McLean where Miss Durham works, because I am sure that in a larger city (or with a less efficient secretary) the error might not have been caught, and I would have wound up with a whopper of a bill.

I enjoyed getting up last Thursday morning to cool temperatures for a change. Although our summer here certainly has been mild, I always look forward to the cool, crisp autumn days that we have in McLean.

By the way you don't need to drive to Colorado or New Mexico to enjoy the beauties of foliage changing. Take a drive out to the Canadian River bridge near Milton Carpenter's place, or drive south of McLean on the Hedley highway in about two weeks, and you will see as beautiful foliage as you could see in the mountains. There's not as much of it, of course, but the colors are still breathtaking.

The identity of Sleeping Beauty in the old picture in last week's paper is still a mystery, but an informant has told us that the photo was taken in 1952 or 53. Pictured from left to right are Mary Ann Carter, Karen Day, Alta June Watson, Christa Rogers, Margie Railsback, Donna Graham and Pamela Mann.

If anyone can tell us who Sleeping Beauty was, please call.

The Hillcrest Cemetery Association is conducting a campaign to try to clean some of the graves at the cemetery which have been left unattended. Because of extremely heavy rains in the McLean area this year, the problem is more

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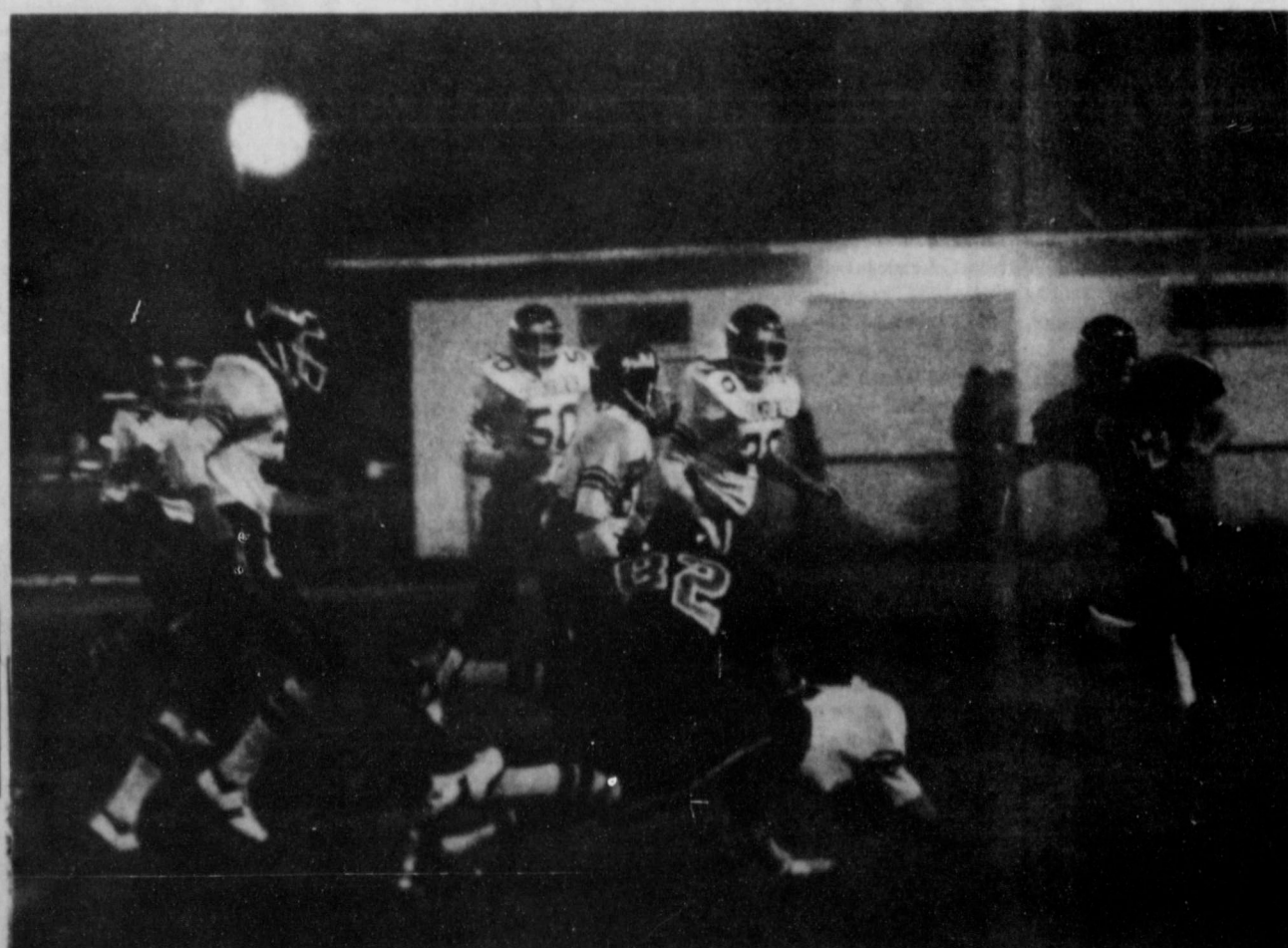
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9-11	87	58
9-12	88	57
9-13	76	55
9-14	75	51
9-15	72	49
9-16	79	52
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TIGER BALL CARRIER Rex Morris tries to elude an Irishman after taking the handoff from quarterback Randy Suggs. [Photo by Lisa Patman]



NUMBER 24 FROM SHAMROCK was only one of the Shamrock players who seemed to play in McLean's backfield during Friday night's game. Here quarterback Randy Suggs is looking for a receiver as Tiger Rex Morris [32] moves to head off the charging Irishman. [Photo by Lisa Patman]



TIMMY KILLHAM DOWNS the Shamrock ball carrier as Randy Suggs moves in front of the play during Friday night's rout of the Tigers by the Shamrock Irish. [Photo by Lisa Patman]

## Irish Stun Tigers With 40 Point Win

By Mike Haynes  
Shamrock's Fighting Irish stunned McLean with five first-half touchdowns Friday night and went on to hand the Tigers their second straight shutout of the young season, 40-0, at McLean's Duncan Field.

The Tigers fell to a 0-2 record as Shamrock denied them their first score of the year. The speedy Irish claimed their first victory of 1979 after losing to Class B Wheeler 25-7 in their opener. McLean was edged by Chillicothe in its first contest, 8-0.

Although the Tigers' 151 yards total offense almost doubled their output against Chillicothe, they were unable to reach the Shamrock goal. McLean's passing attack was particularly ineffective against the Irish, as the Tigers completed an astonishing one aerial in 16 attempts, that a 15-yarder from Randy Suggs to Timmy Killham.

The McLean defense, which had been stingy in two scrimmages and held Chillicothe to 78 total yards, was porous in the first half as Shamrock's speed took its toll. Clark Pritchard's 10-yard touchdown run in the initial period was followed only a few minutes later by a 30-yard scoring pass from Stewart Miller to Terry Sims.

Carl Bennett tallied twice in the second quarter, first on a 25-yard run and then on an 85-yard punt return. A 13-yard TD by Pritchard, was sandwiched between Bennett's scores.

Stacy Prather ended the night's scoring with a 20-yard scamper in the third stanza. Russell Waters kicked four extra points for the Irish. The Tiger defenders were unable to contain the fast Irish backs and were hurt several times by missed tackles which allowed long gains. McLean head coach Jack Dorsett said the Tigers seemed to be "just sitting back and waiting" on defense. "And we just weren't tackling," he said. Shamrock finished the unusually cool September evening with 332 yards.

Although Shamrock played its reserves during part of the

second half, its first team remained in the game much of the time, and McLean held the Irish in check for most of the last two quarters. But the Tigers were unable to cut into the sizable lead held by the visitors. The closest McLean came to a score was a missed 47-yard field goal attempt by barefoot kicker Wade Smith.

"They didn't ever quit," Dorsett said of his team. "Our offense moved the ball better than they did against Chillicothe, but we just had too many mistakes." Tiger coaches said the film reveals that many McLean plays were just one block or one missed assignment away from good yardage. "And we just weren't getting off the ball," said Dorsett.

McLean's 136 steps on the ground were divided roughly as follows: Rex Morris, 60 yards; Billy Joe Skipper, 40; and Randy Suggs, 30. Dorsett said center Dick Bode "played super on offense."

Assistant coach Jerry Cook said the Tigers' dismal passing

was a combination of poor execution on both ends. Some passes were thrown "into the ground," he said, while several good throws were dropped.

Both teams were plagued by penalties, with the game lasting well into the night because of the clock-stopping yellow flags. The Tigers retreated 90 yards on infractions, while the Irish were penalized a whopping 160 yards. In McLean's loss to Chillicothe, each team accumulated more than 100 yards in penalties.

On the strength of their second-half improvement, several MHS lads were rated high defensively by the coaches. With a system of two points for an unassisted tackle and one point for an assist, Rex Morris totaled 18 and Billy Kincannon had 17. Dudley Reynolds totaled 13, while four or five other players had 11 each.

The McLean coaches praised Shamrock's talent, which is above what the Class A school

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Shamrock	13	20	7	0	..40
McLean	0	0	0	0	..0
S - Clark Pritchard 10 run [Russell Waters kick]					
S - Terry Sims 30 pass from Stewart Miller [kick failed]					
S - Carl Bennett 24 run [kick failed]					
S - Pritchard 13 run [Waters kick]					
S - Bennett 85 punt return [Waters kick]					
S - Stacy Prather 20 run [Waters kick]					
McLean Shamrock					
First Downs	11	19			
Net Yards Rushing	136	260			
Total Yards Gained	151	332			
Passes Attempted	16	8			
Passes Completed	1	3			
Passes Int. By	1	3			
No. of Punts	6	3			
Punt Avg.	35.5	36.0			
Opp. Fumbles Rec.	2	5			
No. of Penalties	13	16			
Yards Penalized	90	160			
DISTRICT / -B SEASON STANDINGS					
TEAM	W	L	T	Pts.	Opp.
Follett	2	0	0	76	17
Wheeler	2	0	0	48	7
Miami	1	0	1	14	6
Groom	1	1	0	38	30
Texline	0	1	1	0	28
McLean	0	2	0	0	48
WEEKEND RESULTS					
Wheeler 23, Chillicothe, 0; Follett 48, Keyes 3; Groom 30, White Deer 20; Beaver 28, Texline 0; Shamrock 40, McLean 0; Booker 14, Phillips 7; Miami 0, Claude 0.					

## Council Passes Ordinances

The McLean City Council accepted the donation of the Marie Foundations building from Cal and Marie Fraser Sept. 11 during its regular monthly session at the city hall.

Mayor Sam Haynes read the letter from the Frasers to the council during the session.

In other business, the council read three ordinances for the second time and passed each one. Ordinance 194 provides for changing the monthly rates to be charged for water from a minimum of \$2 to \$2.50.

Ordinance number 195 changes the rate for residential sewer from \$2 to \$2.50 and residential garbage service from \$2.50 to \$3.25.

Ordinance number 196 fixes the tax rate and levy in the city for 1979 for the general fund at \$1.25 per \$100 evaluation, the same tax rate that has been

## Cystic Fibrosis Auction Set

Baked goods will be auctioned during intermission at the Appreciation Jubilee Sept 29 at the McLean High School auditorium with the proceeds of the auction to go to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation campaign.

The Cystic Fibrosis Foundation is conducting a nation-wide "Kiss Your Baby" campaign during Septembe to help parents recognize the symptoms of cystic fibrosis in their children.

One of the signs of the disease, the most serious lung-damaging disease, is a salty taste to the skin. Mothers have sometimes alerted doctors to the possibility of C/F when kissing their babies and tasting salt, according to the Foundation.

Cystic Fibrosis is inherited by

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used for several years.

All raises are effective Oct. 1. Superintendent of McLean schools Carl Dwyer explained to the council some of the provisions of House Bill 621 which establishes a county-wide appraisal district for all taxing

entities.

Approval of the budget for the city was tabled until the October meeting.

The group set October 9 as the date to open bids for the

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## Chamber Membership Meeting Set For Tuesday

Twelve people met Thursday night at the Sam Haynes' home to discuss the formation of a Chamber of Commerce in McLean. Following a lengthy discussion about the benefits of a Chamber, those attending agreed to call a meeting for Tuesday, Sept. 25 at 7 p.m. at

the McLean school cafeteria to form a Chamber.

Attending the meeting were Paul Middleton, Cheryl Smith, Jim Barker, Linda Haynes, Jim Davis, Bill Thomas, Miro Pagan, George Terry, F. Jake Hess, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Burnett, and Boyd Meador.

## Jubilee Announced

A Derbytown Jubilee in appreciation for Thomas Nursing Center in McLean has been scheduled for Sept. 29 at 7:30 p.m. in the McLean High School Auditorium, sponsored by the citizens of McLean.

The Jubilee will feature musical entertainment from several different groups, according to George Terry, master of ceremonies for the event.

Admission of \$1.50 for adults and 50 cents for children will be charged.

## Cubs Romp Over Miami

The McLean Junior High Cubs started their 1979 season in grand style Thursday night when they defeated Miami 22 to 0 on Miami's home turf.

The Cubs, quarterbacked by Randall Wynn, scored a safety in the first quarter when Scott Stubbs tackled Miami's punter behind the goal line.

The local Lions Club is in charge of the concession stand and several club groups in the town are handling other parts of the program.

During intermission, cakes and other baked goods will be auctioned off, with the proceeds to go to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

The money raised from admission to the Jubilee will be used to help pay for curb and gutter around the nursing center.

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# OPINIONS

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

## PROMOTE McLEAN - JOIN THE CHAMBER

Twelve enthusiastic people gathered recently to discuss the need for a Chamber of Commerce in McLean. As a result of that meeting, the group plans to have a meeting Tuesday night (September 25) in the school cafeteria at 7 p.m. to form a Chamber of Commerce.

**WHY DOES McLEAN NEED A CHAMBER OF COMMERCE?** A Chamber of Commerce is an organization which will promote business, industry, agriculture, and community spirit in McLean. A Chamber is not a social club or a service club, but rather a group whose sole purpose is the betterment of our area.

**WHO SHOULD JOIN A CHAMBER?** Although many consider a Chamber of Commerce to be strictly for businessmen, it should be composed of all the people of a community who are interested in that community's growth. If you are a BUSINESSMAN, PROPERTY OWNER, DOCTOR, NURSE, TEACHER, SCHOOL ADMINISTRATOR, ACCOUNTANT, RANCHER, FARMER, or a TAXPAYER in the McLean

area (and that includes Alanreed and the rural areas surrounding McLean), then it is in YOUR best interest to join this organization.

**WHAT CAN A CHAMBER DO?** A Chamber of Commerce can promote businesses in McLean, community improvement projects, community spirit, and community pride.

A community cannot stand still. McLean will either progress or it will decline. If McLean declines in population or if businesses do not continue to grow, every property owner will be hit with higher taxes. Your investment in your business or property will eventually become valueless. Young people will leave the town in increasing numbers, and eventually McLean will die.

**NOW IS THE TIME** to do something to insure the future of our town.

**CIRCLE THE DATE**...September 25. Come to the organizational meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, and be willing to give a little time and a little work to the betterment of our town.

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severe than it has been for several years. Approximately 100 grave-sites are in need of cleaning. Most of these graves belong to people whose families no longer live in McLean. If the grave has a curb around it, then the city employees cannot mow, and the weeds are getting higher every day.

The cemetery association has

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has fielded in recent years. Citing the speed and size of the Irish, Dorsett said, "They are good, but not 40 points better than us." Assistant coach Joe Riley added, "They are a good, fundamentally sound, football team." "Shamrock is the best team we'll face all year," said Dorsett.

The Irish will take on Groom, another of McLean's District 1-B opponents, Friday at Shamrock.

The Tigers will be at home for the second straight week Friday as they host the Silverton Owls of District 2-B (South) at 8 p.m.

The Owls upset Lubbock Christian High School last week 18-7 after being outclassed by

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scrimmage in the second half by Kevin McDowell. Elson Rice ran for the extra point conversion.

In the Cubs next possession, Ricky Vasquez ran 45 yards for another touchdown. The extra point try was not good.

Riley said that his team did a great job. "It was a real team effort," Riley said. "The defense was terrific."

The Cubs meet Skellytown tonight (Thursday) at 6:30 p.m. at Duncan Field in McLean.

Members of the Cub team this year are Dusty Bomar, Randall Wynn, Ty Hill, Elson Rice, Craig Morris, Von Hol-

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but early diagnosis and treatment are helping to lengthen lives. Today, 50 percent of C/F patients can be expected to live past age 19, where once few survived to school age.

mailed about 100 letters to family members, asking for a donation of \$6 to help defray the cost of a fall clean up. If you have family members buried at the Hillcrest Cemetery, and you have not been able to return to McLean to help clean the graves, please send your donation to the Hillcrest Cemetery, McLean, Texas, 79057.

Kress the week before. McLean scout Vester Joiner said LCHS fielded a good team, but that Silverton showed more emotion and wanted the game more.

Dorsett said Silverton probably is about the same caliber team as Chillicothe. He said they have a tall front line which averages around 180 pounds per man. One of the Owls' offensive weapons is tailback Bobby McPherson (6'1", 180).

The local coaches said the Tigers had a good start this week with an enthusiastic and productive practice session Monday. "It was the best workout we've had in two weeks," said Cook. Dorsett added, "And we're going to keep it up."

wick, Kevin McDowell, Bill Billingsley, Ricky Vasquez, Tommy Milam, Stephen McAnear, Robert Swanner, Sammy Houdyshell, Ray Mac Blaylock, Tim Yarnold, Scott Stubbs, Eddy Brooks, Lance Stovall, Tracy Ice, Mark Tate, Billy Passmore, Gregg Mann, John Glass, Doyle Lee, Bryan Smitherman, Darrell Myers, and Tim Hembree.

Managers for the team are Robert McDonald and Allen Patman. Coaches, in addition to head coach Riley, are Jack Dorsett, Jerry Cook, and Vester Joiner.

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**A CHANNEL OF WATER** on the island of Euboea in the Aegean behaves in a strange way. The current actually reverses its direction about 14 times every day. Not only are scientists mystified by this, but it is said that the ancient philosopher, Aristotle drowned himself because he couldn't explain it.

**THE MUSICIANS WHO** follow tourists around in India play rather interesting music. Not only do they play on homemade instruments which make strange sounds, but the compositions they play have never been heard before. The musicians make them up as they play.

## New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Baker are the parents of a boy, Nicholas Chad, born Aug. 13, at Misawa Air Base, Japan. Nicholas has one brother, Melvin Andrew.

Grandparents are Mrs. Syble Johns of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Baker of McLean.

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Cathy and Floyd Adler of Weatherford are the parents of a son, Micky Aaron, born Sept. 11. He weighed 7 lbs., 14 oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Curry of McLean, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Adler of Weatherford.

## Canyon Women Publish Book

Nine months and 24,000 miles later, the dream and work of two Canyon women is on Panhandle bookshelves.

"Presenting the Texas Panhandle", a where-to-go, what-to-see and who-to-know guide to the upper 26 Texas counties, was published recently by Lana Barnett and Elizabeth Buhrkuhl.

The book developed, said Barnett, because she wanted to know what was interesting to see on weekend trips in the Panhandle.

"When we moved back out here from Ft. Worth, I was wanting something to take with me on weekend trips, something that listed what there is to see. I called the library, asking if there was a compilation and they checked and didn't have anything like that," she explained. "I just thought about it for a year. I didn't have the money then."

During that time, Barnett came to work for The Canyon News, helping prepare the county progress edition. She saw advertising as a way to finance the guidebook.

Barnett enlisted the aid of Buhrkuhl, a school teacher for 18 years, who has instructed from third grade through college level.

With the encouragement of Troy Martin, News publisher, they began work, gathering both advertisement and information. The result is a 198-page book with cover by Canyon artist Jim Ward and filled with historical photographs from the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum.

Each county has a chapter devoted to it that includes a feature story of a current topic; a historical feature; a calendar of annual events; things to see and do; a list of interesting facts, both past and present; current and historical photographs.

"We didn't write the book," they add. "We published it but we had contributing authors and did some of the writing."

In traveling the Panhandle, the major feature has been change, said Buhrkuhl. "We have not been in one county that there hasn't been a lot of changes, growth, industry, population, mostly for the better," she said.

"We've seen wildlife. We saw a herd of antelope between Perryton and Pampa," said Barnett.

"We've had a ball. We've met people in all walks of life, in all age groups. We've met people in all kinds of business situations."

"We've learned that the people are fantastic, and that the Panhandle is not all flat; there are a lot of canyons and hills in this Panhandle," she said.

They plan to update the book with a new edition every other year. In the meantime, they are working on other projects.

Copies of the book are available at The Gift Box and Gibson's in Pampa. For mail orders send \$3.95 plus \$1.00 postage and handling to Lan-Bea Publications, P.O. Box 601, Canyon, Texas 79015.

## Deaths

EVERETT B. CORNELL  
Everett Ballard Cornell, 76, died Sunday.

Services were Tuesday in First United Methodist Church in Hedley. The Rev. William "Bill" Watson, pastor, the Rev. Ernest McGaughey of Wheeler, and the Rev. Henry Falley of Paducah officiated.

Cornell was a retired oil company employee. He married Roxie Velma Eason in 1924. He had lived in Hedley four years, and was a former resident of Paducah. He was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Naomi Ruth "Jody" Thomas of McLean; his mother, Mrs. Z.C. Cornell Sr. of Clarendon; five sisters, Mrs. Winnie Brown of Paducah, Mrs. Erma Frank of Tulsa, Mrs. Ruth Cunningham of Amarillo, Mrs. Wanda Campbell of Dimmit, and Mrs. Lorene Kirkland of Dumas; five brothers, Herman of Watsonville, Calif., Marvin of Golden, Colo., Z.C. Jr. of Redding, Calif., Lonnie "Bill" of Midland, and Clarence of Clarendon; four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

ESHER E. CURLEE  
Service for Mrs. Esther E. Curlee, 87, was Tuesday in First Baptist Church. The Rev. Buell Wells, pastor, officiated.

Mrs. Curlee died Friday in Canyon.

She was born in Wilbarger County and moved to McLean from Ardmore, Okla., in 1966 and to La Casa Nursing Home in Canyon in 1976. She was a Methodist. She married R.C. Curlee on June 19, 1919. He died in 1939.

Survivors include several nieces and a nephew.

## TSTI Will Offer Three Year Course

TSTI-Amarillo's Interior Design Technology (IDT) program will change from a two-year to three-year course of study beginning Sept. 27. Max Scarborough, program chairman, says the change is being made in order to get accreditation from FIDER for TSTI's interior design program. FIDER (Foundation for Interior Design Education Research) is the accrediting agency of the American Society of Interior Design.

Scarborough estimates it will take FIDER a year to two years to accredit TSTI's new three year program. He says design elements emphasized during the third year of study will be lighting, upholstery, and the actual construction of window treatments. Ninth quarter students will be assigned a mock remodeling job in which they will act as a contractor and sub-contract much of the work.

For more information about TSTI's Interior Design Technology program and Fall Registration contact the office of admissions at (806) 335-2316.

## NEWS Of Education

**Tuition Information**  
College costs have about doubled during the past decade, and experts predict those costs are only going to go up.

Fortunately, there are some things that are helping parents (who pay on average, some 60 percent of the cost of their children's college education), and students. One is the many contributions to colleges by America's major corporation.

Although many people, a recent Harris poll revealed, feel that a 20 percent corporate profit margin is fair and believe that big companies earn 37 percent, the truth is major companies like Du Pont only make a profit of about 10 percent. Much of that must be used to pay shareholders and invest in new equipment and the like, but a good deal of it is given to our educational institutions.

Also helpful are the variety of student loans and individual grants available. You can learn more about them from a free book, "Information for Students," offered by the U.S. Office of Education, Washington, D.C. 20202.

It is estimated that 1.6 million Americans compete in road races of all lengths.

# energy answers

from the Texas Energy Extension Service

I am drawing up plans for a new house which will include wood burning fireplaces in two rooms. I am confused by all the conflicting opinions on whether or not fireplaces save energy or waste energy. I have also been told that I can get a tax credit for installing these fireplaces as energy saving devices. Would you please clear up these points? W.J., El Paso.

A fireplace can either save or waste energy depending on how it is constructed and how it is used. Most fireplaces draw heated air from within the room and exhaust it up the chimney. The exhausted air is then replaced with cold outside air.

When designing your new fireplace make sure you provide for adequate air intake of outside drafts or fresh air to keep the fire going. The fireplace should draw half its required air from outside the room.

Glass doors are recommended to close the fireplace opening to reduce heat loss as the coals slowly burn down.

In response to your question about energy tax credits for fireplaces, the IRS does not include wood-fueled residential equipment as one of the items eligible for an energy saving tax credit.

I am getting ready to install either fiber glass or rock wool insulation in my attic. Since I am going to do it myself, what precautions do you recommend in handling the material? S.J., Orange.

During the installation, mineral wool insulation material can cause some local skin irritation. Protect yourself by wearing loose clothing and gloves. Wash with soap and warm water after working with insulation. Wash work clothes

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renovation of the city's gas system.

Councilmembers discussed burning trash in the city, and decided to run a notice that trash should not be burned for at least two days before the regular date of collection.

In other business, the council discussed paving the streets on the south and east side of the Thomas Nursing Center, and discussed the problems of dogs and cats in the city.

The resignation of Janet Glass from the Lovett Memorial Library board was accepted, and Virginia Lane was appointed to take her place.

The group went into executive session following the regular session.

Attending the meeting were Mayor Haynes, councilmembers Boyd Meador, Dale Glass, Ruth Magee, Miro Pagan, and George Terry, and city employees Chester Bohlar, Bill Heasley, Bob Glenn, and Stella Lee, and school superintendent Dwyer.

Rayon owes its life to the French naturalist Reaumur, who, in 1734, observed, "Silk is only liquid gum. Could not we ourselves make silks with gums and resins?"

separately from other clothing. To prevent irritation to eyes and lungs from fibers which may become airborne during installation, a dust mask or single-use respirator and goggles are recommended.

If you have a question about energy conservation around the home, send it to ENERGY ANSWERS, Texas Energy Extension Service, Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas 77843.



## The Consumer Alert

by Mark White  
Attorney General

AUSTIN—Last week's column discussed some of the reasons for the high prices we must pay for utility services. This week I will explain what this office is doing to prevent further increases in these prices.

There has been a major national effort directed toward shifting our source of energy from oil to coal. Partially because of the new "value" of coal as an energy source, the state of Montana, a major coal producing state, attempted to impose a 30% severance tax on coal mined in that state. The effect of this tax would be a rapid escalation of the cost of coal, a cost increase that would be passed along to the utility consumer. For this reason, my first day in office I intervened in a state district court case filed in Montana challenging that state's efforts to impose the tax.

Another major factor in the cost of coal as an energy source is transportation. Once the decision has been made to use coal as the energy source, there normally is only one railroad to haul it from the mine to the utility. The railroads have begun to escalate their coal hauling charges in alarming amounts. For instance, Burlington Northern Railroad formerly charged \$7.00 per ton to haul coal. That rate was increased to \$12.00, an increase which was approved by the Interstate Commerce Commission. Then, not satisfied with the \$5.00 per ton increase, Burlington Northern went back to the Commission, requested and obtained a further increase to \$16.80 per ton. Still not satisfied, Burlington Northern returned to the Interstate Commerce Commission yet another time and this time was granted an additional increase in excess of \$18.00 per ton. Last year's increase in rates alone will cost San Antonio consumers an additional \$17 million per year. In order to assist the effort to stop these exorbitant increases, this

office intervened in the San Antonio Public Service Board v. Burlington Northern Railroad proceeding before the Interstate Commerce Commission. Partially due to the efforts of our office, the United States Attorney General has decided not to defend the L.C.C. on the most recent rates it granted to Burlington Northern and will support our position in the review of these orders now pending before the United States Court of Appeals in Washington, D.C.

The serious implications of uncontrolled increases in the cost of coal was dramatically demonstrated by the evidence collected by the Joint Economic Committee. The Committee examined the effect of coal transportation rates on the use of coal, especially the antitrust and foreign trade implications. The Committee found that because of skyrocketing coal shipping rates, several major utilities are turning to foreign coal to satisfy their coal needs. For example, Central power and Light, facing a coal shipping rate of \$20.00 per ton from Colorado to Coletto Creek, Texas, is negotiating for African coal. The utility believes it can save money by shipping it from Africa to the United States instead of from Colorado to Texas. Tampa Electric has contracted to receive 25% of its coal requirements from Poland. San Antonio reportedly is negotiating with Japanese companies involved in mining Australian coal.

This country's energy crisis and the resulting high cost of energy will not be cured by substituting Polish or African coal for Arabian oil. Foreign energy dependence must be discouraged; domestic energy resources must be made available at economical rates. For this reason, I will continue to oppose suppliers or transporters of coal who seek to increase their rates merely because of the new "value" of this energy resource.

### STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — Officials for SEDCO, Inc., the Dallas-based oil well drilling firm founded by Gov. Bill Clements, started a congressional committee last week when they revealed that Mexican oil company officials failed to heed advice which might have prevented the massive oil spill still blackening the Texas coastline.

SEDCO had leased the oil rig to a Mexican drilling firm, Pemargo, which had the contract from the Mexican government-owned oil company, PEMEX.

Stephen Mahood, SEDCO vice president and general counsel, testified the company advised against the drilling practice but were ignored by Pemargo and PEMEX officials.

Specifically, they were advised by SEDCO men to pump seawater into the well to prevent the oil blowout, and later, were advised against removing the drill pipe from the well, Mahood testified.

### Seek Immunity

Three days following the congressional committee hearing, SEDCO attorneys asked a Galveston federal judge to declare the drilling firm free from liability for damages from the oil spill.

The company also asked as an alternative that the judge limit any liability for damages against SEDCO to \$300,000, the amount the firm would have earned from the lease of the rig to Mexico.

U.S. District Judge Robert O'Connor signed an interim order protecting the company from any liability and set Oct. 23 as the deadline for filing any claims against the company.

SEDCO's request surprised Texas Attorney General Mark White, who is investigating the cause of the spill. White said he has stronger suspicions that the company ordered the drilling rig scuttled a month after the blowout to destroy evidence.

### Emergency Appropriations

Meanwhile, at a Capitol press conference last week a Texas coastline legislator announced he will ask Clements to include an emergency appropriation for revitaliz-

ing the weakened Texas tourist economy caused by the oil spill, should the governor decide to call a promised special session.

State Rep. Hector Uribe, a Brownsville attorney, said he will ask for \$1 million in emergency funds for advertising to counteract the bad publicity that tourism has received from the news coverage of the oil spill.

### Foreign-Owned

Since March foreigners have bought 53,002 acres of Texas farmland valued at nearly \$27.3 million, according to a U.S. Department of Agriculture report.

Five of the transactions ranged from \$1.2 million to nearly \$3.5 million.

During the last session the Texas House of Representatives narrowly rejected a proposal that would have required more accurate registration of foreign-owned agricultural land in the state.

### Garcia Named

Last week Speaker of the House Bill Clayton named San Antonio representative Matt Garcia to the Appropriations Committee. Garcia, a member of the Mexican-American caucus, replaces former State Rep. Jim Clark who resigned in the spring to become mayor of Pasadena.

### McKnight Vs. Hobby?

Tyler State Sen. Peyton McKnight announced he will be a candidate for statewide office in 1982, probably for Lieutenant Governor Bill Hobby's seat.

Hobby, who would face election to a fourth term if he runs, has made no comment.

McKnight did not commit himself only to running for Hobby's office, but made it clear Hobby was his main target.

### Unions Holding

Meanwhile, Texas AFL-CIO president Harry Hubbard told a Nederland audience that unions will push to retain their foothold in state government.

Hubbard said unionization of state workers was one goal; another was financial commitments to candidates in senate and house races.

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# COMMUNITY CORNER



TERRI HENLEY AND THOMAS CHRISTOPHER WILLIS

## Henley, Willis Vows Set For October 27

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Henley of McLean are announcing the engagement and approaching

marriage of their daughter Terri Kay to Thomas Christopher Willis, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Willis of Bartlesville, Okla.

The couple will exchange vows Oct. 27 at First Baptist Church in McLean.

Miss Henley is a beautician in McLean and an insurance agent for American Health and Accident Life Insurance of Amarillo.

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## Lions Host Teachers

The McLean Lions Club met Monday night in the city park for their annual teacher appreciation picnic. Members of the faculties of the McLean school were introduced by superintendent Carl Dwyer and high school principal Ron Cummings.

Lions members prepared a menu of smoked dove, barbecued dove, smoked sausages, red beans, potato salad, sliced tomatoes, and iced tea.

Approximately 75 people attended the event.

## McLean Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Crockett visited with Mrs. Clara Colebank in Tucumcari, N.M., Mrs. Bessie Crockett and Jeanie in Roswell, N.M., Mrs. Velma D'Spain in Jal, N.M., and Tonya Henderson at WTSU in Canyon.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Eck this week is her sister Jean of Los Angeles, Calif.

The McLean High School band marched in the Tri-State Fair Parade in Amarillo Monday.

Visiting in the home of Ruth Boles and her mother, Mrs. Walter Hill during the past week were, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hill Jr. from Eugene, Missouri, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hill from Vacaville, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hill from Dimmitt, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Holt from Glazier, Texas, lone Jones from Canadian, Texas, Mrs. Rick Locke, Troy and Tracy from Miami, Texas, Jonnie Ruth Howard and Michael from Stinnett, Texas and Linda Tucker and Gary Don and Jaime from Amarillo, Texas.

David Haynes, Mike Haynes, and Tom Eck attended the Oklahoma football game Saturday in Norman, Okla.

Four members of the Walk, Trot, and Run Club met Saturday at the McLean track, where they covered several laps. The week's mileage totals for those present were: John C. Haynes, 29; John M. Haynes, 11; Mike Johnson, 8; and Joyce Haynes, 4. The club tentatively is slated to meet again at the track at 7 p.m. Saturday.

## Class Presents Painting To School

The Class of 1979 of McLean High School presented a 5 1/2 foot by 7 foot oil painting of a bengal tiger to McLean High School Friday night during halftime of the McLean-Shamrock football game.

The giant painting was commissioned by the class last spring. The artist is Mrs. Darlene Riley of Tilia, sister-in-law of Coach Joe Riley.

The painting will be hung on the north wall of the McLean High School gymnasium.

Presenting the painting of an attacking tiger was vice-president of the class Tom Eck. Sponsors of the class were Mrs. Jacque Riley and Bill Coward.

## McLean School Enrollment Tallied

A total of 286 students are enrolled in the McLean schools for the current school year, according to principals Dorman Thomas and Ron Cummings.

The largest class in school is the eighth grade with 33 students. Other enrollments are as follows: first, 16; second, 22; third, 23; fourth, 24; fifth, 24; sixth, 25; seventh, 17; eighth, 33; ninth, 20; tenth, 20; eleventh, 32; and 12, 30.

The number of students is about the same as last year, according to school officials.

## Blood Pressure Clinic Set

The Texas Public Health Service will conduct a blood pressure clinic in McLean at the Young at Heart Senior Citizens building Sept. 30 in the afternoon.

The service is free to anyone who wishes to participate.

## Susannah Group Has Luncheon

The Susannah Group of the United Methodist Women met Sept. 11 at 11 a.m. for a birthday luncheon. Margaret Coleman provided the birthday cake which honored members of the group who have had birthdays recently.

Katy Graham opened the meeting with a prayer and a poem. During a brief business session, the group decided to meet with the Deborah group for the study "Mid East Mosaic" to be taught by Ruth Magee. Joyce Haynes, UMW president reported on other business.

Other members present were Allie Mae West, Beatrice Foster, Beulah Humphreys, Robbie Wilson, Ruth Ferguson, Grace Glenn, Helen Black, and a new member Mildred Rhoten.

ONE-HALF OF THE wheat and one-third of the cotton that is produced in the United States is sent to other countries.

## Miss Hommel Honored At Dinner

A birthday dinner was given in honor of Miss Alice Hommel of Dallas by her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. W.O. Hommel of Alanreed in their home recently.

A turkey dinner was served from a table covered in a gold cloth and set with green dishes and gold silverware. A birthday cake and a bouquet of gold flowers completed the table setting.

Attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hommel of Clarendon, Mrs. Vondell Grigsby of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Howard Miller and son David, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Miller and Mark Grigsby of Amarillo and Mrs. Lucille Cullison of McLean.

Miss Hommel visited in the home of her niece, Mrs. Cullison, last week. She also visited with her sister, Mrs. Annie Smith of Amarillo.

## Mrs. Turner Celebrates 89th Birthday

Former McLean resident Mrs. A.E. (Kate) Turner was honored with a party on her 89th birthday last Sunday. The party was held at Furr's cafeteria in Amarillo.

Attending the event were Mr. and Mrs. M.L. Turner of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Turner of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Turner of Amarillo,

had to do.

You planted a garden, and you hoed it too  
You worked all day, but didn't get through  
You carried the water, and the firewood too  
To wash our clothes every week or two.



Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Barnes of Fritch, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Turner of McLean, and Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Turner, also of McLean.

Mrs. Turner's son Rush penned a poem in honor of his mother's birthday, entitled it "You Ain't But Eighty-Nine". It reads as follows:

You started out young, but you didn't know  
You had a lot to do, and far to go  
You got up early and stayed up late  
You had ten kids, and still have eight.

Every morning you jumped out of the bed  
You hurried to the kitchen to make the bread  
You cooked the eggs and the bacon too  
We all had a lot of work we

You went to the barn to milk the cow  
You went back again to slop the sow  
You put out feed for all the hogs  
You kicked the cats, and chased the dogs.

Some years were good, and some were bad  
We had to make out with what we had  
You made our sacks to pull the bales  
You darned our socks, and patched our clothes.

So there you sit the whole day through  
You act like you don't have a thing to do  
Though there you sit, and look mighty fine,  
But my gosh Mom, you ain't but eighty-nine.

## Young At Heart Meets For Quilting

Twenty-one people attended the quilting and covered dish luncheon at the McLean Young At Heart Senior Citizen building Tuesday.

Club spokeswoman Eula Morrow said that the quilting will be each Tuesday for anyone who wishes to attend.

Those attending this week were Vela Young, Pearl Stevenson, Margie Fish, Verna Biggers, Ruby Tibbets, Eula Morrow, Nora Wilham, Thelma Stevens, Opal Hugg, Stella Gibson, Juanita Smith, Ruby Boyd, Oma Watson, Annie Harrington, Elizabeth Kunkel, Annie Brown, Mildred Geisler, Peggy Adams, Robyn Griffin, Oba Kunkel, Raymond Smith, and R.B. Kinard.



JIM McDONALD WAS one of several area men who were presented certificates recently for completing a course in paramedic training. (Photo Courtesy of Bill Howell of the SHAMROCK TEXAN)

## Mary Martha Class Elects Officers

The Mary Martha Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met for their monthly social and meeting in the church fellowship hall on Saturday Sept. 15, at 2:30 p.m.

Gladys Smith was hostess and Essie Howard co-hostess for the occasion.

The serving table was covered in a white cloth and centered with a pretty flower arrangement and the birthday cakes.

Clara Maude Hupp offered the opening prayer. Loree Barker, president, presided over the meeting.

Bonnie Bidwell brought the devotional. Her topic was "The Beauty Box," from Psalms 19, and Proverbs 15.

Mary Lou Throckmorton was in charge of the Bible and fun games. Prizes were won by Loree Barker and Mildred Mantooth.

The birthday girls were Levie Smith and Lucille Cullison. Cakes from their secret pals were presented to them and the

class sang happy birthday to them.

The secret pals were revealed and new name pals were drawn for the coming year.

Clara Maude Hupp was in charge of the election of new officers for the coming year. They were Lilly Mae Williams, class teacher; Clara Maude Hupp, assistant teacher; Loree Barker, president; Bea Lester, secretary; Gladys Smith, assistant secretary; Dude Turner, treasurer; Bonnie Bidwell, social chairman; Lucille Cullison, reporter; and Levie Smith, Jesse Watson and Mildred Mantooth as group captains.

Refreshments of the birthday cakes, mints, nuts, punch and coffee were served to Loree Barker, Bonnie Bidwell, Lucille Cullison, Levie Smith, Bea Lester, Dude Turner, Mildred Mantooth, Lilly Mae Williams, Clara Maude Hupp, Mary Lou Throckmorton, Velma Willis, and the hostesses, Gladys Smith and Essie Howard.

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**NEWS OF BOOKS**

**SEVENTH GRADE NEWS**

By Robert McDonald

The seventh grade officers for the year are president, Candi Carpenter; vice president, Von Holwick; secretary, Patricia Rodgers; treasurer, John Glass; and reporter, Robert McDonald.

In scholastic work, the seventh graders are learning division in math, reading about exploration in history, studying subjects and verbs in English, and reading about Sir Gallahad in reading.

"Mimicry is a prerequisite for developing creativity," says Lee Ames in his newest instructional book, *Draw 50 Famous Cartoons*.

Ames, a well-known illustrator, says that once you've mastered the art of mimicry, you can go on to create a cartoon style of your own. Easy-to-follow directions in the book help readers draw 50 of America's best-known cartoon characters, from Little Orphan Annie to Dick Tracy, along with more contemporary "personages" like Lyle the Lion and Dino, the daffy dinosaur.

The home of John Tyler, America's tenth president is still occupied by his descendants.

## Alanreed Community Profile

by Jeanette Fish

W.O. (Ollie) Hommel moved to Alanreed in 1908 when he was a small boy. During World War I, along with other Gray County boys he served with the Expeditionary Forces in France. After his discharge from the Army in 1919 he entered into business in Alan-

In 1939 they bought a portion of the RO Ranch. They planned to build a house on the ranch when they retired. World War II caused new automobiles to become non-existent so they decided to go ahead and build a house on their ranch and move there.



reed with a garage and a service car. Beaulah Wood moved to McLean from Wheeler county with her family, the Andy Woods. She and a niece rode a train to Alanreed to visit Beaulah's married sister, Mrs. Andy Word. The girls hired the service car to take them to the country home of Mrs. Word.

Mr. Hommel delivered the young ladies to their destination and charged them two dollars. Mrs. Word said, "One of you must have made a hit—usually charges more!" Two days later Ollie invited Beaulah to a party at the L.L. Palmers. After that she says "I didn't have to pay to ride in the car anymore."

Beaulah and Ollie were married in the Methodist Parsonage in McLean on December 13, 1920 with Reverend B.J. Osborn officiating. For a while they lived in Alanreed, then operated a grocery store in Henrietta for a short period before moving to Clarendon where they had a Fashion Shop and Mr. Hommel opened a service station and automobile dealership.

Their home is located at the side of White Fish Creek and the ranch is on the boundary line of Gray and Donley Counties. With over 1000 trees, Ollie still spends most of each day in the orchard and Beaulah waits on the many customers who come from far and near to buy fruit.

In 1932 after 12 years of marriage the Hommels had a baby daughter Von Dell and in 1934 Patsy was born. Von Dell is married to a Methodist minister, Norman Grigsby of Odessa. They have two sons, Wesley and Mark. Patsy married Ray Howard Miller of Alanreed. They live in Amarillo and operate Camp Kiwana for the Girl Scout Council. They have two sons Michael and David. Ollie and Beaulah also have one great-granddaughter.

Several years ago Ollie fell off a ladder in the orchard, broke his back and was hospitalized for three months. As soon as he recovered he was back at work in the orchard and also enjoying his hobby of growing dahlias. They will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary next year.

## Gone Fishin

by Jeanette Fish

FATHER'S NIGHT  
By Jeanette Fish

When I came home from work tonight,  
I'll tell you, I was weary.  
It was raining hard outside,  
So dark and cold and dreary.

I fell down in my easy chair,  
But just as I had feared,  
Suddenly upon the scene,  
My angel wife appeared.

My feet both started aching,  
Just as I heard her say,  
"Go get your suit and tie on,  
Tonight is P.T.A."

I coughed and coughed like crazy,  
I had an awful pain,  
"I'll probably get pneumonia,  
If I get out in this rain."

"Now Jack, you ought to be ashamed,  
Our Janie's in the show.  
She sings a song with Billy Smith,  
From down the street, you know."

"That kid who chopped my tree down!"  
You mean he really sings?  
Well if he does, then I can fly  
And I sure don't have wings."

"O.K., O.K. I'm gettin' dressed!"  
Women, anyhow!  
Might as well get ready,  
No way to get out now!

This suit and shirt are wrinkled,  
Can't get this darn tie, tied.  
Don't guess I've even had it on,  
Since Uncle Harry died.

Kinda chuckled to myself,  
As I said his name.  
Funerals and P.T.A.,  
Guess they're 'bout the same.

Once there we had some cookies,  
The kind they always serve,  
I could eat ten dozen,  
If I just had the nerve.

"These sure won't fill a fella up,  
They're just like eating wool  
Or cotton candy at the fair,  
You don't know when you're full."

"We didn't come to eat, you goose!"  
We came to see the play,  
Now hurry up and let's sit down!"  
O.K. I.O.K. O.K!

Our Janie sang a solo part,  
A lump was in my throat,  
My wife looked sort of misty eyed  
As she sang her last note.

It sort of made me stop and think,  
How thankful I should be,  
My children have a school like this,  
In a country strong and free.

Then the band began to play,  
The lonely cymbals cried—  
For every freedom just like this  
A brave young soldier died.

"How'd you like it, dear?" she asked  
When we got home that night.  
"Oh! I muttered, sitting down,  
"Guess it was all right."  
"YOU KNOW YOU LIKED IT, JACK!"  
But just the same, I know,  
You'll fuss and stew and grumble,  
Next time we have to go."



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## ALANREED BRIEFS

Visiting with Lena Carter Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Carter of Pampa.

The Alanreed Homemakers Club met Sept. 12 in the home of Anita Bruce. Elaine Houston County Agent, brought a program on weight control. Lovely refreshments were served to several members and guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crisp, Virginia Dalton and Lena Carter were in Amarillo Monday, where they visited the Jim Bruces', and attended the fair and the "Charley Pride" show.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Montgomery of Lefors were here this week and report her mother home from the hospital.

Polly Harrison is visiting in El Paso with daughter Faye and family.

Denva Tidwell and baby and Nora Drago were in Groom on Monday.

## FOOD PSYCHOLOGY

Even little children often have big worries in their relations with their parents. A child may get extremely upset about breaking the news of a "bad" report card, or arriving home with friends at a time when mother wants only "peace and quiet."

To help children with their problems, the Children's Protection Society of West Germany suggests an intriguing resource: a "worry telephone." Children can call without telling their names. A supportive adult is there to listen, make suggestions, offer comfort, or even approach parents if the child asks her to.

## A LOOK AT THE PAST

By Jeanette Fish  
Nola Crisp was enjoying a sunny summer day with her two small children on June 27, 1927. They lived on the Hamilton farm south of Alanreed. She and a neighbor, Vinnie Weatherly were planning a quiet afternoon of visiting with Mrs. Hugg and her new baby.

Vinnie called Nola at 10 to say she was going to the doctor as she was expecting a baby herself and had not been feeling well. She said, "If I feel like it, we will go see the new baby this afternoon at 2. She called again at noon to say "Get ready because I do feel like going and I'll call you about a half hour before I'm ready to go."

She called once more to let Nola know that she was getting ready. Nola had her children dressed and was waiting. Enloe Crisp got the car out of the garage. She set out on the four mile drive to the Weatherly farm opening four gates and arrived in about 30 minutes. The couple who worked for the Weatherlys were at the barn unsaddling horses as Nola drove by and on down to the house which was on a creek bank by a road leading only to a pasture. She honked and stayed in the car as their were three large dogs in the yard. Her honking brought the couple from the barn in a hurry.

They said "Missus took sick and Mr. Frank rushed her to the doctor in a hurry." It sounded reasonable but Nola was tense. The lady began to talk. "Are these your sweet little children?" Nola relaxed. The couple promised to have Mr. Frank call her when he got home. She backed the car around, a difficult task in the curved road and drove away up the steep hill to the barn.

A few feet past the barn a tire went flat. She stopped, got out and started to the barn to get the man to fix the flat. She was almost there when "Something told me to get back in that car and get away from there!" "I got back in the car, started it and never looked back. The tire was almost chewed off after I drove a mile to Gordon Thomas house."

She spent the rest of the afternoon visiting Ruth Thomas. Gordon put the spare tire on and Nola went home and told Enloe "Vinnie Weatherly had to go to the hospital. I suppose, for a miscarriage, to Memphis." She thought no more

# AREA HIGHLIGHTS

## Lefors Art And Civic Club Begins New Year

The Lefors Art and Civic Club met for their first meeting on Monday evening in the Civic Center. The theme for the evening was Texican and members came appropriately attired.

The meeting began with a sumptuous salad supper spread on a red bandana-draped table. After supper, president Nora Franks called the meeting to order. A skit about Federated

Women's Clubs written by Opal Hall was presented by Margaret Parsons, Carole Watson, Betty Hannon, Norma Tarbet, and Helen Allison. After the skit, Ms. Parsons led the Club Collect, and Mrs. Hannon led in the singing of the Federation Song. After the reading of the Constitution, Mrs. Tarbet presented the yearbooks and plans and goals for the coming year were set forth.

Other members present were Gloria Kidwell, Mary Ray, Geraldine Boggs, Alma Cumberland, Lena Cain, and Virginia Archer.

The next meeting of the Lefors Art and Civic Club will be Monday, October 1, when the program will be presented by Mr. Jesse Baker, who will discuss the need for parent volunteers in the remedial reading program.

## LEFORS BRIEFS

The family of Bill Lynch wishes to thank their friends in Lefors for their many acts of kindness in the family's loss.

Visiting in the Ben White home this week were his sisters, Pauline from Childress and Lucille from Abilene. Also visiting were Mary White's and Audie Howe's brother, Tom Coker, and his wife, from Anson, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Earl Brown and Beau, of Midland visited over the week-end with his parents, the Edgar Browns.

Lefors is still enjoying McLean watermelons, and we thank you.

Saturday guests of the Harry Youngblood family were Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Henry of Perryton.

Tammy and Darren Moxon spent the weekend with her parents, the Tom Reames family of Allison.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Smith and children of Pampa, and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Smith of Moreland Okla. spent the week-end fishing and camping at Lake Fryer near Perryton.

Ray Gossett is hospitalized in St. Anthony's for possible surgery.

The R.B. Whites have had several guests over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sudbury and family of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Phil White and Jo Ann Ketchel of Liberal, Kan., Ben's sisters Lucille Roberts of Abilene and Pauline Thomas of Childress, and Mary's brother, Tommy Coker of Anson.

Jackie Baker, Stephanie Allison and Shawn Johnson attended a concert in Amarillo Thursday night.

Melissa McDowell attended the Wheeler-Chilliothe homecoming game Friday night to see Wheeler trounce the visitors 23-0.

## Lefors Student Body Elects Officers

The student body of Lefors High School elected their officers for the 1979-1980 school year last Friday. John Teeters, senior, ran unopposed for the office of president. Sandra Stroud, senior, beat out two, Donna Howard and Kevin Boggs, both seniors, for the vice-president's job. The post of secretary went to Lendi

Livingston, who won out over Kas Whittington, both juniors. The new treasurer is sophomore Lisa Moxon who came out ahead of junior, Tonya Mills.

The classes will be meeting soon, according to principal Allen Jenkins, to choose class officers and student council representatives.

## LEFORS COMMUNITY CALENDAR BIRTHDAYS

- Sept. 20 - Eva Maples, Troy Don Stanton, Alba Shores, B.J. Leininger, Shannon Johnson
- Sept. 24 - Ken Prestidge, Tina Callaway
- Sept. 22 - Lee Ann Brown, Donny Alderman, Mrs. Tommy Dorsey, Larry Jackson
- Sept. 23 - Ralph Carruth, Helen Alexander
- Sept. 24 - Pat Steele, Pam Reames
- Sept. 25 - Roy Livingston, Walter Elliott, Tonya Mills, Shawn Johnson

## ANNIVERSARIES

- Sept. 20 - Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stubbs
- Sept. 24 - Mr. and Mrs. Alba Shores

## EVENTS

- Sept. 21 - Home Demonstration Club
- Sept. 24 - Kappa Kappa Iota



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# Homemaker News

by Elaine Houston

## AREA HOMEMAKERS TO MEET:

The District "J" Texas Home Economist meeting will be held from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. Saturday, September 22 at the Texas Agricultural Research and Extension Center, 6500 Amarillo Blvd. West, Amarillo, Texas.

All home economists, whether employed or not are invited to attend. Activities will include lunch, exhibits and a program on interior design.

Registration begins at 11 a.m. with home economists viewing exhibits and a microwave demonstration. A special luncheon will be followed by a

program on interior design. All home economists in the Panhandle area are invited to attend this get-together to get acquainted and exchange ideas. For further information, contact Elaine Houston at the County Extension Office.

## CHRISTMAS IN OCTOBER:

The Gray County Extension Homemakers Council has set Oct. 11 for the Christmas in October program. This year the show, tell and sell of Christmas items will be held in the First Christian Church fellowship hall. Mark your calendar and watch for further details on this special program.

## HOMEMAKERS TO ATTEND STATE CONFERENCE:

Three homemakers from Gray County will attend the 53rd annual Statewide conference of the Texas Extension Homemakers Association, Sept. 25-26 in Fort Worth. Attending will be Marilyn Butler, Janice Carter, Katy McDonald, and Elaine Houston.

"Living, Learning and Sharing in Century III", will be the theme for the conference to be held at the Kahler Green Oaks Inn, at the junction of Highways 1-20 and 183. Ysleta L. Kudlaty, Lamar University director of university

counseling, keynote speaker, will address the association on "Stress Management for the Homemaker." Other conference highlights will be educational committee workshops on health, safety, 4-H and youth, recreation and cultural arts, family life and citizenship.

Additional workshops will concern membership and public information. More than 1000 Texas Extension Homemaker delegates are expected to attend the conference and other interested persons are welcome, according to Mrs. Charles Warminski of White Deer, Texas Extension Homemakers Association president.

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However, if you made the mistake, the creditor must promptly send you a statement for what you owe—and the creditor may include any finance charges that accumulated while you were questioning the bill. A creditor must acknowledge your letter within 30 days unless your bill can be corrected sooner. Within two billing periods—and no longer than 90 days, creditors must correct your account or explain why they think the bill is correct.

THE ARE 365 churches in and around the city of Cholula, in Mexico. Why 365? One for each day of the year, of course.

## BILLING ERRORS—KNOW RIGHTS, STEPS:

Correct billing errors by knowing your rights and what steps to take. If you think your bill is wrong—or if you just want more information about it, follow these steps:

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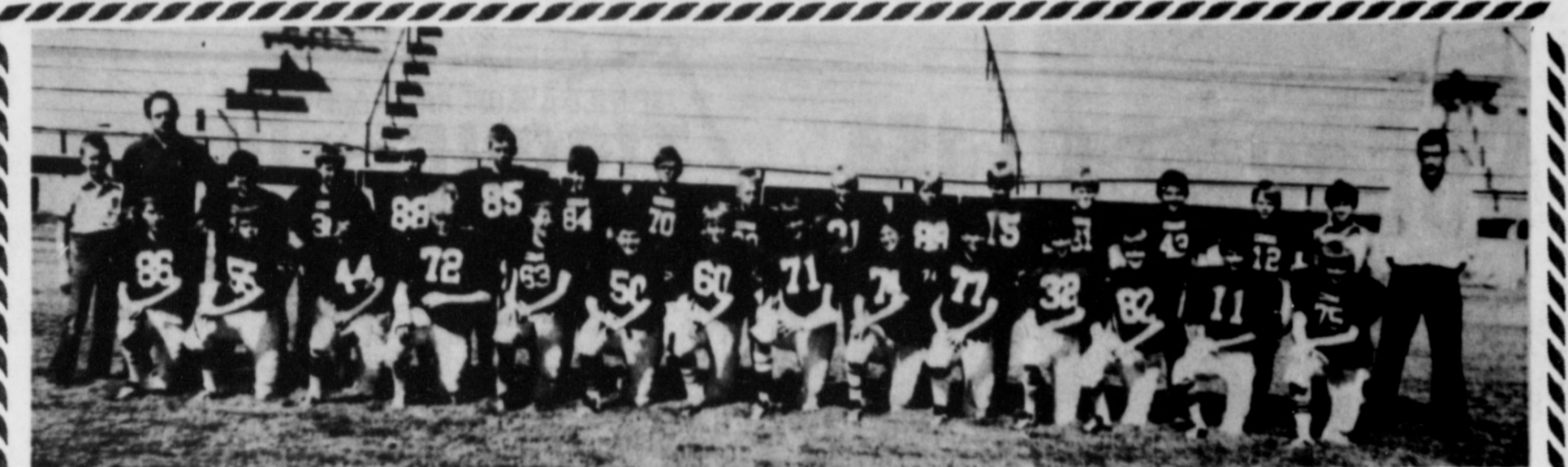
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- Soapstone
- Mirth
- Of an area
- West German state
- River of Asia
- Booths
- Like carrot roots
- Exists
- Swiss river
- Secure
- Bread
- Great multitude
- Parrot (N.Z.)
- Argent (abbr.)
- Dredges, as a harbor
- Snarl up (army slang)
- Negative word
- Eagle's claw
- Dull
- Worship
- Wading bird
- Is obligated
- Play things

DOWN

- Lobster's pincer
- Chief Teutonic gods
- Property (L.)
- Before
- Savory
- Wild buffalo of India
- Thin
- Welsh seaport
- Stylish (colloq.)
- Tenant
- Kubs
- gently
- Floating platform
- Sand hills (naut.)
- Ingress
- Memos
- Let it stand (print.)
- Encountered
- Past
- Simpleton
- Strike
- Sloth
- Kind of daisy
- Whirlwind
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- Lawyer's charge
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# LINES by LEM O'RICKK



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Till he sets on your neck;  
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### Postal Service Moves To Stop Fraud

"Thousands of people, many of them elderly, who were trying to protect themselves from rising medical costs, became the unwitting victims of home-cure schemes last year," postmaster Frank Simpson said today.

He made the statement in announcing the fourth annual Postal Consumer Protection Week which is being held nationwide and in the McLean area, September 24-29, to increase public awareness of fraud and misrepresentation by mail.

The promotional material of most mail-order companies is above board," Simpson said. "But we want to know about those who, intentionally or unintentionally, make less than accurate claims that confuse and falsely raise the hopes of many people."

One of the most vicious home-cure schemes this year involved the Midwest Health Research Clinic at Kansas City, Mo., which peddled by mail all over the nation a "Health Bible Handbook" and "colonic treatment kit."

Postal inspectors found Midwest did not really operate a clinic, nor did it do any health

research. What it did was make some wild claims for its so-called health handbook. "In this book you will find a cure through scientific preventive solutions for the forty diseases and illnesses listed on the next page..." The handbook sold by mail for \$9.95.

The investigation by Postal Inspectors traced Midwest to a rundown one-room office across from a massage parlor where the book—actually a 25-page pamphlet—was readied for mailing. The primary purpose of the pamphlet was to induce the reader to make a second purchase of a "colonic treatment kit" for \$29.95.

Moving swiftly, Postal Inspectors and Postal Service attorneys obtained a Federal Court order under their civil jurisdiction stopping the delivery of mail containing thousands of dollars in orders addressed to Midwest until it could be determined if the products were misrepresented.

At the same time, the results of their investigation were turned over to a U.S. Attorney, who decided that the operator of Midwest had criminal intent in defrauding consumers and business taken in by the scheme.

### In The Kitchen

by Linda Haynes



In case you have been successfully staying on a diet, you will not want to try these recipes. They are great for parties, or just a midnight raid on the refrigerator.

**DRIED BEEF CHEESE BALL**  
By Ida Hess  
1 large (8 oz.) package Phil. Cream Cheese, softened  
1 medium onion, finely diced  
1 tsp. prepared mustard  
1 jar finely chopped dried beef  
1 cup shredded cheddar cheese

Mix thoroughly. Divide into two equal portions. Form into two balls. Roll each ball in finely chopped pecans. Store in refrigerator.

**FESTIVE CHEESE BALL**  
1 cup small-curd cottage cheese  
2 (8 oz.) pkgs. cream cheese, softened  
1/4 cup finely shredded sharp Cheddar cheese  
1 ounce Roquefort cheese, crumbled  
1 medium onion, finely grated  
2 tablespoons Worcestershire sauce

Dash of seasoned salt  
1/2 cup chopped pecans  
1/2 cup chopped parsley

Combine first 7 ingredients; mix well. Shape mixture into 2 balls; roll each ball in pecans, then parsley. Chill thoroughly. Serve with crackers.

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Former resident Charlotte Peden Andrews appeared this week in a scene in John Travolta's new movie "Urban Cowboy." The film is being filmed in Houston, and the scene in which Mrs. Andrews appeared was shot in Gilley's Night Club. The Paramount Production is scheduled for release in June, Mrs. Andrews said. She told

The McLean News that she sent in her photograph as a Dolly Parton look-a-like, and received the call to appear in the production.

Travolta, Mrs. Andrews said, is "just like he is on television...adorable and shy."

Mrs. Andrews is married to Dick Andrews, also a McLean High graduate.

### Understanding your CHILD



Your child may grow, but he won't necessarily mature unless you see that he gains a sense of fulfillment.

Many child psychologists have noted that when a parent is overprotective, the child can't become self-sufficient.

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KEVIN KELLY

### Bicyclist Visits McLean On Cross Country Journey

Riding a bicycle from San Francisco to New York might seem like the adventure of a lifetime, unless you are Kevin Kelly of Westfield, N.J.

Kelly stopped in McLean Thursday night on his 5000 mile trek by bicycle across the country, and because of rain all day Friday, wound up spending two nights in the town and attending the McLean-Shamrock game Friday night.

Although riding a bicycle that far is a unique experience, Kelly has undertaken nothing but unusual experiences for the last several years. By trade a graphic artist and photographer, the 27-year-old man has spent four years traveling in the Himalayas, where he shot over 30,000 slides with the idea of writing a book about the region.

He began travelling after attending a year of college at the University of Rhode Island, following his 1970 graduation from high school.

His travels have taken him to England, where he took a month-long walking tour, to Japan, Korea, Afghanistan, India, and Iran in addition to his stay in the Himalayas.

While in Iran, he worked as a graphic artist for Bell-Helicor, helping with the company's newspaper which was published for the Americans in Iran.

He said that he originally worked strictly as an artist, but as the war in Iran progressed, the company began sending people back to the United States and for the last few weeks in Iran, he practically published the newspaper single handedly.

He was among the group of Americans who were taken to the Tehran Hilton for their final night in Iran, and he was on the last plane out of the country.

Kelly said he never actually feared for his life until the last night in Iran, when the American Embassy had fallen and the large group of Americans were gathered in the hotel.

"We slept on the floor away from the windows, because someone kept shooting through the windows all night," he said.

During his travels in foreign countries, he has witnessed many unusual events, including a Tibetan funeral. He was also one of the few foreigners who witnessed the gathering of 13 million Indians for a high holy day in India. According to Kelly, it was the largest crowd ever gathered in one spot in the history of civilization.

He also watched a game of "goat ball" in Afghanistan. The players, mounted on thick-necked horses, try to carry a goat carcass stuffed with sand around a pole and drop it into a circle. The game is played with as many as 250 horsemen, all riding full speed. The winner of the game is usually rewarded with money by a rich sponsor.

Kelly said that men have been killed playing the game, although there were no serious injuries during the game he watched.

While riding his bicycle across the United States, he has made pen and ink sketches and written haiku poetry about most of the places that he has stopped.

He said that he has had no

difficulty in his travels, with the exception of three flat tires. He normally sleeps in a small tent in the yard of a church in every town where he stops.

He rode to McLean from Borger, and had planned to ride to Shamrock for the night, but he had two flat tires on the way from Borger.

Kelly said that he decided on the trip because when he returned from Iran he felt alienated from his native land.

"When I left, the country was in a political turmoil, but it was mostly the younger kids who were protesting. When I returned last spring, I sensed a deep discontent here and I wanted to find out why," he said.

He said that he felt that the anti-government feeling had spread from the college campuses to the working class in the U.S. now.

After travelling from San Francisco up to Oregon and through Utah, Colorado, and New Mexico, he said that he felt it was probably better to live in a small town or a rural area now. "With television and the changes in the culture, there doesn't seem to be any cultural advantage to living in a big city any more," he said.

Kelly was reared in Westfield, N.J., a suburban community outside of New York City. His father is a vice-president for the Time-Life Corporation, working with the Home Box Office Corporation.

Kelly is the oldest of five children. One of his brothers accompanied him on several of his tours in other countries.

He purchased a bicycle in New Jersey, and had it flown to San Francisco where he began his journey Aug. 1. He plans to reach New York City about Nov. 1. He said that he had averaged about 70 miles per day on his trip. Although he had done some hiking before beginning this journey, he had never ridden a bicycle for any distance.

He questioned some local residents about a strange ritual he had observed when he spent Thursday night sleeping near the city park. Kelly said that he watched as teenagers driving cars approached each other, stopped, honked and then drove on. He was familiar with the custom of "drugging Main", but said he had never observed this particular ritual of stopping and honking.

He also wondered if there was some special event Thursday night. "Where I went to school, school nights were devoted entirely to studying," he said. Weekends were the only times that youngsters had time to drive around, or participate in athletic events.

Kelly said he had no definite plans for when he finished his bicycle journey. The editing of the 30,000 slides will take some time, and writing the book on the Himalayas will take several months, he said. He did not say whether he planned to publish the sketches and poetry he is writing during his trip through the United States.

He spent Friday night as a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Haynes, and left McLean early Saturday morning.

At the Amarillo sale, the cattle had an average pay weight of 591 pounds or 30 pounds more than the ranch pay weight would have been, or an increase of 5.35 percent.

The added cost of hauling about 90 miles to the sale and the sale expense averaged \$8.53 per head.

The extra sale weight per steer was estimated to be 31 pounds which cut the sale price of \$81.75, amounted to \$25.34, extra gross per steer or an increased net profit of \$16.81 per head. For the heifers an extra 30 pounds was estimated to be realized at a sale price of \$76.80 or an extra gross of \$23.04 or an increased net profit of \$14.51 per head.

We realize that this same picture will certainly not hold true for other sets of cattle shipped to an auction sale. However, this does illustrate that sometimes an increase in sale weight more than off-sets the extra costs involved in shipping to an auction.

### Notes From Your County Agricultural Agent

by Joe Van Zandt

#### WINDBREAK SEEDLINGS:

The Texas Forest Service has announced that they are accepting applications for windbreak seedlings. Interested applicants should send orders in early because the tree species are limited and are sold on first come, first served basis.

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#### TEXAS FRUIT GROWER'S CONFERENCE:

The Texas Peach and Plum Growers Association, in cooperation with the Texas Agricul-

tural Extension Service, will conduct their annual short-course on October 2-3, 1979, at Texas A&M University, College Station. The 1979 Texas fruit crop was unusually good and outstanding results of Research and Extension programs will be reported. The program participants are commercial fruit growers, research workers, Extension fruit specialists, and County Extension agents.

Topics will deal specifically with Texas fruit growing problems and techniques. Information of fruit varieties, disease and weed control, mechanical pruning, growth regulators, trickle irrigation, U-Pick orchards and direct to consumer sales will be part of the educational program. Guest speakers will discuss production techniques in Missouri and Louisi-

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by Sam Haynes

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Tammy Bailey  
Stewart Ryan  
Mrs. Lila Hibler  
Sharon Haynes

Sept. 24  
Mrs. Chalmus Moore  
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Sept. 25  
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Sept. 26  
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Sept. 27  
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Mrs. L.E. Glass  
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**FOR SALE: SEED WHEAT**  
ASCS Test Weight 61 pounds.  
Variety Tascosa. Call Don Crockett 779-2998 36-2p

**FOR SALE: 1974 Honda 554**  
with windjammer and saddle bags on back. Call 779-2568 after five. 37-3c

**FOR SALE: NICE large 3**  
bedroom home with rugs on 4 lots, large separate garage, 2 store rooms, cement storm cellar and fruit trees. Call 779-2196. 34-4c

### FOR RENT

**HOUSE FOR RENT-10 rooms,**  
unfurnished, 3 greenhouses  
2 1/2 Acres of land. Well Water.  
North of City. \$150 a month.  
Call 779-2678 37-4c

**FOR RENT-2 bedroom house in**  
Alanreed for elderly couple or  
couple with one child. Call after  
5:30 779-2902. \$150 per month. 38-1c

**ENJOY A QUIET colorful vaca-**  
tion in Red River, N.M. 2 1/2  
miles outside of Red River,  
cabin completely furnished Call  
779-2998 38-2c

### HELP WANTED

**HELP WANTED. Check at**  
Windi Inn Restaurant, Alanreed.  
Call 779-8884. 26-1c

**HELP WANTED: THOMAS**  
NURSING CENTER has openings  
for L.V.N.'s, Nurse's Aide,  
and Housekeeping. To apply  
come by 700 Cedar. 32-1c

### WANTED

**NEED LIVE JACKRABBITS.**  
Must be able to run. Contact  
Van Horn at 779-2972 or Shirley  
Todd Smith at 779-2515. 33-1c

**CUSTOM HAY CUTTING and**  
baling. 779-2930 36-1c

**WANT TO BUY scrap metal,**  
aluminum, stainless steel,  
copper, brass, automobile  
engines, parts, batteries, and  
radiators. Call 779-2601 71 1c

**TO ALL PEOPLE**  
interested in forming  
a weight reduction program in  
McLean. A meeting will be held  
at 6:30 Monday night at 717 N.  
Grove. For more information  
call 779-2217 or 779-2251. 34-1c

### FOR SALE

**YARD SALE: Friday and Sat-**  
urday Sept. 21, 22. Paperback  
books, clothes, TV, micrometer  
tool set, tool and dye set,  
miscellaneous. North Kingsley  
St., between 6th and 7th Sts. 9  
a.m. to 5 p.m. 38-1p

**PING PONG TABLE-Fold up**  
and rollaway type. Call  
779-2723 after five. 38-3p

**FOR SALE: Slide Trombone and**  
case. Call 779-3136. 38-1c

**THREE BEDROOM TWO bath**  
house for sale. Excellent loca-  
tion. 801 N. Main. Make an  
appointment to see. Call 779-  
2335. 38-1c

**FOR SALE NICE three bed-**  
room house, concrete block  
garage, 2 cellars, 2 orchards,  
lots of evergreens and shrubs.  
On 3 acres of land. Phone  
534-2261. 38-2c

**LARGE FOUR bedroom house**  
close in. Also some good 2 and  
3 bedroom houses, all in good  
location and priced to sell.  
Boyd Meador  
Real Estate Broker  
BOYD MEADOR  
REAL ESTATE BROKER 38-2c

**COMBINE RUN wheat seed.**  
Call 779-2751 38-2c

**GOOD PRAIRIE HAY For Sale**  
\$1.50. Call Thacker Haynes at  
779-2049 or 779-2447. 33-1c

**FIREWOOD FOR SALE: Contact**  
Bryan Smitherman at 779-  
2595. 35-5p

**FOR SALE: APPLES - several**  
popular varieties. 3 miles south  
of Alanreed. Farm-Market road  
291. Hommel's Orchard 779-  
3139. 34-1c

**FOR SALE: 1976 Ford Explorer.**  
Short-wide, power and air.  
\$2500. Call Van Horn 779-2972.  
37-1c

### LOST AND FOUND

**LOST: 9 HEAD of mixed steers**  
and heifer yearlings carrying a ♀  
on left rib. Clay Gabel -  
779-2027. 32-1c

**FOUND: MALE DACHSUND**  
WEEK OF Sept. 3. Call  
779-2834 37-2p

### BUSINESS

**FREE TERMITE INSPECTION**  
Call collect 669-2012. Guarantees  
Builders. 28-1c

**HAVE BUYERS FOR ACRE-**  
AGES: farm, ranches or grass-  
land, w/wo minerals, w/wo  
improvements.  
**GOLDEN SPREAD**  
**REAL ESTATE**  
Call 806-935-3300 (office); 935-  
4736; or 935-4498. 37-4c

### CARDS OF THANKS

We would like to thank all  
the people who gave pledges to  
the West Texas State University  
band March-A-Thon. We think  
you McLean people are great.  
We appreciate your help.  
Sherry and Maridale Glass

Our deepest appreciation to  
each of you for your prayers,  
your thoughtfulness, the food,  
and your many acts of kindness  
shown to us during the illness  
and loss of our loved one. May  
the Lord continue His many  
blessings for you.  
Burette Kinard  
LaJune and Raymond  
McReynolds

### NOTICES

**THE McLEAN MASONIC**  
LODGE regular meeting is the  
second Thursday at 7:30 p.m.  
Practice nights are first and  
third Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. 42-1c

### LEGAL NOTICE

City of McLean  
Box 9  
McLean, Tex. 79057  
Separate sealed BIDS for the  
construction of Gas System  
Reconstruction and Improvements  
will be received by the City of  
McLean at the office of City Hall  
until 7:00 P.M., (Daylight Savings  
Time) Oct. 9, 1979, and then at  
said office publicly opened and read  
aloud.  
THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may  
be examined at the following  
locations: Office of City Secretary -  
City of McLean, McMorries and  
Burns, Inc., Consulting Engineers -  
303 N. Dumas Ave., Dumas, Texas -  
Dodge Reports Office - Amarillo.  
Copies of the CONTRACT

DOCUMENTS may be obtained  
at the office of McMorries &  
Burns, Inc. located at 303 N.  
Dumas Ave., Dumas, Texas  
upon payment of \$50.00 for  
each set.  
Any BIDDER, upon return of  
the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS  
promptly and in good condition,  
will be refunded his payment,  
and any non-bidder upon so  
returning the CONTRACT  
DOCUMENTS will be refunded  
125.00.  
September 13, 1979  
City of McLean - Sam Haynes,  
Mayor

Ordinance # 194  
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING  
ORDINANCE NO. 136 AND  
AMENDING ORDINANCE  
NO. 153 AND ORDINANCE  
NO. 164 SETTING MONTHLY  
RATES TO BE CHARGED  
AND COLLECTED FOR A  
TAX: PROVIDING FOR AN  
EFFECTIVE DATE: PROVIDING  
FOR A SAVINGS CLAUSE:  
REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES  
AND PARTS THEREOF IN  
CONFLICT HERewith: AND  
PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION.

PASSED AND APPROVED on  
its first reading, this 14 day  
of August, 1979.  
PASSED AND APPROVED on  
its second reading, this 11  
day of September, 1979  
Sam A. Haynes, mayor

ORDINANCE # 195  
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING  
SECTION 1.2, 3, AND 4 OF  
ORDINANCE NO. 174 SETTING  
RATES TO BE CHARGED  
FOR SEWER, TRASH AND  
GARBAGE SERVICE WITHIN  
THE CITY LIMITS OF THE  
CITY OF McLEAN, TEXAS,  
AND FOR SERVICE OUTSIDE  
THE CITY LIMITS OF THE  
CITY OF McLEAN, TEXAS:  
PROVIDING FOR A SAVINGS  
CLAUSE: REPEALING ALL  
ORDINANCES AND RESOLU-  
TIONS IN CONFLICT HERE-  
WITH: AND PROVIDING FOR  
PUBLICATION.  
PASSED AND APPROVED ON  
its first reading August 14,  
1979.  
Sam A. Haynes, Mayor

ORDINANCE NO. 196  
AN ORDINANCE FIXING THE  
TAX RATE AND LEVY IN AND  
FOR THE CITY OF McLEAN,  
TEXAS, FOR THE YEAR 1979,  
UPON ALL TAXABLE PROP-  
ERTY IN SAID CITY OF Mc-  
LEAN, TEXAS, FOR THE  
PURPOSE OF PROVIDING  
FOR THE GENERAL FUND  
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR END-  
ING SEPTEMBER 30, 1980:  
AND FOR THE FURTHER  
PURPOSE OF CREATING A  
BAND FUND FOR THE Mc-  
LEAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL  
DISTRICT: PROVIDING  
FOR A PENALTY: PROVIDING  
THAT IN THE EVENT ANY  
PROVISION OF THIS ORDIN-  
ANCE BE HELD UNCONSTITU-  
TIONAL AND INVALID  
THAT SUCH HOLDING  
SHALL NOT AFFECT THE  
REMAINING PROVISIONS  
HEREOF: AND REPEALING  
ALL ORDINANCES AND  
PARTS THEREOF IN CON-  
FLICT HERewith.

**PASSED ON FIRST READING**  
August 14, 1979.  
**PASSED ON ITS SECOND**  
**READING September 11, 1979.**  
Sam A. Haynes, Mayor

**NOTICE OF BOARD OF E-**  
**QUALIZATION MEETING**  
In obedience to an order of  
the Board of Equalization of the  
McLean Independent School  
District, regularly convened  
and sitting, notice is hereby  
given that said McLean Inde-  
pendent School District Board

### PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS  
OF PROPOSED  
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS  
SPECIAL ELECTION  
NOVEMBER 6, 1979

#### PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT (H.J.R. 108)

House Joint Resolution  
108 proposes an amend-  
ment to the Texas Consti-  
tution relating to the ap-  
pointment and terms of  
notaries public. The pro-  
posed amendment would:  
-Require the Secretary  
of State to appoint a con-  
venient number of Notaries  
Public for the state; and  
-Authorize terms of of-  
fice of Notaries Public  
of not less than two  
years nor more than  
four years.  
A temporary provision  
of the proposed constitu-  
tional amendment provides  
that the amendment would  
take effect January 1,  
1980; that each person  
who was appointed a  
notary public before Janu-  
ary 1, 1980, would con-  
tinue to serve as a notary  
public for the term for  
which the person was ap-  
pointed; and that this tem-  
porary provision would ex-  
pire January 1, 1982.  
The proposed amend-  
ment will appear on the  
ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional  
amendment to provide  
for the appointment of  
notaries public for the  
state and for a term of  
not less than two years  
nor more than four  
years as provided by  
law."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT (H.J.R. 133)

House Joint Resolution  
133 proposes an amend-  
ment to the Texas Consti-  
tution to provide for legis-  
lative review of the pro-  
cess of rulemaking by  
agencies in the executive  
department. The proposed  
amendment would allow  
the Legislature to enact  
laws:  
-To provide for legis-  
lative review of the pro-  
cess of rulemaking by  
agencies in the execu-  
tive department;  
-To prescribe condi-  
tions for rules to take  
effect;  
-To provide for suspen-  
sion, repeal, or expira-  
tion of rules;  
-To prescribe proce-  
dures; and  
-To delegate powers to  
either or both houses  
or to committees of  
either or both houses.  
The proposed amend-  
ment will appear on the  
ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional  
amendment to provide  
for legislative review of

of Equalization will be in  
session at its meeting place in  
the McLean School Business  
and Tax Office in the City  
of McLean, Gray County, Texas,  
at 7:00 o'clock p.m. on Thurs-  
day, October 4, 1979, for the  
purpose of determining, fixing,  
and equalizing the value of any  
and all real estate and personal  
taxable property situated in the  
McLean Independent School  
District, for taxable purposes for  
the year 1979, and any and all  
persons interested or having  
business with said Board are  
hereby notified to be present.  
Shirley Johnson,  
Tax Assessor-Collector  
McLean Independent School  
District  
38-2c

#### PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 13)

Senate Joint Resolution  
13 proposes an amendment  
to the Texas Constitution  
authorizing the Legisla-  
ture to provide for the  
guarantee of loans used to  
purchase farm and ranch  
real estate for qualified  
borrowers. The proposed  
amendment would allow  
the Legislature to provide  
for, issue, and sell general  
obligation bonds called  
"Farm and Ranch Loan  
Security Bonds" of the  
State of Texas not to ex-  
ceed 10 million dollars. All  
money received from the  
sale of such bonds would  
be deposited in a separate  
fund with the State Treas-  
urer and administered by  
the commissioner of agricul-  
ture without further  
appropriations. These  
funds would be used to  
guarantee loans for the  
purchase of farm and  
ranch real estate. The com-  
missioner of agriculture  
would use these funds, un-  
der provisions to be pre-  
scribed by the Legislature  
for the purpose of guaran-  
teeing loans used for the  
purchase of farm and  
ranch real estate, to ac-  
quire real estate mort-  
gages or deeds of trust on  
lands purchased with  
guaranteed loans. These  
funds would also be used  
to advance to the borrower  
a percentage of the principal  
and interest due. The  
Legislature may also au-  
thorize the commissioner  
of agriculture to sell at  
foreclosure any land ac-  
quired in the manner au-  
thorized by this amend-  
ment. The commissioner of  
agriculture would be re-  
quired to charge at least 6  
percent interest on such  
loans. The proposed  
amendment appropriates  
an amount that is suffi-  
cient to pay the principal  
and interest on the bonds  
that mature or become due  
during the fiscal year less  
the amount in the interest  
and sinking fund at the  
close of the prior fiscal  
year.  
The proposed amend-  
ment will appear on the  
ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional  
amendment authorizing  
the legislature to provide  
for the guarantee  
of loans for purchase of  
farm and ranch real es-  
tate for qualified bor-  
rowers by the sale of  
general obligation bonds  
of the State of Texas."



**10 YEARS AGO**  
**E.M. BAILEY, EDITOR**  
The McLean Leo Club was  
officially organized Sept. 15,  
1969, at a meeting held at  
McLean High School. The Leo  
Club is a new young men's  
community service organization  
being sponsored by the McLean  
Lions Club.

ett's Sunday school class en-  
joyed a picnic at the McClellan  
Bridge Tuesday evening. Supper  
was served, and a good  
time was reported by the fol-  
lowing: Mrs. Boyett, Missie  
Frances Noel, Sinclair and Lu-  
cille Rice, Jewel Shaw, Clara  
Anderson and Lucile Stratton;  
Messrs. Cecil Moore, Bryan  
Roby and Ward Ault.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Reeves  
sons, Joe Reeves of Abernathy  
and Edd Reeves and family of  
Clarendon, visited them over  
the Homecoming weekend.

Dwight Upham was driving  
from a rain cloud Sunday night  
at a good rate of speed when  
topping a hill in the road seven  
miles west of Clarendon, a  
wagon was on one side of the  
road and a Ford standing cross-  
wise, blocking the passage. Mr.  
Upham locked his wheels with  
the brakes but was too close to  
stop before hitting the Ford,  
practically demolishing it,  
blowing out a casing on a front  
wheel of his car, smashing the  
headlights and damaging a  
fender.

The 1911-15 classes held a  
reunion in the home of Miss  
Ruby Cook over the weekend.  
There were 18 present with two  
coming a great distance. They  
were Joellene Vannoy of New  
York City and Vida Lonsdale of  
Santa Monica, Calif. The presi-  
dent of these groups is Ray-  
mond Glass and Beatrice Fos-  
ter is secretary-treasurer.

None of the occupants of the  
Upham car were hurt, and the  
occupants of the Ford abandon-  
ed it when they heard the other  
car coming over the hill.  
Mr. Upham spotted a tire, and  
another car changed lights for  
him until they arrived at  
Clarendon, where they had one  
light fixed, and started home,  
but while attempting to pass a  
car on the muddy road near  
Rockledge, they slid into the  
ditch and had to leave the car  
until Monday morning.

**20 YEARS AGO**  
**CHARLES CULLIN, EDITOR**  
McLean's Tigers now stand  
as one of the only District 2-A  
teams undefeated after two  
weeks of action. The Tigers  
chalked their second victory of  
the season Friday night by  
swamping the Wheeler Mus-  
tangs, 36-14.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Phillips  
of White Deer visited relatives  
here Sunday.

Sunday guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. Wilson Boyd and Mrs.  
J.V. Boyd were Mr. and Mrs.  
Howard Boyd, Mr. and Mrs.  
Burton Boyd and children,  
Anne and Lane, and Miss Jane  
Boyd of Dumas.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Glass and  
little son Eldridge came in  
Sunday for a visit with home-  
folks.

**60 YEARS AGO**  
**M.L. MOODY, EDITOR**  
Mr. and Mrs. Burt Glass and  
little son Eldridge came in  
Sunday for a visit with home-  
folks.

Carl Overton sold his con-  
fectionery to Homer West.

**30 YEARS AGO**  
**LESTER CAMPBELL, EDITOR**  
Miss Betty Wood entertained  
last Wednesday afternoon with  
a party in honor of her daugh-  
ter, Alice Ruth's third birthday.  
The party was given in the  
home of Mrs. Troy Corbin.  
Ice cream and cake were  
served to the following children  
and grown-ups: Donna Fay  
Wiginton, Lynda Tindall, Fred-  
dy Patterson, Jim Guy Hall,  
Sharon and Lance McClellan,  
Donna Joyce Boyd, Joe Don  
Evans, Troy Don Corbin, Shir-  
ley Ann and Alice Ruth Wood,  
Mesdames Jiggs Hinton, Fred  
Patterson, H.C. Hill, Granville  
Boyd, Elton Johnston, J.P.  
Alexander, James McClellan,  
Ollie Tindall, and Troy Corbin.

E.W. Herd is hauling his  
winter coal from Mobeetie this  
week.

W.W. Shadid accompanied  
his daughter LaWanda to Den-  
ton Sunday. LaWanda will be a  
student in N.T.S.C. this year.

Bill Harlan and wife came in  
from the ranch Saturday.

Chester Golightly left  
Wednesday for Lubbock, where  
he will be a junior student in  
Texas Tech.

Daddy Noel of Memphis  
came Friday to visit J.M. Noel  
and family.

Frank P. Wilson, who is a  
patient at the Northwest Texas  
Hospital in Amarillo, is im-  
proving.

H.H. Frazier, who has been  
here for several days the guest  
of his niece, Mrs. A.W.  
Haynes, left Tuesday for a visit  
with relatives in St. Louis.

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his daughter LaWanda to Den-  
ton Sunday. LaWanda will be a  
student in N.T.S.C. this year.

The death of Perry Lefors,  
which occurred at his home  
about six miles from the county  
seat Monday morning, was a  
sad shock to the entire county,  
as the gentleman was one of  
the most prominent citizens in  
this section. He had been suffer-  
ing from a complication of diseases  
for weeks, and while his condi-  
tion was critical, considerable  
hope had been entertained for  
his recovery. The funeral took  
place Thursday evening at  
Pampa.

**40 YEARS AGO**  
**T.A. LANDERS, EDITOR**  
Mrs. Roger Powers and Mrs.  
W.W. Boyd were hostesses at a  
breakfast and kitchen shower  
Saturday morning at the Pow-  
ers home, honoring Mrs. Her-  
shel McCarty, a recent bride.  
Guests were: Misses Opal  
Thacker, Margaret Kramer,  
Leta Mae Phillips, Bonnie Mae  
Wade, Mabel Back, Julia Mc-  
Carty, Shirley Johnston, Ruth  
Thacker and Willie Louella  
Cobb.

Mr. and Mrs. S.A. Cousins  
are the happy parents of a fine  
baby boy, born Monday night.

J.B. Waldrop won 1st, 2nd,  
and grand championship in the  
calf division at the Samnorwood  
fair last week.

J.W. Steffey of the Northfork  
neighborhood was a business  
caller in town Wednesday.

Miss Orlieu Marrs, owner of  
the Elite Beauty Salon, an-  
nounces the addition of a new  
permanent wave machine this  
week.

Saturday of this week will  
occur the election for the selec-  
tion of officers to govern the  
affairs of the city of McLean.  
There have been quite a few of  
our most prominent citizens  
mentioned for the different  
places on the ticket and we will  
give them here. It is hoped that  
every citizen will come out to  
the polls and give some good  
man the benefit of his suffrage.  
Following is a list of nomina-  
tions: For Mayor: C.S. Eico,  
For City Marshall: J.B. Pas-  
chal, For Aldermen: Wm. A-  
bernathy, Geo. Woodward,  
J.R. Hindman, W.B. Upham,  
A.A. Callahan, W.B. Patterson,  
C.L. Upham, J.N. Phillips, J.L.  
Crabtree. (There are only five  
aldermen to be elected.)

Rev. and Mrs. W.A. Erwin,  
E.L. Sitter and Miss Myrtle  
Marion Shaw are attending a  
meeting of the Amarillo Pres-  
bytery at Littlefield.

Members of Mrs. Willie Boy-

**50 YEARS AGO**  
**T.A. LANDERS, EDITOR**  
The McLean Mattress Fac-  
tory is now open for business at  
the Street Garage, at the north-  
west corner of town, according  
to H. Bernard, proprietor.

## The McLean News BUSINESS DIRECTORY

**THE CATTLEMAN'S**  
**FEED SERVICE**  
**LOOMIX**  
Since 1905  
Liquid Feed Supplement  
• Natural Protein  
• Highest Energy  
• Consumption Control  
• Fully Patented  
J. Boyd Smith  
779-2257  
Ted Nelson  
826-5650

**BARKER REDI-MIX**  
READY-MIX CONCRETE  
BACK-HOE SERVICE  
PH. 779-2703 or 779-2869

**National**  
**Auto Salvage**  
665-3222 or 665-3962  
1 1/2 miles west of Pampa  
on Highway 60  
Large selection of  
used auto parts  
We appreciate your business

**Brannon's**  
**Decorator & Supplies**  
CUSTOM DRAPERIES, RODS,  
GIFTS, CANDLES, SILVER,  
STATIONARY COOKWARE  
218 N. Main Shamrock, Tx.  
254-3652

**J. R. GLASS OIL CO.**  
217 W. 1st  
779-2181

**DO ALL DITCHING**  
**CEMENT WORK**  
**JIM BIBLE 779-2600**

**RIDGWAY**  
**CONSTRUCTION CO.**  
Remodeling, Cabinets  
Repairs, Painting  
Room Additions  
PHONE 779-2618

**McLean**  
**Hardware**  
Complete  
hardware Line  
-Dishes-Paint-  
Tools-Gifts  
**779-2591**

**Parson's**  
**Retall Drug**  
**Retall**  
24-Hour  
Prescription Service  
Shower Gifts  
Cosmetics

**ROCKWELL**  
**MOTOR GRADER WORK**  
Funds-Terraces-Fire Guards  
Feed Roads-Landscaping  
**779-2591**

**Foshee's**  
**TEXACO**  
Your full-service station  
Earnest & Maurine Foshee  
Owners  
779-2621

**LAMB**  
**FLOWER SHOP**  
779-2611

**Johnnie F. Mertel**  
**Boot Shop**  
Tony Lama, Texas,  
Acme, Justin  
Leather Goods  
Shoe Repair  
phone 779-2161

**Peerless**  
**Prognosticator**  
**Predicts**  
by Sam Haynes

ARKANSAS	24	OKLA. ST.	7
TEXAS TECH	28	ARIZONA	7
TCU	10	TULANE	17
TEX. A&M	7	PENN. STATE	21
Univ. of Texas	28	Iowa St.	20
SMU	24	N. Tex. St.	14
BAYLOR	10	ALABAMA	21
WTSU	17	S.W. La.	14
OKLAHOMA	45	TULSA	7
INDIANA	20	KENTUCKY	14
LSU	24	MISSOURI	14
MISSISSIPPI	10	PURDUE	28
NOTRE DAME	17	MISOURI	21
PITTSBURGH	27	N. CAROLINA	7
HARVARD	17	COLUMBIA	7
NEBRASKA	35	IOWA	13
HOUS. OILERS	31	CINCINNATI	17
TAMPA BAY	24	LOS ANGELES	17
N. ENGLAND	27	SAN DIEGO	17
DALLAS	28	CLEVELAND	14

LAST WEEK - 17 RIGHT, 3 wrong, percentage .850  
SEASONS PERCENTAGE .800

### Nursing Center News

Ann Brown and Ruby Tibbets held a Bingo game for the residents on Monday.

Katie Graham and Margaret Coleman conducted a Bible Study on Wednesday.

Bonnie Brass and Ida Hess conducted a Sing-Along on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Wallis, Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Duckworth, and Mr. and Mrs. Mills, all from Lefors, came to the home on Thursday night and played and sang country and western music. Martha Parker showed movies on Friday afternoon.

The Rev. Buell Wells held church services on Sunday.

Drucie Dwyers visitors were Vela Young, Lucille Cullison, Alice Hommel, Mr. and Mrs. A.R. Clawson, Willie Lamb, Sibel Cash, Minnie Freeman, Willie Lamb, Mary and Lindsay Dwyer, Catherine Weaver, Oleta Harris, Stella Payne, Edna Brady, Mrs. Clyde Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Milham, Dale Steele, Rose Dwyer, Joe and Janie Dwyer, Carl Dwyer, Gladys Smulcer, Jodie Thomas, Isabel

Cousins, Ed Haynes, Bertha Smith, Loyd Davidson, and George Terry.

Lula Sheegog's visitors were Annie Brown, Vela Young, Willie Lamb, and Archie and Nora Clawson.

Ruth Kemp's visitors were Grace Windom, G.W. Terry, Babe Brown, Nora Milham, O.J. Milham, Marjorie Jones, and Mary Powell.

Lizzie Henry's visitors were Rocky Bailey, Lucille Cullison, Alice Hommel, Ray and Charlene Barker, Isabel Cousins, and Bro. Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tolleson's visitors were Bessie Barrett and LaVerne Ingram.

Kitty Hesse's visitors were Lucille Cullison, Alice Hommel, and Pat and Mary Myers.

Eva Franke's visitors were Lois Myers and Pat and Mary Myers.

Charles and Catherine Weaver have been to visit Alma

Weaver. Jewell Cousins visitors were Lucille Cullison, Alice Hommel, Margaret Coleman, and Marjorie Jones.

Maude Nall's visitors were Lucille Cullison, Alice Hommel, Etyle Best, Archie and Nora Clawson, Gladys Smulcer, Willie Nicholass, Lillie Mae Williams, Marjorie Jones, and Lois Myers.

Lona Jones visitors were Lucille Cullison, Alice Hommel, Louise Turner, Margaret Coleman, Marie Immel, Archie and Nora Clawson, Norma Curry, Zora Sanders, Gladys Smulcer, Willie Nicholass, Lillie Mae Williams, Annie Reeves, Marjorie Jones, Essie Glenn, Pauline Miller, Mrs. Edgar Smith, and Lois Myers.

Buck Henley's visitors were Lucille Cullison, Alice Hommel, Willie Lamb, Archie and Nora Clawson, Emma Threet, and Marjorie Jones.

Cora Atchley's visitors were Jo Blaylock, Ruby Tibbets, Robbyn Griffin, Annie Brown, Vela Young, Lucille Cullison, Alice Hommel, Annie Herndon, Willie Lamb, Willie Nicholass, Betty Lowe, Wilma and Shan-

non Barker, Pat Seymour, Jewel Wiley, Archie and Nora Clawson, Lillie Mae Williams, Cecil Nicholass, Pauline Miller, Nettie Alexander, Elsie Shaw, Myrtle Kirkpatrick, Buella Wells, Annie and Boyd Reeves, Bertha Smith, Ed Haynes, and G.W. Terry.

Forrest Carter's visitors were Lucille Cullison, Alice Hommel, Dorothy and Teresa Cowart, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Williams and Robin.

Effie Phillips visitors were Lucille Cullison, Alice Hommel, Leta Mae Hess, Maude Carpenter, and Mary Powell.

Ruby Bidwell's visitors were Lucille Cullison, Alice Hommel, Ann Miller, Gladys Smulcer, Robert and Kathy McCabe, Marjorie Jones, and Mary Powell.

Grace Windom and Mary Powell have been to visit Flora Humphreys.

Ben Skidmore's visitors were Lucille Cullison, Alice Hommel, Willie Lamb, Bertha Smith, Ed Haynes, and Isabel Cousins.

Runt Miller's visitors were Vernon and Louise Turner, Lena Baily, Rev. Z.A. Myers,

Karl, Mauree, and Cody Moore, Marjorie Jones, and Mary Powell.

Lummie Pruetts visitors were Willie Lamb, Annie Reeves, Pat Seymour, Anita Day, Wesley Treat, Marjorie Turnage, Betty Lowe, Pauline Miller, Susie Trout, Eula Morrow, and Minnie Erwin.

Mary Treat's visitors were Rocky Bailey, Annie Reeves, Frances Treat, Betty Lowe, Estelle Grimsley, Morene Chastain, Beverly Cannon, Jewel Wiley, Marjorie Turnage, Betty Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Seymour, Pauline Miller, Susie Trout, and Wesley Treat.

WE THINK OF people who "curse" as having bad manners. But is cursing somebody really nothing more than that?

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### QUOTABLE QUOTES

by Sam Haynes

As much of heaven is visible as we have eyes to see. William Winter

The Spartans are not want to ask how many the enemy are, but where they are. King Agis II

He that strives not to stem his anger's tide, Does a wild horse without a bridle ride. Colley Cibber

Politics is perhaps the only profession for which no preparation is thought necessary. R.L. Stevenson

In political discussion, heat is in inverse proportion to knowledge.

We are the first nation in the history of the world to go to the poorhouse in an automobile. All political parties die at last of

swallowing their own lies. John Arbuthnot Outside of traffic, there is nothing that has held this country back as much as committees.

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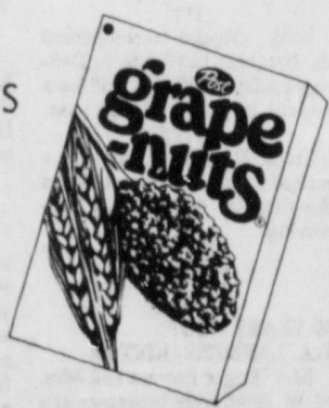
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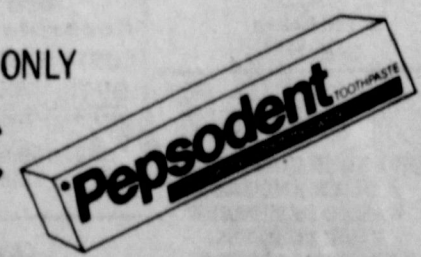
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