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from the  
distaff side  
by Linda Haynes

One of the most popular features of the McLean News, "Down Memory Lane," will not be seen for a few months. The Southwest Collection of the Texas Tech Library has taken all of our back issues to microfilm.

We've been very excited about the idea of putting the old copies on microfilm, as a permanent record of McLean's history. After the library finishes the microfilming, they will return our copies, and keep the microfilm on file in Lubbock for the use of anyone doing research on the Panhandle.

A copy of the microfilm will be available for about \$400, if anyone is interested in donating it to the Alanreed-McLean Museum.

Bobby Weaver, the library's representative, came to the News office last week to pick up our papers. He is very interested in all phases of the history of this area, and is hoping to talk to some of the pioneers in McLean for information later.

He also took a historical file which Mrs. Vera Back had loaned to me containing some of the stories of the pioneers, and various bits of memorabilia that Mrs. Back had collected over the years. This will also be put on microfilm at the library.

Another popular feature that the News ran recently was the "Where Are They Now?" columns on classes that graduated from McLean High School. Several people have asked when we would run their class. We had planned originally to run the feature every spring, with the classes of 1908, 1919, 1929, 1939, 1949, 1959, and 1969 scheduled for next year.

However, so many people have requested that their class be run, that we have decided to change, since it would take ten years to get all of the classes under the original schedule.

The research on the classes is very time-consuming, and since we have a limited staff (not limited in talent, but limited in time!), we will not be able to do the research. However, anyone who was a member of any class who wishes to track down his classmates and write a list of where they are and what they are doing, is welcome to do so. We will be happy to publish the information about your class as we receive it.

Most of the articles we published in the spring also had the class pictures with them, and we would like to have that also.

So all you McLean exes, get busy!

One staff member of the McLean News is leaving for college at Texas Tech next week. Gina Layne will be majoring in psychology. She has been an invaluable help this summer, and we wish her well in her studies.

Another staff member, Kathy Carter, took the week off to have a baby. She very

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## McLean Weather

DATE	HIGH	LOW
8/15	90	69
8/16	100	78
8/17	104	79
8/18	95	63
8/19	72	62
8/20	96	70
8/21	96	68
8/22	92	71

8/19  
PRECIPITATION .22



Efforts to complete remodeling of the McLean High School Building have picked up speed as the first day of school nears. (photo by Lisa Patman)

## Traffic Accidents Still Plague McLean

A rash of traffic accidents has kept local law enforcement officers busy this week. On Aug. 16, a '78 pickup driven by Dennis Hooper of Amarillo, and a '73 semi-tractor trailer driven by Colvin Adair of Greenwood, Miss., collided about two miles west of Alanreed on I-40 in the construction zone. The truck driver allowed his vehicle to cross the center stripe, Hooper

took evasive action, went off the shoulder, oversteered, and made contact with the truck. The truck driver was issued a citation for failing to drive in a single marked lane. Terry Rollison, a passenger in the Hooper vehicle, received minor injuries, but was not treated at the hospital.

Three accidents occurred Aug. 17. The first came at 9 a.m. on I-40 near Gately's

cafe. In that occurrence, Mr. Jessie H. Howard from Springdale, Ark., driving a '78 Truck Tractor Semi-Trailer, was ticketed for driving at an unsafe speed, while Betty L. Zametz of Youngstown, Ohio, driver of a '76 motorhome was issued a citation for turning out of the wrong lane. The vehicles sustained minor damage, and no injuries were reported.

Later that morning another collision occurred at an intersection at the northeast edge of McLean. A '74 pickup going south on a dirt road came into contact with a '64 pickup going east on the other dirt road. The '64 pickup, driven by Dianne McAnear of McLean ended up in the bar ditch. Aaron Hiller of Pampa, driver of the '74 pickup, was cited for failure to yield the right of way at an open intersection. No injuries were reported.

A one car accident about three miles east of McLean was apparently caused by a tire blow-out. Rev. Garfield P. Carmichael, of Omaha, Neb., was driving a '66 Plymouth station wagon, towing a trailer, when the tire blew out, causing Carmichael to lose control of the vehicle. The trailer apparently overtook the station wagon, and jackknifed, coming to rest in the inside lane of travel. Little damage was found.

Another wreck on the east bound lane of I-40 through McLean occurred Monday. Billy L. Frisbie of Burden, Kan., was driving a 1978 International semi-tractor trailer truck which collided with a 1951 Chevrolet truck driven by Pamela Kay Morris, of Stockton, Calif. Neither driver was hurt in the accident, although both vehicles received extensive damage.

Frisbie was cited for excessive speed, and Mrs. Morris was cited for improperly changing lanes.



Dianne McAnear of McLean escaped injury last Thursday in a two-vehicle collision, which resulted in the McAnear vehicle overturning into a bar ditch. (photo by Lisa Patman)

## Tigers To Scrimmage Happy Friday Night

The McLean Tigers will scrimmage Friday night at 7 p.m. for their first outing of the season.

Tiger coaches for the year are head coach Bill Coward, Vester Joiner, Jack Dorsett, and Joe Riley.

Returning lettermen are Tommy Eck, senior; Steve Ellison, senior; Bill Ham-bright, sophomore; James

Matheny, sophomore; Mike McGowan, sophomore; Rex Morris, junior; Chuck Pierce, senior; and Mike Reynolds, junior.

Other members of the team are Dick Bode, junior; Johnny Day, senior; Black Horn, freshman; Dudley Reynolds, freshman; Robert Robinson, sophomore; Billy Joe Skipper, freshman; Spooky Smith, freshman; Theron Stubbs,

freshman; David Tolleson, senior; Randy Suggs, junior; John Curry, senior; Darrell Davis, junior; Matt Davis, freshman; Bobby Sprinkles, freshman; and Billy Kincaid, sophomore.

Junior high school students who plan to participate in football this year need to go to the field house Saturday at 1 p.m., to check out their equipment.

## 1978 McLean Graduates Reveal Plans

On the night of May 25, 1978 the seniors of McLean High school became high school graduates and ex-students of MHS. Now, almost three months later, many of the members of the class of '78 are preparing to leave home for college. Others are already full time employees of the working force, and still others are married and mak-

ing their own homes in addition to working or attending college.

Carolyn Bailey is employed by TNT Trucking of Amarillo as a secretary. She plans to attend Amarillo College in the fall.

Joining Carolyn at AC will be Mrs. Spencer Correll (the former Brenda Heasley). She plans to study lab technology. Attending Oklahoma Christ-

ian College in Oklahoma City this fall will be Margie Bode, who plans to major in commercial art.

Jerce Boyd Oldham and husband Glenn will attend Texas Tech University in Lubbock majoring in art and architecture, respectively.

Other future Texas Tech Red Raiders are Gina Layne, maj-

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## School Opening Postponed

Opening of the McLean schools was postponed this week, according to Carl Dwyer, superintendent. Extensive remodeling of the high school has not been completed enough to allow classes to begin.

Under the new schedule, teachers will report for in-service on Monday, and will have a workday Tuesday with regular classes beginning Wednesday. High school registration will be Tuesday, following the same schedule given last week.

Elementary students who have been in McLean elementary school before will register on the first day of classes. (Wednesday)

Those who have not been in school in McLean before will register on Tuesday, Aug. 29.

## Four Teachers Added To School Faculty

Four new faces will be added to the faculty of McLean High School when school starts next week. Bob Glass, McLean native, will be teaching science; Doris McElroy will be working with the resource students; Joe Riley, another native of McLean, will be teaching physical education and assisting with other athletics; and Vester Joiner will be head girls' coach, and assisting with other sports.

Glass, a 1967 graduate of McLean High School, received

his degree from West Texas State University in 1978. He and his wife Janet, a former teacher at McLean, have a three-week old son, Raymond Andrew. Glass will be teaching biology, chemistry, and physical science.

Mrs. McElroy, the wife of William McElroy, junior high English teacher, is a graduate of Wilmerding, Pennsylvania high school, and received her bachelor of arts degree in social studies at the University of Pittsburgh in 1958. She has

done graduate work at U.C.L.A., the University of California at Riverside, and the University of California at Longbeach. She has two sons, Garth and Damon.

Riley, a graduate of McLean High School, received his degree from West Texas State University, this spring. He is married to the former Jacque Gillispie, also a teacher at MHS.

Joiner, a graduate of

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## Japanese Exchange Student Enjoys Stay With Carpenter Family This Summer

By LINDA HAYNES

It's a long way from Fukuoka, Japan, to McLean, Texas, but thirteen-year-old Tomoko Tachikawa made the trip July 25 to stay with the Johnnie Carpenter family.

Tomoko is part of the 4-H Labo Exchange program which brought 1,750 Japanese students to the United States with 24 students staying in 4-H District 1 in Texas. This is the first year that Texas has participated in the program.

Tomoko is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Saburo Tachikawa. She has one brother, fourth-grader Hiroyasu. Her father is a civil engineer.

In Japan, Tomoko takes nine courses in school, along with ballet and piano. She is a

marathon runner for her school. Japanese school days begin at 7:45 a.m. and end at 6 p.m., six days a week, eleven months a year. Every Saturday, after school she attends two or three hours of language training at the Labo organization.

Next summer, she will spend several weeks preparing for her entrance exams into high school. She brought homework to the United States to study.

Tomoko has particularly enjoyed American food, with pizza and hamburgers her favorite. She has learned to ride horses and play checkers with the Carpenter's daughter Candi. Tomoko has enjoyed her visit to the United States, especially the leisure time American children enjoy, and said she

would like to stay longer. She left Tuesday for the return trip to Japan.

When she arrived in the United States, she brought several gifts for her American family, including two handmade dolls, representing winter and spring, a yukata (dress) for Candi, and two Jimbi (men's wrappers) for Mr. Carpenter and the Carpenter's son, Cash.

Tomoko is a member of the Shinto religion, but said that her family celebrated Christmas in the traditional American way with a Christmas tree and gifts.

Since Tomoko stayed with the Carpenter family, Candi Carpenter is eligible to go to Japan on the Labo program next summer.



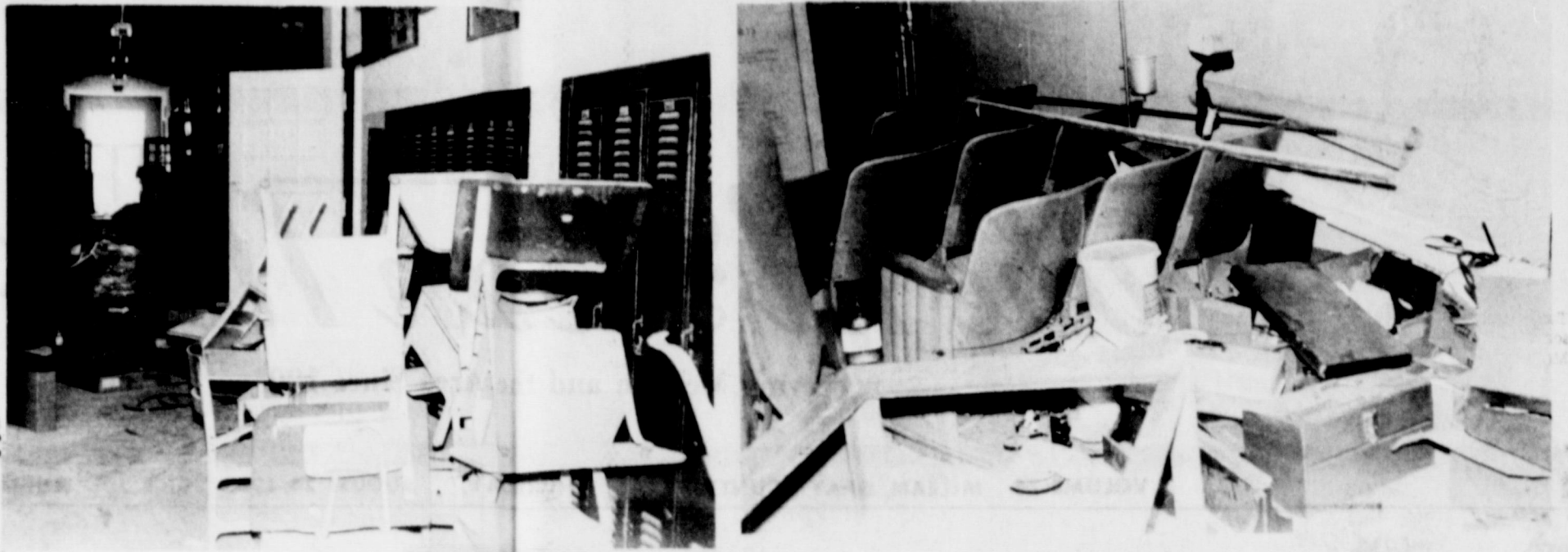
Tomoko Tachikawa, one of 1,750 Japanese students participating in the 4-H Labo Exchange Program, is shown here wearing a yukata, a traditional Japanese dress. She is holding a Japanese doll which represents Spring. The doll was handmade by Mrs. Tachikawa's mother. (photo by Linda Haynes)



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 McLEAN, TEXAS  
 POPULATION 1183 (1970 census)



The opening of the McLean Schools was postponed this week because the remodeling project for the high school is not completed. See story, page 1. (Photo by Lisa Patman.)

EDITORIAL by Linda Haynes

Saturday night was a long night for several residents of McLean. Four motorcycleists decided to choose after midnight Saturday night to race through the streets and alleys in the north part of town, keeping residents awake half the night.

One of the motorcycles was even modified to make it noisier.

Several residents in the area said that they hated to complain, but that the noise made any kind of sleep impossible. Isn't it great to live in a free country, where everyone has the right to do as he pleases? What too many young

people forget is that that right means that you do not have the right to impose on someone else's rights.

I know the four young men involved. They are all nice youngsters from good families, but I wonder if their parents know where they were at that time of night?

My suggestion to the residents who were disturbed.....the next time it happens, pick up the phone, and call the parents. I'm sure they would want to know what their sons are up to, and at least you would have the satisfaction of waking someone else up!

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thoughtfully waited until the paper was out last Thursday before going to the hospital. She has a daughter, Kristina Diane, who is just possibly one of the most beautiful children ever born. (If you don't believe it, just ask her other grandmother.)

Kathy will probably return to her typewriter one day a week in the near future.

A special thank-you to Ida Hess, who typed for us this week. Ida is one of those rare friends who says "What can I do to help?", and means it.

The night shift on the maternity ward, which is the time so many babies are born. They did get some help eventually from nurses in other departments, but they certainly earned their money that night.

Wonder if any members of the hospital board or the hospital administration have ever been on the floor when expectant mothers were waiting in line for a bed or for attention because there weren't enough nurses?

I think the full moon has caused problems everywhere, either that or the leprechauns are at work. Carl Dwyer says that he and high school principal Ron Cummings have had no electricity in their offices for at least a month, and the contractors on the high school are way behind schedule.

It's a little tough to run a school with no office and with everything buried underneath a six-inch layer of construction debris, but I'm sure that school will start soon and everything will return to normal chaos.

Graduates

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oring in psychology, and Ken Parker, majoring in mass communications.

Lynda Daniels, majoring in biology, is one of four of the class of '78 entering West Texas State University in Canyon. The other three buffaloes will be Sammy Don Haynes, majoring in physical education; Brian Stokes, majoring in engineering; and Jodette Swamer, who will be taking secretarial courses.

Greg Henley, who plans to enter the agriculture field, will attend Clarendon Junior College, along with Natalie Morris, who is planning to study pharmacy.

Majoring in fashion merchandising at Tyler Junior College in Tyler, Texas, is Melinda Hunt.

Jeff Matheny is currently enrolled at Frank Phillips College in Berger and is majoring in math.

Scott Raines will be attending Southwestern Oklahoma State University in Weatherford on a football scholarship. His major is bio-chemistry.

Leisa Stovall plans to attend South Plains Junior College in Levelland but has not yet decided on a major.

The class 'only Aggie this fall will be Carter Trew, attending Texas A&M in College Station. He is planning to major in agriculture.

Dion (Dinky) Bryant is employed by Jerry Hembree of McLean.

George (Butch) Cline, a

pipeliner working out of Shamrock, hopes to get a job with the Santa Fe Railroad in Amarillo.

Mike Harkins is attending Texas State Technical Institute in Amarillo, studying diesel mechanics.

Van Horn is planning to run a dog racing kennel in Phoenix, Ariz., and to be involved with the operation of El Grande Pet Foods.

Employed by the state highway department is Randy Kennedy.

Billie Lowery lives in Levelland and works at Howard Johnson's in Lubbock. She hopes to attend a school for airline stewardesses in Dallas in February.

Curtis Simpson plans to live and work in College Station.

Ricky Steele is enlisted in the Navy and is stationed in Orlando, Fla. After basic training he will study electronics in Memphis, Tenn.

Robbie Turpen is employed by the McLean Independent school district.

The former Teresa Bybee is married to Floyd Laxton, and lives in Perryton.

Mrs. Wayman Bell (the former Sandra Keeton) lives in Amarillo and is the assistant manager of Sixty Minute Man Cleaners.

Tonue Hathaway has been offered a track scholarship at Ranger Jr. College in Kilgore, Texas.

Teachers

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Seagraves High School, received his bachelor of science degree in Industrial Arts from Sul Ross University in Alpine in 1972. He and his wife Sandra have two children, Duty, 7, and Susanna, 4.

In one teaching assignment change, Mrs. Suzy Lee, who was the kindergarten teacher last year, will be teaching second grade. She replaces Mrs. Janet Glass, who resigned recently. Mrs. Lee is the wife of hand director Mike Lee. She will be high school and junior high school pep squad sponsor in addition to her duties in the second grade. She is a graduate of Rider High School in Wichita Falls, and received a bachelor of science degree in education from Baylor University in 1976.

Other faculty members are Mike Lee, Virginia Holwick, Jan Johnson, Bill Coward, Jerrell Russell, Mary Lou Glass, Jacque Riley, Jack Dorsett, Bill McElroy, Mary O'Neill, Mary Lowder, Betty Skipper, Bobbi Stalls, Evelyn Sanders, Cecil Reynolds, and Carlene Beauchamp.

Aide are Neona Mann, Nancy Billingsley, and Marie Baker.

Farm Bureau To Meet August 25 At Pampa Church

The annual Gray County Farm Bureau meeting will be Aug. 25 at 7 p.m. in the First Christian Church Fellowship Hall in Pampa.

A barbecue supper will be served at 7 p.m.

Wade Wademeier, Texas Farm Bureau Director of Research and Education, will be guest speaker.

A number of resolutions have been proposed which will be discussed at the meeting. Among resolutions proposed are ones dealing with gun control, deregulation of petroleum, compulsory land use planning, and the right to work law.

July Savings Bond Sales Are Reported

July sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds in Gray County were reported today by County Bond Chairman, Floyd F. Watson. Sales for the seventh-month period totaled \$282,262 for 41% of the 1978 sales goal of \$490,000.

Texas sales during the month amounted to \$24,238,097, while sales for the first seven months of 1978 total \$181,170,181, 687 with 59% of the yearly sales goal of 306.6 million achieved.

Local Woman Involved In 'Hour Of Light' Program

Gladys Stewart of McLean and Nina Hervey, pastor of Bible Methodist Church in Shamrock, are presenting a radio program every Tuesday from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. on KBYT in Shamrock.

The program, entitled "The

Hour of Light", will feature devotionals and music. Mrs. Hervey will be the organist and Mrs. Stewart will sing.

The program, sponsored by Stewart's Religious Book Store in McLean, will feature occasional guests.

New Loan Service For Farmers Is Now In Effect

A new Economic Emergency loan service for farmers and ranchers who have financial problems caused by credit shortage or cost-price squeeze is now in effect through the U.S. Farmers Home Administration (FmHA).

Robert A. Keown, the agency's supervisor for Gray County, reports that FmHA is prepared to take applications at the Courthouse Annex in Pampa from 10:00 to 12:00 the second and fourth Thursday of each month, or at the FmHA office in Clarendon.

Economic Emergency loans are authorized under the Agricultural Credit Act of 1978 signed by President Carter Aug. 4. They offer special help to farmers who are hard-pressed by recent shortage of credit from their regular lenders, or by debts accumulated during the recent period of low farm prices.

Keown said the Economic Emergency loan program was enacted by Congress, with Administration support, in recognition of the fact that "economic conditions, as well as weather, are often beyond farmers' control." FmHA emergency credit has previously been confined to loans for recovery from natural disaster, or the guarantee of private lenders' loans to livestock producers affected by economic conditions.

Under the new Economic Emergency program, any established farm operator--individual, partnership, corporation or cooperative--experiencing scarce credit or an overload of debt coming due, may apply for up to \$400,000 of credit through FmHA in order to survive in

farming and continue their normal level of operation. Economic Emergency loans will not be made to expand a farm operation.

Loans made directly by FmHA will be at an interest rate equivalent to the cost of money secured by the government through sale of its securities to the public, plus an administrative add-on of up to one percent. The rate initially will be 8 1/2 percent. Guaranteed loans will be made at rates negotiated between borrower and lender, with FmHA providing the lender up to a 90 percent guarantee against loss.

Loans for operating purposes will be made for terms of up to 7 years, with loan consolidations and rescheduling for another 7 years permitted, and 20-year payment authorized under special conditions. Real estate loans may be made for up to 40 years. Loans for annually-recurring expenses will be repayable annually.

Keown said initial inquiries about Economic Emergency loans can be made either through a commercial agricultural lender or the county FmHA office serving the county where the farm is located. The Act calls for decision by FmHA on individual applications within 30 days.

While introducing the new Economic Emergency farm loan, FmHA will continue all pre-existing services. They include various programs of non-emergency real estate and production loans to family-size farms, terms of which will soon be broadened under the recent Credit Act; emergency loans to farms damaged by natural disaster, and loans or grants for housing, community facilities and business and industry in rural areas.



Phi Beta Kappa was founded in 1776 as a social fraternity, the first at an American college.

Fair Offers Discount To Senior Citizens

There will be something for everyone to see and enjoy at the 1978 Amarillo Tri State Fair, September 18-23. Livestock, horses, poultry, rabbits, textile, foods, free entertainment, product exhibits, art show, midway of rides and shows and first class entertainment in the coliseum each day by top country-western artists.

A special day has been set aside for all senior citizens in the area. On Thursday, September 21, any senior citizen will be admitted to the fair grounds free of charge by presenting a Medicare Card. At 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, special free entertainment will be provided in the coliseum by the "Country Rogues", a local group of outstanding musicians.

Clarendon College Registration Set

Full registration for students entering Clarendon College will be held Monday, August 28. Hours of registration will be from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Academic Center of the college.

Registration for evening classes will be held from 6-7 p.m., Tuesday, August 29 through Thursday, August 31.

Students desiring to pre-enroll may do so until August 21 by coming to the Registrar's Office of the college.

Classes begin August 29.



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Baby Animal Show To Highlight Annual Amarillo Tri State Fair

One of the highlights of the Amarillo Tri State Fair each year is the Baby Animal Show. This year's display may be viewed during the entire week of the fair, September 18-23. Exhibits in the Show include baby animals of all types that are 30 days young or less. Horses, cows, lambs, sheep, goats, rabbits, chickens and other birds will be among

the species to be displayed. Prize money totaling \$130 will be awarded to exhibitors of the most attractive and best baby animals in the show. Superintendents of this event are Ernie Houda-shell, John Burrow and Jim Allison, all of Amarillo. For additional information about the Baby Animal Show, contact the offices of the Tri State Fair.

Breakfast Lunch Program Offered

The McLean Independent School District will offer breakfast and lunch programs this year. The school has offered lunch programs for a number of years, but this is the first year for the breakfast program.

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The annual picnic of the McLean Volunteer Fire Dept. was held August 17 in the city park. Top left, are Jim McDonald and Jay Farber, the two members of the McLean Rescue Squad who have completed the first phase of paramedic training. Top right, firemen and city employees visit before the barbecue is served. Bottom left, Mike Lee and Steven Myers entertain the firemen and their guests. (Photos by Linda Haynes.)

### Mrs. Luther Petty Honored On 88th Birthday Aug. 17

Mrs. Luther Petty of Amarillo, formerly of McLean, was honored recently by her family and friends on the occasion of her 88th birthday. Her birthday was on Aug. 17, but the festivities began on Aug. 11 with the arrival of relatives in Amarillo in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. Milton Billingsley. The entire group attended "TEXAS" in Palo Duro Canyon on Saturday night—a part of an over-capacity crowd of some 2,200 in attendance that night. Mrs. Petty has received many long-distance telephone calls, cards, and flowers besides the visits. Those visiting and included in the festivities during these days included four of her five children, three grand-

children, and three great-grandchildren, besides the friends, as follows: Mr. Francis L. Petty of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Herman L. Petty and son and daughter, Douglas and Joy, of Abilene; Mrs. Nora Loveland of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon L. Kennedy and children, Tina, Rodney, and Ronald, of Canyon; Mr. Dan Miller of Abilene; Miss Dorothy Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. George Elderkin of Midland; and Mrs. H. H. Billingsley, Mrs. P. O. Anderson, Mrs. A. F. Linn, Mrs. O. L. Burchfield, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Nelson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Rogers and son, and Mr. Lynn Burchfield, as well as Milton and Zora Billingsley, all of Amarillo.



### Patton/Miller Vows Exchanged

Charles, Christie, and Jim Patton announce the marriage of their mother, Charlene Patton, to Pete Miller. The couple exchanged wedding vows Aug. 18 in Amarillo.

### Club Activities

The Sva-Pa-Hobi Club met Aug. 16 in the home of Lucy Goldston. President Jerry Corbin called the meeting to order and all answered roll call with a helpful hint. Refreshments were served to Freda Bailey, Bea Lester, Clara Hupp, Jerry Corbin, Emily Rippey, Sophia Hutchison, Loretta Barker, Ramah Lou Lankford, Lucy Goldston and three visitors; Debbie, granddaughter of Sophia Hutchison; Nacole Corbin, granddaughter of Jerry Corbin, and Mary Ladd, sister-in-law of Emily Rippey. The next meeting will be in the home of Ramah Lou Lankford.

### Cystic Fibrosis Campaign To Begin Sept. 18

The 1978 Kiss a Baby Week Campaign of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation begins Sept. 18 in the McLean area, and Chairman Mrs. H. F. Fabian is asking volunteers to donate their time to fund raising activities. "I'm looking for people who can give a little of their time so that millions of lung-damaged children across the United States can live longer, more normal lives," said Mrs. Fabian of the Lone Star Chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. "Just breathing is a struggle for these kids. They must have constant care and treatment. Some must take as many as 50 pills a day to fight infection and aid digestion, and breathe a medi-

cated mist from a face mask each day. "The much needed funds raised from the campaign will go to support research, care and education programs aimed at lengthening lives and finding a cure of C/F. These programs include support for more than 100 Cystic Fibrosis Centers across the nation which provide diagnosis, treatment and referral to children suffering from asthma, chronic bronchitis, "childhood emphysema," and recurrent pneumonia, as well as cystic fibrosis. "In addition to finding a cure for C/F," said Mrs. Fabian, "researchers are hoping to find a test to detect carriers of the C/F gene, and also a method of diagnosing the disease at birth. Early diagnosis and treatment helps extend and improve lives." "In 1955, when the C/F Foundation was established, most children with C/F died before reaching 3 years of age. Now, more than 50 percent can be expected to live past age 18. But, we want to make it possible for all children with cystic fibrosis to live normal, full lives lives." Volunteers can help, she added, by giving of their time to support the giving of the most precious gift of all—the breath of life. To volunteer for the Kiss A Baby Campaign, contact: Mrs. H. F. Fabian, 517 W. 7th St., 779-2668.

### In the Kitchen

By Linda Haynes

Mrs. Fritz (Sallie) Christian of Ruidoso, N.M., lived in McLean for many years. Many of her friends will remember her for being a fabulous cook. The following recipe is especially good for fall, since apples will be in season for the next few weeks.

**RAW APPLE CAKE**  
3 cups raw apples, cored and peeled  
2 cups sugar  
3 cups flour  
2 cups nuts

2 eggs  
1 1/2 cups Wesson oil  
1 1/2 teaspoon soda  
1 teaspoon cinnamon  
1 teaspoon nutmeg  
2 teaspoons vanilla  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
Pour sugar over apples and let stand 20 minutes. Add Wesson oil and eggs; stir thoroughly. Add flour, spices, soda, salt and nuts to apple mixture. Bake one hour in bundt, loaf, or angel pan at 350 degrees.

### HOMEMAKER NEWS

By ELAINE HOUSTON County Extension Agent

### FOOD PRESERVATION FOR DIABETICS

"Food Preservation for Diabetics" is the title of a publication we ordered from the Cooperative Extension Service, Utah State University, Logan, Utah. The booklet contains information on canning, freezing, drying, jellies and jams for the diabetic. Anyone interested in a copy can write for one from the above address.

### FREEZING CORN-ON-THE-COB

Do you like garden-fresh corn on the cob in the middle of winter? Here is how to freeze it. Selecting good quality corn is the first step. You can have no better corn come out of the freezer than that which you put in. Select those with plump, tender kernels, and thin, sweet milk. If the milk is thick and starchy, it is better to freeze the corn as cream-style. Husk, silk, trim, and wash the corn, sorting it according to size. Slow down or stop the action of enzymes. Until the corn is ready to pick, enzymes help it grow and mature, after that it causes loss of flavor and color. It takes on a musty, woody taste. Heat small ears up to 1 1/2 inches in diameter for 7 minutes, medium size ears 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 inches in diameter for

9 minutes, and large ears over 1 1/2 inches in diameter for 11 minutes.

Cool the corn quickly in cold water, and drain. Pack the ears into containers or wrap in moisture vapor proof material. Freeze immediately, and your family can look forward to summer goodness of the corn-on-the-cob in the middle of winter. For other recipes for freezing fruit and vegetables ask for the bulletin "Frozen Foods" available free from the County Extension Office.

**NEW PICKLE RECIPES**  
These are some new recipes we received recently. If you have any questions or need help with home food preservation call the County Extension Office at 669-7429 or stop by the Gray County Extension Office located in the Courthouse Annex. Pickled jalapenos: Wash peppers and pack tightly in hot jars (you can add a few peeled onions also). For each cup of vinegar, use: 1/4 cup water, 1/4 cup olive oil, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon pickling spice and 2 sprigs fresh dill. Heat mixture to boiling; pour over peppers to cover. Close jars. Process 10 minutes in boiling water bath. Dilled Eggs: 1 dozen hard-cooled eggs, peeled, 1 1/2 cups white vinegar, 1 cup water, 3/4 teaspoon dill seed, 1/4 teaspoon white pepper, 1 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon mustard seed, 1/2 teaspoon onion juice, and 1/2 teaspoon minced garlic. Place the peeled eggs in a quart jar. Combine the other ingredients in a saucepan and heat to boiling. Pour the hot pickling solution over the eggs; close lid tightly, refrigerate for at least a week for small eggs and two weeks for larger ones. Eggs may be stored for several months prior to use, but they must be kept refrigerated since the jars are not heat processed. Dilled Olives: 3 pounds young olives, uncut, celery leaves, cloves garlic, large heads and stems dill, 1 quart water, 1 pint vinegar, and 1/2 cup salt. Pack scrubbed olives into hot pint jars with a few celery leaves, 1 clove garlic and 1 head and stem dill for each jar. Make brine of water, vinegar over olives; adjust lids at once. Process in boiling water bath (212 F) 5 minutes. Remove jars from canner and complete seal unless closures are the self-sealing type. Let stand 3 to 4 weeks. Makes 6 pints.

**Helps Shrink Swelling Of Hemorrhoidal Tissues**  
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Doctors have found a medication that in many cases gives prompt, temporary relief for hours from pain and burning itch in hemorrhoidal tissues, then helps shrink swelling of these tissues caused by inflammation. The name: Preparation H. No prescription is needed. Preparation H Ointment and suppositories. Use only as directed.

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A major advancement  
**CUSHION GRIP DENTURE ADHESIVE**  
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In 17th century Holland, the passion for tulips was so great a single root of one plant sold for the equivalent of about \$1,500.

### New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carter are the parents of a daughter, Kristina Diane, born Aug. 18 in Pampa. She weighed 9 lb., 4 oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carter of Claremore, Okla., and Mrs. Sam Haynes of McLean, and Ted Raines of Sulphur Springs. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Lahoma Raines of Altus, Okla., John C. Haynes of McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ware of McLean, and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Carter of Mobeetie. Great-great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Baucum of Altus, Okla., and Mrs. J. R. Raines of Altus, Okla.

### NEWS OF INFLATION

Although the cost of living has nearly doubled in the last decade and for many people, inflation's worst bite is in the area of food prices, there are some things being done to help keep those prices down. Among the people doing them are America's farmers and a number of legislators who know how much state consumers have in meat prices. The farmers are fighting inflation by feeding their livestock antibiotics. These help keep the animals from getting sick, thereby letting them reach their proper growth potential in a relatively short time. The legislators are opposing the Food and Drug Administration's recently announced intention to severely restrict these antibiotics. According to government estimates, the proposed ban would cost agricultural producers more than \$700 million per year in increased production costs at a time when net farm income is projected at the lowest level since the depression. Costs to consumers, the U.S. Department of Agriculture has said, could run in



**A GOVERNMENT WORKER IN WASHINGTON** suggested that farm animals shouldn't be allowed to have antibiotics unless a veterinarian has first written a prescription. Among producers, the proposed regulations, which require a veterinarian's prescription to use certain antibiotics, would hit family farmers the hardest and could drive many out of business, driving down the amount of meat available, and so driving up the cost. To learn where your legislators stand on this issue, you can write them at the House of Representatives, Washington, D.C. 20515 and at the U.S. Senate, Washington, D.C. 20510.

### ANBESOL KILLS MOUTH PAIN ON CONTACT

Denture pain, toothache, cold sores, teething pain, relieved for hours.

Some people once believed that mountains were formed by an enormous underground serpent moving about.

### WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

A brief look at some former McLean residents and where they are now.

Greg and Cherrie Tolleson are living in Pampa. Greg is employed by Panhandle Equipment Company, and Cherrie is employed by Security Federal Savings and Loan.

David Pool recently was named a field underwriter for New York Life Insurance Company in Amarillo.



### NOTICE TO ALL McLEAN PARENTS

My dog, at 612 Waldron, is highly trained to attack any violent action. We have had a problem with local kids throwing rocks and sticks into his pen, just to watch his reaction. Although he is in a pen, there is no guarantee that he won't find a way out if provoked enough. Please convince your children of how dangerous this is.  
Neal Middleton

### ALL MULE RODEO

SEPT. 2 at 7 p. m. -- SEPT. 3 at 3 p. m.

**EVENTS**  
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Bull Riding-Bareback Mules  
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**BRAN FLAKES** POST 40% 16 oz. box 79<sup>c</sup>

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**CORN** LAKE REGION 303 can 4 FOR \$1

**COOKIES** KEEBLER ICED FRUIT, RICH & CHIP, COCONUT, CHOCOLATE CHIP—13 oz. 79<sup>c</sup>

**PORK & BEANS** VAN CAMP 300 can 3 FOR 89<sup>c</sup>

**TUNA** CARNATION 89<sup>c</sup>

**TOMATO SAUCE** DEL MONTE 4 FOR 89<sup>c</sup>

**POUND CAKE** FROZEN SARA LEE 9 1/2 oz. 99<sup>c</sup>

**VANILLA WAFERS** KEEBLER'S 12 oz. box 69<sup>c</sup>

**ORANGE JUICE** SHURFINE 12 oz. can 75<sup>c</sup>

**TOMATOES** SHURFINE 303 can 3 FOR \$1

**POTATOES** KEITH KRINKLE CUT 2 lb. bag 2 FOR 89<sup>c</sup>

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Candi Carpenter, Cash Carpenter, and Tomoko Tachikawa model their Japanese clothing. The girls are wearing yukatas and Cash is wearing a jimbi.



Shown are Japanese dolls representing Spring and Winter, or youth and old age. The handmade dolls were a gift to Mrs. Johnny Carpenter from Mrs. Tachikawa. See story, page 1. (Photos by Linda Haynes.)

**LOOSE MARBLES**  
BY LISA PATMAN

Have you ever noticed how funny we all are? For instance, almost all of us say things we don't mean. Some of the most logical, responsible and serious people I know say the goofiest things. Of course, they may have the same problem I have, in that my mouth often seems to disconnect itself from the rest of my body to become an entity of its own, saying things that the rest of me wouldn't dream of saying. At our house we say "Lisa's mouth is at it again."

Anyway, as I was saying we often say some really silly things without giving them much thought. Have you ever said "I was scared to death," "Well, think about it, obviously you weren't or you wouldn't be here to say it."

Or how about that fellow who says "I was beside myself with worry." Imagine the three of them standing there—him, himself, and worry. "I'll bet they have plenty of trouble, too. I wonder how they all get through the doorway. I suppose they have to go through sideways. On the other hand, he's probably never lonely."

Here's another one—"I'll be a monkey's uncle." (How embarrassing. We might have a relative or two that we wish were monkeys, so that we could donate them to a far away zoo, but so far as I know, no one is truly a monkey's uncle.)

Here's one that really depresses me—"Beauty is only skin deep, but ugly goes all the way through." I realized at an early age that not only would I never win the Miss America contest, but that I was lucky that I didn't draw flies. This revelation came to me one day as I looked in the mirror and noticed that my nose had continued to grow beyond the length that was normal, while my chin had stopped a little short of the limit a respectable chin should be. And then my body began to thicken more than I would have preferred. So it was either resign myself to my state, and develop a pleasing personality, or wear a large sack over my head for the rest of my life.

Now, just when I finally have resigned myself to the fact that I'll never be a raving beauty, along comes this horrible saying. I knew that beauty was only skin deep, but imagine my disappointment when I realized that not only was I ugly, but that the ugliness was much deeper than I had realized. It's enough to make me head for the nearest plastic surgeon. At least I might have a chance at some superficial good looks before the stitches collapse and the wrinkles take over.

Well, I seem to have wandered off subject a bit, which is what we all say some of the oddest things. One thing I have found that I believe is true, no matter how many times we say it is that old con-cept known as Murphy's law, which states, "If anything can go wrong, it will." Believe me, folks, you can repeat this anytime and it will be giving forth a little pearl of wisdom. This seems to be especially true in the newspaper business, but I'll tell you about that at another time.

For now I'll just say, "See you soon." (I won't, you know, in fact, some of you I'll probably never see.) and "It's been a real pleasure." (Although I do enjoy this column, writing it sure takes a lot out of me.) and "I hope you'll catch me next week." (Listen, if I fell, and you caught me, you'd be in the hospital trying to recuperate.) Well, I'll be a monkey's uncle, I'm just beside myself, trying to talk right is harder than I thought; it scares me to death. Oh, well, another day, another dollar. (Unfortunately, this is absolutely true.)

**School Menus**

- Wednesday-Aug 30  
Hamburgers  
French Fries  
Lettuce & Tomato  
Pickle & Onion  
Catsup  
Ice Cream
- Thursday-Aug 31  
Fish Portions  
Cole Slaw  
Tator Tots  
Sliced bread  
Chocolate Pudding

The DIXIE RESTAURANT Will Be Closed Monday, August 28, One Day Only For Clean-Up and Repairs.

**News from your County Agricultural Agent**

by JOE VAN ZANDT  
Texas A&M University Extension Service

**CATTLE SHRINK**

Cattlemen selling yearling cattle frequently wonder who is getting the best deal on weighing conditions. Sometimes ranchers have scales available at the ranch and this certainly gives the cattle owner an advantage because he does have a choice that he can make for selling and weighing conditions. When cattle are weighed and delivered at the ranch, the usual pencil shrink is 3 percent. However, when cattle are hauled a distance and then weighed, then the pencil shrink varies depending on the mileage hauled.

Recently, a set of yearling cattle weighed 699 pounds on ranch scales and a 3% shrink gave a pay weight of 686 pounds. These cattle were hauled about 25 miles and weighed 690 pounds off-truck. A pencil shrink of 1.5 percent gave a pay weight of 680 pounds. The ranch pay weight of 686 pounds gave an extra 6 pounds, which at 60 cents, amounted to \$3.60 per head advantage for the ranch weight and the trucking would also amount to over \$1 per head.

In summary, ranch scales in this instance paid the rancher about an extra \$4.75 per head. Figured another way, the pencil shrink after the 25 mile haul would have calculated out to be 0.58 percent of the off-truck weight to equal the ranch weight with a 3 percent shrink.

This is only on one set of cattle, but it does serve as an illustration of actual weighing conditions. Also a set of heifers had the same shrink after the haul as the steers did under the same conditions.

**WHEAT VARIETIES**

As farmers are beginning to make plans for planting another crop of wheat, some may wonder about which varieties are recommended for this area. The Extension and Research Agronomists have compiled the following recommended list of wheat varieties for dryland or irrigation: Centurk, Conecho, Eagle, Improved Triumph, Lancota, Lindon, Osage, Palo Verde, Nati, Sage, Scout 60, and Tascosa. These varieties are recommended only with irrigation: Caprock, Sturdy, TAM W-101, TAM W-103, Newton and Vona.

Wheat producers are faced with the problem of procuring good wheat seed.

Obtaining good wheat seed may be more difficult than usual this season as drought and disease have caused extreme shriveling and low test weight in most wheat. Good seed is an important aspect in the successful production of any crop.

It is very risky to plant wheat seed that is shriveled or damaged by fungus organisms that cause disease such as glume blotch and black point and loose smut. In such seed, the disease organisms are present in large numbers ready to attack the wheat, especially if it is subjected to heat, moisture or cold stress. Other diseases such as wheat streak mosaic and root rot are not seed borne.

When it is absolutely necessary to use seed that may be harboring disease organisms, thorough seed treatment with an effective labeled fungicide is essential.

If planting a field that produced diseased wheat the previous season, seed treatment will help to avoid problems, but may not eliminate the disease potential.

Plump healthy seed of an adapted variety is the ideal sought by successful producers. However, seed shriveled by drought can be used successfully in some situations if proper precautions are taken. Do not use shriveled seed where it is necessary to plant deep to reach adequate moisture for germination. Germination plus emergence from a three or four-

inch depth requires a lot of energy.

The reduced size of the endosperm in shriveled seed definitely limits the amount of energy stored in the form of carbohydrates and starch. Food reserves derived from the seed are necessary for germination, emergence and early growth of the seedling until sufficient leaves are formed to supply energy through photosynthesis. In semi-arid areas such as the High Plains, wheat is sometimes planted in dry soil in anticipation of rain at some later date. Shriveled seed is not well adapted to such situations because it lacks vigor and is more subject to disease invasion as well as insect damage. Even plump normal seed should be treated with a protective fungicide and insecticide.

Shriveled seed also presents a problem in determining the correct seeding rate for a desired stand. In a shriveled seed lot, a bushel by weight may contain twice as many seeds as a plump seed lot.

Under optimum conditions, even the most shriveled seed may produce a plant resulting in too thick a stand. On the other hand, if conditions are even slightly adverse many of the shriveled seeds may fail to germinate, resulting in a thin, uneven stand subject to weed competition and without potential for maximum yields.

Has your water bill reached astronomical proportions? Maybe an evaluation of your watering methods will result in more efficient use of the available water and at the same time reduce the amount you are using.

First, check your methods of application. There is no use applying water any faster than the soil will soak it up. If applied faster than this, the surplus will either run down the curb into the street or else flood out your neighbor.

Secondly, use a mulch wherever possible. A good mulch conserves moisture, prevents compaction, keeps soil temperature lower, reduces weed population and, in case weeds do get a start, allows for easier pulling.

Check the depth of the mulch material. Organic mulches tend to decompose or sometimes wash away, so frequent checks and replacement where necessary will help conserve moisture.

While night-time watering is conducive to development of plant diseases, water use efficiency does increase in the early morning and late evening when evaporation rates are lowest.

Last but by no means least is the practice of doing a thorough job of watering whenever the need arises. A thorough watering at 7-to-10-day intervals encourages deep root penetration and full use of the available soil moisture, just because plants wilt during the heat of the day doesn't mean the soil is dry. Check the moisture content with a soil probe or stake to determine if the soil is dry rather than depending on the appearance of the plant.

Regardless of the size of the water bill, don't stop watering completely as plants can die due to moisture shortage during periods of high temperature and high wind movement. Just try to use the precious resource as efficiently as possible.

**Road Improvement Meeting Set**

AMARILLO—An opportunity for interested citizens to discuss the need and suggested alternatives for the possible improvement to Farm to Market Road 750 (McCullough Street) from State Highway 273 west to U.S. 60 in Pampa will come Thursday night, September 7, 1978.

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation (DHT) will conduct a public meeting at 8 p.m. on September 7 in the Lamar Elementary School in Pampa to discuss with interested citizens the possible improvement to FM 750.

A. I. McKee, DHT Amarillo District Engineer, said current plans call for the 2 1/4 mile section of FM 750 to be reconstructed and widened along the existing route of the roadway. The road will be converted to a two-lane urban arterial street with parking lanes.

The street, now with a 20-foot wide asphalt pavement and 4-foot wide graded shoulders, is inadequately narrow and in poor condition. The proposed improvement calls for widening the roadway to a 49-foot wide back to back of curb and gutter city street, including two 12-foot wide traffic lanes and two 12-foot wide parking lanes.

In 1968, a Comprehensive Plan Report was prepared for the City of Pampa by Marvin Springer and Associates, Urban Planning Consultants of Dallas. The plan designates McCullough Street in Pampa as a major thoroughfare.

The Thoroughfare Plan, developed as a part of the Comprehensive Plan, develops a system of streets that will handle future traffic volumes efficiently. McCullough now carries from 1,200 to 1,700 vehicles daily. As the surrounding commercial and residential areas develop, the traffic volume is expected to increase along with the number of turning movements to and from the thoroughfare.

McKee said the proposed improvement will increase safety along FM 750 and provide a more efficient means of transporting people to and from farms, businesses and residences in this area.

**School Days Health Tips**

Schools days are at hand again for millions of American youngsters.

The American Medical Association once again reminds parents that there are health and safety considerations that are important in preparing the small fry for another nine months of studies.

The AMA recommends a thorough health examination for 5 and 6-year-olds entering school for the first time. Your physician will know what to do. His examination will cover all aspects of your child's health, and will include hearing (to make certain he can hear the teacher) and vision (to make sure he can see the blackboard). The doctor also will give any booster immunizations that might be required.

School boards in some communities require a health exam for beginning students. Many schools also require certain immunizations. Your doctor will know of the requirements of your neighborhood.

Most doctors feel that four or five thorough health examinations during the school years are sufficient for healthy youngsters.



Newt Barker holds five onions from his home garden, weighing a near-record 8 lbs., 11 oz. (Photo by Linda Haynes.)

**Lovett Memorial**

Library Notes

by LISA PATMAN  
McLean News Staff

**THE SINGING WIND BY Jennifer Wade**

This gothic novel centers around Deborah Bond, an independent author of popular mystery novels.

Summoned by a telegram from her Uncle Josiah, she arrives at his country estate, called the Secretts, only to find him dead—his weakened heart the victim of a bee's sting.

When the death turns out to be murder, Deborah finds herself suddenly surrounded by a mystery she feels compelled to solve.

One after another, Deborah's friends are revealed; her best friend Lavinia, discloses her engagement to the dead Josiah; her neighbor Sir Laurenceston

Powers, formerly one of Deborah's most ardent suitors, seems eager to be rid of her; and handsome, mysterious, Antony Strang announces that her Uncle Josiah had hired him as beestamer to the large colony of bees on the estate.

It is the bees that give the novel its name. Singing wind is the hum the contented bees make in the hive.

Just when Deborah thinks she has uncovered a clever criminal operation, solving the murder, an unexpected discovery leads the murderer at last into the open.

Pursued into the walled garden at the rear of the house, Deborah must look to Secrett's astonishing bees to save her.

"The Singing Wind" is available at Lovett Memorial Library.

**TREMENDOUS TRIFLES**

**THE LITTLE PIG THAT PRECIPITATED A BOUNDARY DISPUTE**

Layman Culver and the Irish farmer were merely concerned over the dead pig found rooting in the wrong potato patch but the little incident almost caused a war and the boundary line between Canada and the United States was settled. Here's the story:

In 1859, an Irishman found a pig rooting in his potato patch on the island of San Juan, which nestles peacefully among the blue waters of the Pacific just off the coast of Washington, near Vancouver, British Columbia.

The Irishman shot the intruder, whereupon the irate farmer who owned the pig, Layman Culver, an American, said he must be paid for it. The two men decided to let the court settle the question. "I'll take it to Britain's highest court," vowed the Irishman. "To Britain's highest court, indeed!" countered the American. "The American court will decide the matter. San Juan is American soil."

But even the courts of both countries found it hard to tell whether the island of San Juan was a part of British-owned Canada or of the United States. They learned that the boundary line between the two countries had been left entirely too vague concerning the small island just north of Puget Sound.

Feeling began to run high be-

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**IS YOUR RELIGION SHOWING?**

Would you like to be called a hypocrite? Silly question, isn't it? No one, in their right mind, would like to be called a hypocrite, but this is what one is if he is not what he claims to be. Those who claim to be religious, but conduct themselves to the contrary fool no one but themselves. The world calls them hypocrites!

Religion is a most precious commodity. IT SHOWS! One can be religious about many things which may or may not be according to the Bible, but whatever it is it can be seen. The Athenians, of Acts 17, were religious but not about the right thing. "And Paul stood in the midst of the Areopagus, and said, Ye men of Athens, in all things I perceive that ye are very religious" (Acts 17: 22ASV).

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3	0-6,810	6,810-10,630
4	0-8,110	8,110-12,660
5	0-9,310	9,310-14,530
6	0-10,510	10,510-16,400
7	0-11,600	11,600-18,100
8	0-12,690	12,690-19,290
9	0-13,680	13,680-21,330
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**FREE AND REDUCED PRICE ELIGIBILITY INCOME SCALE FOR McLEAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
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# LINES by LEM O'RICKK



I yearn for the advent of fall,  
Which heralds the start of football,  
Tigers, Sooners, and Hogs,  
Cowboys, Brochos, and Frogs...  
Glory be, folks, I yell for them all.

## McLean Briefs

Teresa and Floyd Laxton of Perryton visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bybee, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Haynes, David, Sheri, Morse, and Sam, and Mrs. Gladys Smith, and John C. Haynes vacationed in Ruidoso, N.M., last week-end.

Scott Raines, a freshman football player at Southwestern Oklahoma State University, completed three-a-day football workouts this week.

Joe and Kay Magee spent the night in Amarillo last week with their children as a reward to Dentry Zack for learning to swim.

Mr. and Mrs. Thacker Haynes visited Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ellison, Steve and Austin in Austin recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Stokes attended the Dallas-Houston

game Saturday night.

Jim Hathaway recently returned from a trip to Dallas where he visited with his son in Richardson, and attended a Dallas Cowboys football game. He saw the game between the Cowboys and the Oilers, and took a few glances at the Cowboys cheerleaders during slow moments in the game.

Jack and Margaret Shelton and Barney of Weatherford, Okla., visited in McLean this week. Shelton is a former editor of The McLean News.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Allison attended the wedding of her niece Charise Cullen to Craig Christian Saturday in Matador.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Charlotte Richardson of Dallas and Charles Cullen of Santa Fe, N.M. Cullen is a former editor of The McLean News.

Todd Allison was a candle-lighter in the wedding.

## QUOTABLE QUOTES

They never taste who always drink,  
They always talk who never think,  
.....Prior  
A sympathizer is a fellow that's always for you as long as it doesn't cost anything  
.....Fran Hubbard  
I kissed my first woman and smoked my first cigarette on the same day; I have never

had time for tobacco since,  
.....Arturo Toscanini  
The trouble with most folks isn't so much their ignorance as knowing so many things that ain't so,  
.....Josh Billings  
I never expected to see the day when girls would get sunburned in the places they do now,  
.....Will Rogers



Leading the Tigers this year are coaches Bill Coward, Vester Joiner, Jack Dorsett, and Joe Riley. (Photo by Linda Haynes.)

## ENERGY UPDATE

### Oil Tax Bites the Dust

President Carter's proposal to tax domestic crude oil—once considered the centerpiece of the administration's energy policy—is dead, according to congressional sources. They also say that Energy Secretary James Schlesinger has conceded the tax is being dropped for the year.

### Solar Industry is Cooling Down

The failure of Congress to pass legislation giving tax credits that would encourage the development of solar energy is threatening to destroy the budding solar industry, according to the organizer of this year's Sun Day.

Dennis Hayes, of the World Watch Institute, said consumers are holding back on buying solar air and water heating equipment waiting for Congress to pass a tax break, and in the meantime, he said, "We're killing an industry."

### Solar Behind Bars

The maximum security facility at Somers, Conn., will become the first prison in the nation to train convicts to sell, design and install solar energy equipment, skills they can use when they are released.

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Ruby Burroughs  
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Lena Pettit

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## News from Alanreed

The R. D. McLains were on vacation this week.

Visiting the Cletus Fish's is Mr. Fish's nephew, the son of her sister Kay of Pampa, Kay and her mother Mrs. L. P. Fort of Pampa also visited on Sunday.

Visiting the W. H. Davis family over the weekend was Mrs. Davis' cousin Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson and Mr. Ruby Lawson of Ponca City, Mr. and Mrs. John Davis and Rossie of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Mays, Dale and Donald of Panhandle.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis accompanied the cousins to Groom Friday where the rest of the family gathered at the home of Mrs. Ellen Stapp.

Visiting the J. A. Hill's during the weekend was granddaughters Judy and Rhonda Crow of Amarillo.

Polly Harrison was in Pampa on Wednesday for a medical check.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruce attended funeral services for James Brown at Claude Thursday. Mr. Brown was a cousin of Mr. Bruce.

Mrs. Jewel Warner entered High Plains Baptist hospital in Amarillo Monday for medical tests.

Mr. Tony Polito and son made a trip to California last week.

The Billy Campbells were in Amarillo last week to pick up their new car.

Dick Bode made a trip to California last week.

Visiting here over the weekend was the Eugene Worsham's of Amarillo.

## IT'S AMAZING!

**A SEATTLE BOTANIST HAS DISCOVERED A PLANT THAT EATS GRASS-HOPPERS AND HAS TO BE FED PIECES OF PORK SAUSAGES DURING THE WINTER. TO BE KEPT ALIVE!**

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