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Immunization Clinic Planned For McLean Students

The Texas Department of Health Resources will conduct an immunization clinic for all students of the McLean I. on April 21st and 22nd. On April 21 representatives of Texas Department of Health Resources will conduct tuberculin testing examination program for students in grades kindergarten through the twelfth. The man-test will be used. Representatives will return on April 23rd to check the results of the tuberculin test. On April 22 they will also provide immunization for Diphtheria, Tetanus, Measles, and Rubella. All students have been given a letter to come to their parents stating the requirements by the State of Texas concerning immunization. If your child has not met these requirements he can not be allowed to attend public school in the State of Texas. All parents are asked to check your child's health record and the advantage of this clinic. Before your child can take advantage of the free immunization you must sign the permission slip and return it to his principal. At one o'clock on April 21st the nurses will check vision and hearing of any child age 3-21. If you need to have a child checked for vision or hearing please contact Elinor Jefferson, 774-671.

VFW Auxiliary Meet April 20

Members of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars will meet in the Post room on April 20, at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of electing officers. This is most important. You are urged to attend. The State VFW convention will be held in Amarillo in June, sponsored by our District.

Easter Holiday

School was dismissed at 2:30 p.m. today to begin the Easter vacation for the students and teachers of McLean High School. They will be out of school on Monday, April 19th and Tuesday, April 20th. The vacation was cut short due to school being closed for the flu earlier this year.

Homer Jefferson Is Representative For Panhandle

Homer G. Jefferson, superintendent of McLean Public Schools, appeared as one of three panhandle representatives before the House Committee on Public Education on Monday, April 5, in San Angelo. The hearing came about as a result of House Speaker Bill Clayton's charging the Committee on Public Education with the responsibility of continuing the over view of agency programs for which monies were appropriated by the 64th Legislature. The over-view is to ensure that money spent under the general appropriations act is carried forward for the programs and purposes for which it is intended.

A special education committee subcommittee was created to study the value per dollar spent for students in the program and project cost to the state for this program.

Superintendent Jefferson shared his opinions on the special education program with 300 committee members as what the committee termed a "valuable testimony upon which to base the final recommendations of the subcommittee."

Jefferson was selected as a person "who possesses knowledge and expertise in the field of special education."

Several other hearings were held in various parts of Texas, San Angelo the site closest to the panhandle.

English Workshop To Begin April 20

The Third Annual Greenbelt English Workshop will feature Dr. Linda Robinson of Eastern New Mexico University as guest lecturer this year.

The English workshop will be held at Clarendon College on April 20 and will include several special sessions dealing in teaching English at the high school and college levels.

The workshop is open to all area English teachers and is under the direction of the language Division of Clarendon College. There is no charge for the workshop.

All interested persons should contact the college or write Mr. Ronnie Null, Chairman, Language Division, Clarendon College.

Hester Adams Former Resident Dies Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. Hester Leona Adams, 64, of Perryton, who died Monday, were held at 1 p.m. Tuesday at Northside Church of Christ in Perryton, with Delmar Delozier, minister, officiating. Burial was held at 5 p.m. at Rowe Cemetery of Hedley by Lamb Funeral Home.

Mrs. Adams was a native of Mount Pleasant and had been a resident of Perryton since 1968, moving there from McLean. She was a former employee of Ochiltree County Hospital and a member of Northside Church of Christ.

She is survived by four daughters, Miss Delia Faye Adams of Panhandle, Mrs. Leot Haire and Mrs. Iva May Cox, both of Perryton, and Mrs. Lou Mayfield of Tatum, N.M.; two sons, James of Amarillo and Earston of Perryton; her stepmother, Mrs. Jim Tidwell of Canyon; two half sisters, Mrs. Frances Satterwhite of Longview and Mrs. Almeda Voelm of Canyon; 10 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

4-H Scholarship To Be Given

The Gray County Home Demonstration Council has awarded their 1976 4-H Scholarship of \$300 to Elaine Webb of the Lefors 4-H Club. Elaine is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V.C. Webb of Mobeetie. She is a senior at Lefors High School.

The 4-H Scholarship is given to any 4-H Club member who has completed or is enrolled in their third year of 4-H club work and plans to enroll in college in the fall following graduation. They must submit a 4-H record book for judging.

Elaine has been an active 4-H Club Member for 10 years. Her projects have included Consumer Education, Leadership, Clothing, Food and Nutrition, Home Improvement, Horse, Child Care, Electricity just to name a few.

She has been an active junior leader and has received many awards including the Gold Star Award, Plains Key Award and trip to National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago.

Elaine plans to enroll in West Texas State University and major in Secretarial Science or Computer Programming.



MR. AND MRS. A. N. HARDMAN

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Hardman To Celebrate Their Fiftieth Anniversary

In honor of the Fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Hardman a reception is being held on Sunday, April 18 from 2 until 5 p.m. at the McLean Country Club.

Archie Namon Hardman and Blanche Wilma Dill were united in marriage in Wellington on April 16, 1926. They made their home in Collingsooth County until December 9, 1939 when they moved to Donley County in the Alanreed and McLean area. They moved to their present home in April 1945.

Mr. Hardman has

farmed and ranched most of his life, although he is semi-retired he is still engaged in farming in Donley county. They have lived the past 37 years on South Route, Alanreed. The Hardmans are members of the First Baptist Church in McLean.

Hosting the reception for the Hardmans is their daughter Dorothy Gibson of Amarillo and two granddaughters, Linda Gayle Gibson of Lomita, Calif. and Deborah Jo Gibson of Amarillo.

Track Teams Compete At Shamrock Meet

The Tigerette varsity and ninth grade track teams competed in the district track meet last Tuesday at Shamrock. The varsity won third place as a team while the ninth grade won second.

In the varsity division, Delinda Howard placed first and received a gold medal in long jump, high jump, and 80 yard hurdles, and placed second and received a silver medal in triple jump. Halcyon Back won second and a silver medal in the 100 yard dash; third and a bronze medal in

the 60 yard dash and tied for fifth place in long jump. Melinda Hunt received a gold medal in triple jump and a silver medal in the 440 yard dash. Tonue Hathaway received a silver medal for a tie in shot and won

C. C. To Present Spring Production

The Drama Department of Clarendon College will present its spring major production on April 29 and 30, 1976. Being presented is the three act play-out "The American Dame" by playwright Phillip C. Lewis. Production arrangements are licensed through Dramatists Play Service of New York City.

The Friday night performance will be the first activity of the 1976 Clarendon College Ex-Student Reunion. Curtain time for both performances will be 7:30 p.m. on Thursday and Friday nights, April 29 and 30, in the Harned Sisters Fine Arts Auditorium. Admission will be charged. Clarendon College students will be admitted on their student I.D. cards.

Baptist Youth To Take Trip

The Baptist Church is sponsoring a youth group that is going to Quartz Mountain this weekend for a retreat.

Quartz Mountain is in Oklahoma by Lake Altus. The group leaves Thursday afternoon and returns Saturday evening.

The students will stay in cabins on the lake.

The students going are Becky Henley, Janet Smith, Lela Skipper, Cynthia Morris, Melinda Hunt, Maridale and Sherry Glass, Leisa Gable, Jeree Boyd, Terri Rollison, Carolyn Baily, Marshall Hanes, Gary Danner, Randy Kennedy, Roger Myers and Curtis Simpson. Others going on the trip are Joe Osborn and Mick Jobert. Sponsors are Mike and Nancy Gray, Jane Simpson, Troy and Jerri Corbin, John and Jeannie Kirby, and Rev. and Mrs. Herman Bell.

fifth place in discus. Jeanette Brown placed fifth in the 100 yard dash and 20 yard dash. The 440 yard relay team, consisting of Delinda Howard, Melinda Hunt, Jeanette Brown, and Halcyon Back, finished in fourth place.

In the ninth grade division, Jamie Trew won first in triple jump, 270 yard dash, tied for first in long jump and won second in 100 yard dash. Terri Rollison placed first in high jump, second in the 80 yard hurdles, and fourth in long jump.

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News From LANREED

Funeral services were held Thursday in Stigler, Oklahoma for C. C. Warford, Baptist minister and former editor of the Alanreed Herald here and the newspaper at Lefors for several years. Warford was 92 years old.

Mrs. Robert Bruce was in Pampa on Monday at the Bob Bruces. Polly Harrison hosted a cosmetic party last Friday afternoon at her home with a representative from Amarillo demonstrating. After the demonstration Mrs. Harrison served refreshments to Lucy Goldston, Lucille Keller, Jackie Worsham, representative Ann Reding and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Worsham attended the funeral of Mrs. Worsham's cousin, Mrs. Alam Dunkle Meek, in Pampa Monday. Mrs. Meek was a niece of Mrs. Frank Crisp. Mrs. Meek's sisters, Mrs.

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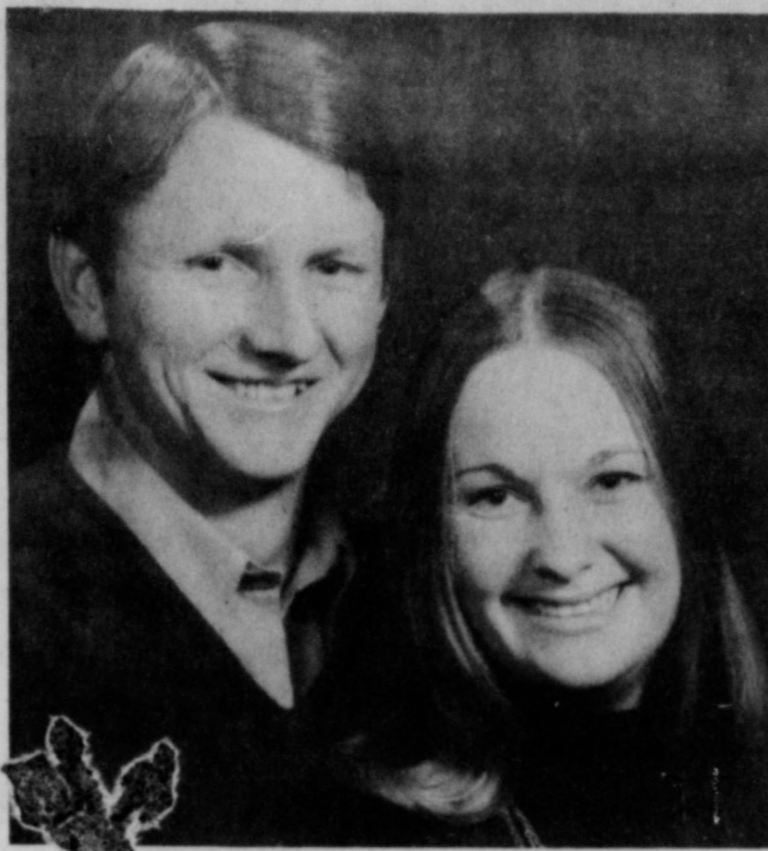
Bessie Lee Pugh Funeral Service Held Today

Funeral services for Mrs. Bessie Pugh, 57, who died Tuesday were held at 3 p.m. Thursday (today) in the First Baptist Church with Rev. Herman Bell, pastor, and Rev. Bill Rushing of Samnorwood, officiating. Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery by Lamb Funeral Home.

Mrs. Pugh was a native of Wewoka, Okla. and moved to McLean from Kellerville in 1950. She was married to Clifford Pugh in 1935 in Pampa.

Mrs. Pugh was a member of First Baptist Church.

She is survived by her husband; a daughter, Mrs. Cinda Johnston of Amarillo; five brothers, Ed and Elzie Campbell of Shamrock, Jerry of Ninnekah, Okla., and Billy and Bob, both of Amarillo; three sisters, Mrs. Alice Woods of Odessa, Mrs. Mary Terry of McLean and Mrs. Jane Long of Houston; and three grandchildren.



Miss Laura Sorelle and James Ray Harkins

Laura Sorelle and James Ray Harkins Announce June 5th Wedding Plans

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Sorelle of Amarillo are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Laura Janet, to James Ray Harkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Harkins of McLean.

The wedding has been set for June 5 in the First Presbyterian Church of Amarillo.

The bride elect has a B.S. Degree in Ag Business and Economics at West Texas State University and is presently working on her Masters degree. She was outstanding senior in Agricultural Business and

economics. She was an Ag Honorary and in Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. She is presently employed as a secretary and bookkeeper for Ag. Business Department at W.T.S.U.

Harkins, a senior at West Texas State University, is a past state vice president of FFA and president of WTSU Block and Bridle Club of which he is a member. He is presently a partner in Bori Lac Dairy.

Jr. Class To Sponsor Jubilee

The Junior Class anticipates a busy Saturday, April 24, as they sponsor a Derby Town Jubilee and Cowboy supper.

The supper will precede jubilee activities beginning at 5:00 p.m. and lasting until 7:00 p.m. in the McLean Cafeteria. Menu will consist of calf fries, tator tots, salad, dessert, and coffee or tea.

Advance tickets for the jubilee can be purchased next week.

Randy Mantooth Resident's Brother Buried In McLean

Funeral services for Randy A. Mantooth, 54, of Arlington, were held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Bethel Assembly of God Church in Arlington, with Rev. Charles E. Savage, officiating. Graveside services were held at 1:30 p.m. Thursday (today) in Hillcrest Cemetery in McLean.

Born in DeLeon, he died in a Arlington hospital on Monday. He was a former resident of Amarillo, before moving to Arlington in 1965. He was supervisor for Central Freight Lines. He was a veteran of World War II and a member of Bethel Assembly of God Church in Arlington.

He is survived by his wife Ruth; two daughters, Mrs. Judy Morrow of Spring and Mrs. Linda Boothe of Columbus, Georgia; mother, Mrs. Mary Mantooth of Weatherford, Okla.; two brothers, Wayne of El Paso and Odell of McLean; and four grandchildren.

Students Take Achievement Tests

The freshman and junior classes took Iowa Tests of Educational Development Achievement test Monday. The test lasted four and one-half hours.

This test was given to see how McLean's student body compares in education with other schools.

This test is made up of reading, language arts, mathematics, social studies, science and use of sources.

Miss Gillispie and Mr. Reynolds gave the test to the freshman class and Mrs. Haynes gave the test to the junior class.

Mrs. Roy Brown and Mrs. Doyl Beckham of Pampa and Mrs. Claude Schaffer visited in McLean one day last week.



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Sobering Thoughts For Parents

It has been estimated that from the time a child is born until he graduates from high school that he will spend one hundred five thousand hours.

From the time he starts in the first grade until he graduates from high school, if this child is taken or sent to Bible school every week, he will spend about twenty-one hundred hours in Bible school.

However, during these one hundred five thousand hours, parents have him under their direct care and supervision for approximately one hundred ninety-three thousand hours.

If a child is lost to the Lord, parents are more to blame than either school teachers or Bible school teachers because the parents have him so much longer than these others.

God placed a great responsibility upon the home and he said, "And, ye fathers, provoke not your children to wrath; but bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord." (Eph. 6:4)

At this age when respect for authority is the cry of so many lips, may Christian parents remember that discipline begins in the home. When parents fail to teach their children to respect authority in the home, it is hard for teachers to remake the child.

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Keith Gipson On Dean's Honor Roll

Keith Gibson has been named to the Dean's Honor Roll at Trinidad State College for the winter semester.

Keith is a freshman student and obtained a 4.0 grade point average on 20 credit hours of study.

Keith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gipson of McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith have just returned from a vacation trip to Houston and Galveston. They fished for a week in L.B.J. Lake.

Jane Craig of Fort Sumner, N.M. and Mrs. Vida Byerly and husband Monroe of Gary, Ind. are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crisp, Mr. and Mrs. Worsham and Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Burr.

Young At Heart Have Meetings

The Young at Heart Club met on Friday and Saturday nights to play 42 and 88. The following members attended one or both nights. Ruby Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reeves, Fidelle Stubbs, Raymond Lane, Minnie Freeman, Bertha Smith, Vela Corcoran, Ruby Tibbetts, Lena Freeman, Verna Dorsey, May Chilton, Ruth Saye, Pete Rice, Oscar Tibbetts, Mr. and Mrs. Enloe Crisp, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCracken, Ed Haynes, Myrt McCoy and Pete Evans.

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Two Forward, Two Backward... A Lamb By Its Own Name... Red Meat Production Up More Than A Fourth.

There's good news and bad news for agriculture producers in the latest report on crop and livestock prices. The good news is that crop prices showed some advance during the past month, and the bad news is that livestock prices showed a decline.

Putting it in percentage points, crop prices are up 2 per cent; livestock prices are down 2 per cent.

Grain prices, including wheat, corn, oats, barley and sorghum, showed some increase during March as compared with a month earlier. But only one of the grains, oats, is above parity. Wheat averaged \$3.68 per bushel, up 2 cents from a month ago; oats averaged \$1.74 compared to parity of \$1.60. Sorghum averaged \$4.23, up a dime from a month ago but still \$1.25 below parity.

Cotton averaged 47.8 cents per pound during March in the state. This is 4.7 cents above a month ago, but still almost 30 cents per pound below parity.

In the livestock price picture, hogs averaged \$43.30, down \$1.60 from a month ago. Beef cattle averaged \$31.70, down a dollar. Calf prices, however, are up \$1.40 from a month ago averaging \$33.20 (but still 50 per cent below parity). Sheep are above parity averaging \$19.40 with the parity ratio set at \$16.40. Lambs averaged \$54.20; this value is almost \$8 above a month ago.

Overall, farm parity dipped another two points. As of the middle of March it stood at 70; a year ago at this time it was 69; a month ago it was 72.

LAMB WILL BE IDENTIFIED as such to distinguish it from yearling mutton and mutton.

All this goes into effect May 2 under the federal grading program. On all federally graded lamb carcasses and wholesale cuts, the word "Lamb" will appear intermittently between the shield-shaped U.S. Department of Agriculture grade marks.

The change is being made as a result of producer requests to identify lamb better and thus facilitate its marketing. Lamb is becoming more popular among consumers. This fact, coupled with better markets for wool and mohair, is giving the sheep and goat industry its best profit prospects in many years.

RED MEAT PRODUCTION in Texas shows a 28 per cent increase from a month ago, the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service notes.

Red meat production during the first two months of the year in Texas totaled 583 million pounds; this amount compares with 458 million pounds a year ago.

Slaughter of cattle totaled 472,000 head during February, 102,000 higher than a year ago and 47,000 lower than the previous month. The calf kill was 41,500 head, which is 8,000 more than a year ago.

Hog slaughter totaled 79,500, down 28,500 compared to a year ago.

Janet, Wesley and David Trout visited Sunday with Susie Trout.

Mrs. Luther Petty received the message of the death of Hershel H. Billingsley Wednesday of last week. He was survived by his wife and son Milton of Amarillo and a daughter of Little Rock, Ark. Burial was in Dallas on Saturday.

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10 YEARS AGO
Army Pvt. John Glass, son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Glass, was assigned to the 7th Infantry Division in Korea.

A bridal shower honoring Miss Marilyn Magee, bride elect of Gerald Money of Bonham, was held April 6 in the parlor of the Methodist Church.

The McLean High School golf team, composed of Pat Windom, Joel McCarty, Terry Hugg, Dick Back and Mike Simpson, tied Memphis High School for first place honors.

20 YEARS AGO
David Crockett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Crockett, was high point man and named most outstanding athlete.

Becky Barker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barker of McLean, was elected winner of the Lions Club beauty contest.

Craig Fuller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fuller, was honored Friday 13 with a birthday party at his home.

30 YEARS AGO
J.D. Tedder has sold his laundry to W. T. Moore.

Tip Mooney is the new athletic coach at McLean High School.

A good rain amounting to .51 of an inch on the official gauge fell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M.W. Burcham have bought the County Line Filling Station, Cafe, and Tourist Court.

40 YEARS AGO
A small cyclone formation appeared between McLean and Lefors, on the Dial Fanch, Wednesday afternoon.

At a recent business meeting of the First Baptist Church, it was voted to rebuild the sidewalk at the south side of the church and set evergreens and shrubbery. The city drug store has installed a private branch telephone exchange connected with every doctor's office in town.

50 YEARS AGO
With the exception of last year, there will be a larger class of graduates from the McLean High School this term than ever before.

The new four cylinder, super-deisel engine recently installed at the city light and power plant was started up last week and is now taking its share of the load.

C.H. White of Groom has bought the Western Lumber Co.

Beta Sigma Phi Has Meeting

The Beta Sigma Phi sorority met Tuesday, April 6. President Evelyn Shaw called the meeting to order with members repeating the opening ritual.

After a short business session, Becky Throckmorton presented the program titled "A Woman Speaks." Marie Baker then spoke on "What Need to be Done" followed by the closing ritual.

Among other items on the calendar, the Beta Sigma Phi recently celebrated its first anniversary. Lois Parker, Linda McDonald, and Sonie Heasley were hostesses for the occasion. Refreshments were served to Naomi Ashcraft, Nancy Billingsley, Evelyn Shaw, Mary Lou Glass, Martha Mears, Wanda Reynolds, Jean Smith, Linda Smith, Shirley Stokes, Marie Baker, Jacque Gillispie, and new members, Ann Turpen and Frankie Smith.

Highlights of the celebration were the exchanging and revealing of secret sisters. A nice time was enjoyed by all.

Those from the Baptist Church who attended an associational meeting at Clarendon on Thursday night were: Rev. and Mrs. Herman Bell, Dr. and Mrs. A.C. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Barker, Mrs. Howard Williams, Mrs. Mike Gray and Mrs. Luther Petty.

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FBLA To Elect New Officers

Monday evening, April 12, the Future Business Leaders of America met to nominate their officers for 1976-77 and to see a film.

The members nominated for president were Lela Skipper and Scott Haynes; vice-president: Rose Dwyer; Secretary: Cherrie Billingsley and Natalie Morris; Treasurer: Jeree Boyd and Cindy Sherrod; Historian: Gina Layne and Parliamentarian: Carter Trew and Sam Haynes. These people will campaign in the near future in front of the student body.

June 17, the project committee which is Halcyon Back, Betty Holmes, Roger Myers, Lela Skipper, Scott Haynes, Glenn Oldham, Rose Dwyer, and Cindy Sherrod; Natalie Morris which is Texas state secretary and their sponsor Mrs. Jan Johnson will travel to Washington D.C. for the national F.B.L.A. convention. They watched a film about Washington D.C.

Golf Team Places Ninth in Relays

Last Friday the McLean High School golf team participated in the Amarillo Relays. Our regional qualifiers ended up placing 9th overall. The scores were as follows: Sam Haynes 90, Morse Haynes 92, Gary Danner 97 and Dean Trew shot 105.

Tennis Teams Go To Wellington

Last Wednesday and Thursday the tennis teams of McLean High School traveled to Wellington for the District Tennis Tournament. In the first round of girls division Gina Layne beat Shamrock and Jeree Boyd lost to Clarendon in singles. In doubles Terri Henley and Betty Holmes defeated the Wellington team. For the boys' first round in doubles Billy Terry and Ricky Lowery beat Clarendon and Gary Danner and Dean Trew were defeated by the Wellington team. The second round for the boys and girls were held on Thursday.

Seniors Begin Last Six Weeks

Monday, the seniors began the final six weeks of school. As of yet, hardly any of the seniors regret their coming departure from school, but we give them until the last days of school.

The last day of school for the seniors will be Thursday, May 20. The baccalaureate service is set for Sunday 23, at 8:00 p.m. in the high school auditorium. Also in the auditorium on May 25, at 8:00 p.m. will be graduation.



Cookbooks, along with Bibles, were among the earliest books printed and still outsell any other kind of books.

Jr. High Girls Go To Track Meet

The McLean Jr. High girls, the 8th district champs, were high scores in a track meet recently. The towns scored as follows: McLean 107, Shamrock, 104, Claude 97, Wheeler, 18, Silvertown, 11, Clarendon 87, Wellington 40.

In the 60 yard dash Sally Haynes was 1st and Ann Skipper was 4th.

In the 100 yard dash Ann Skipper was 4th. In the 100 yard dash Joy Rhine was 2nd; 220 yard dash Judy Trew was 1st; 440 yard dash Jill Trew was 3rd.

In the 80 yard dash Joy Rhine was 3rd, shot putt Letha Estes was 6th; Broad Jump Joy Rhine was 2nd and Ann Skipper was 4th; high jump Joy Rhine was 4th; triple jump Judy Trew was 2nd and Ann Skipper was 3rd.

The 440 relay team, Ann Skipper, Sally Haynes, Judy Trew and Joy Rhine got 2nd. The 880 relay team Ann Skipper, Sally Haynes, Judy and Jill Trew got a 1st.

Other participants were Elaine Bentley, Rita Jefferson, Phyllis Marsh, Beth Smitherman and Tammy Smith.

Rodeo Members Participate In Claude Rodeo

Members of the McLean High School Rodeo Club participated in the Claude High School Rodeo recently. Jim Bond rode bulls; David calves and tie down calves; Delinda Howard rode steers and was in barrel racing; Van Horn rode barebacks; Greg Henley roped ribbon calves, tie down calves; Dale Steel roped ribbon calves, tie down calves and team roped with Greg Henley. Kelly Moore was in the barrel racing.

Delinda Howard tied for third place in the steer riding. She won the flip of the coin for the buckle.

The stock was furnished by Jones Martin of Spearman.

The next rodeo will be at Spearman today, Friday and Saturday.



Tennis Teams Play At Wellington

Last Wednesday and Thursday the tennis teams of McLean High School traveled to Wellington for the District Tennis Tournament. In the first round of the girls division Gina Layne beat Shamrock and Jeree Boyd was defeated by Clarendon in the singles competition.

In the doubles Terri Henley and Betty Holmes defeated the Wellington team and Cindy Sherrod and Rose Dwyer were defeated by Silvertown.

In the first round of boy's division Morse Haynes beat Clarendon and Sam Haynes was defeated by Memphis.

In the doubles Billy Terry and Ricky Lowery won against Clarendon and Gary Danner and Dean Trew were beaten by Wellington.

The second round of the girls and boys divisions were held Thursday. In the singles Gina Layne was beaten by Silvertown and Terri Henley and Betty Holmes were beaten by Memphis.

In singles for the boys Morse Haynes lost against Wellington and Billy Terry and Ricky Lowery were beaten by Memphis.

In the freshmen division Steve Ellison and Jeff Price lost in the singles. Terri Rollison

Seniors Study Greek Mythology

The seniors of McLean High have started a unit on Greek Mythology in their English

won second in the singles and La Donna Keeton was beaten in the singles. Chuck Pierce and Randy Stewart lost in the doubles.

class. This unit will last for the next three weeks. The seniors will be studying about the gods and the parallels between mythology and the Bible.

The seniors are enjoying hearing the stories because they are full of adventure and each senior is still just a little bit of a kid at heart.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman L. Petty of Abilene visited with his mother, Mrs. Luther Petty Saturday.

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PART time help wanted at Cowboy Drive Inn. 16-2c

NEED summer mowing done; Call Mike Smith at 779-2656. 16-2c

WANTED tree trimming and topping. Call 779-2348. 15-2p

BULLDOZING Work wanted. Britt Hathaway, 779-2585. 24-tfc

CARD OF THANKS

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I want to thank everyone who was so kind to me during my stay in the hospital. I especially want to thank the doctors and nurses and hospital staff for the fine care I received. Also I enjoyed all the cards, flowers, visits and gifts. Marie Reeves

We would like to express our thanks to Dr. Fabian and Dr. Wood, complete nursing staff for the great care and love they gave our mother and to all the wonderful friends for their love, prayers, visits, flowers, cards, and delicious food. Thanks very much. The Ruth Garvin Family



WTSU---Lining up for the bicycle race, which was part of the recent Greek Week activities at West Texas State University, are (left to right) Mary Schwarz, Roswell, N.M., freshman; Kathy McNaney, Hereford sophomore; Linda Welch, Burk Burnett freshman; Susan Houpt, Burk Burnett sophomore; Judy Austin, Midland sophomore; Susan Elliott, El Paso freshman; and Melba Stooksberry, McLean sophomore. Nancy Barrett, Hereford sophomore, won the women's singles race. Proceeds from the race will go to the Canyon Bicentennial Committee for future landscape projects at Palo Duro Hospital. Miss Stooksberry is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stooksberry of McLean.

Free Transportation Is Available

Anyone who is a Medicaid card holder may get free medical transportation by contacting someone at the senior citizens building. It is located at 112 N. Main and the phone number is 779-2267.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NO TRESPASSING and no hunting. Trespassers will be prosecuted. Rob Kachelhoffer, 4 miles east of McLean. 13-12p

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

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We want to thank everyone for all the food, flowers, cards, telephone calls and kindness during the loss of our sister, Ruth Garvin.

We also want to thank everyone for being so nice to Lloyd, Gladys, & Ohmer Smulcer

I want to thank the McLean Fire Department and all others that helped put out the fire in my pasture last Sunday. Ruth Caudill

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Study Club Meets In Hambright Home

The Alanreed Twentieth Century Study Club met Thursday, April 8 in the home of Larue Hambright with Marjorie Fish as co-hostess. The business meeting was conducted by the president Lucille Keller.

A very interesting program on arts and crafts was presented by Judy Easton. Crafts made by the members were displayed.

Following the program refreshments were served. Present for the meeting were Mesdames Barbara Hambright, Fiddelle Stubbs, Ada Simmons, Mary Ellen McClellan, Nola Crisp, Laura Cupell, Judy Easton, Lucy Goldston, Larue Hambright, Lucille Keller, Sofrona Pettit, Marjorie Fish and Tony Hambright.

FBLA To Sponsor A Car Wash

Future Business Leaders of America will be sponsoring a car wash all day Monday, April 19 at Joe Billingsley's Mobil station and Dale Glass' Phillips 66 station.

The FBLA's will give your car a thorough cleaning inside and out and pick up and deliver your car if desired. Contact Betty Holmes 779-2234, Cindy Sherrod 779-2946, Lela Skipper 779-2216, or Rose Dwyer 779-2128, and make arrangements to have your car cleaned.

Proceeds will go toward the trip to the FBLA National Convention in Washington D.C. in June. The students earned the privilege after winning the state title with their bicentennial project.

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APRIL 19
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Mark Elson Rice
APRIL 20
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Fred Smith
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APRIL 21
Larry Lee Back
Laura Mae Switzer
Earl Riley
APRIL 22
Mrs. Clifford Allison
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Ed Cunningham

Market Report

Some Texas grocery stores are displaying fruits imported from South America, including grapes, pears and nectarines, but prices are very high since the consumer pays not only for the fruit, but also for transportation of the fruit. Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt reported.

Currently, best fruit values, pricewise, are grapefruit, oranges, apples, bananas and pineapples.

Mrs. Clyatt is a consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Good values also will be found on ground beef rib steak, round steak and liver.

Other grocery store features currently include processed tomato products, canned cling peaches, tuna fish and peanut butter.

Karey Johnson of Amarillo is visiting her grandmother Susie Trout this week.

Mr. J.P. Elms of Lubbock was in McLean on business one day last week.

Political Announcements

Political announcements appearing in this column are subject to the action of the Democratic primary May 1, 1976. All announcement fees must be paid in advance.

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NEWS

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The alfalfa weevil is a pest of alfalfa that becomes active in early spring after having overwintered as adults in the crown of alfalfa plants and in trash left in the field, or, as eggs in the old alfalfa stem.

The adult weevil is a snout beetle about 1/4 inch long, light brown with a dark stripe running about halfway down the back from the head. Older weevils may be much darker in coloration. Eggs are bright lemon yellow when first laid and are deposited in masses in stems.

The newly hatched larvae are approximately 1/20 of an inch long and are cream colored with a shiny black head. Mature larvae are about 3/8 inch long, dark green, and possess a white to yellowish-white stripe down the middle of the back paralleled by two faint white stripes on each side. Pupae are usually attached to the dead leaves of the lower third of the plant and adults emerge from the pupae in one to two weeks.

Generally only one generation of alfalfa weevils are produced each growing season. As the overwintered weevils become active in early spring, females lay eggs in clusters in the stems of the alfalfa. These eggs hatch in one to two weeks in warm weather. The newly hatched larvae feed within the plant tips of opening upper leaves and then the lower foliage, skeletonizing the leaves. They are most

TRACK MEET
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Robin Smith won first in 80 yard hurdles, third in discus, and fourth in shot. Sherry Swaner won first in the 440 yard dash and third in the 100 yard dash. Kara Daniels placed fifth in the 60 yard dash and fifth in long jump. The 440 yard dash relay team won second place, the team consisting of Kelly Moore, Robin Smith, Sherry Swaner, and Kara Daniels won second.

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numerous from the time plants are about six inches tall until early flower bud stage.

Damage by the alfalfa weevil first appears greenish-gray and the damaged leaves dry rapidly and the field takes on a grayish-white cast. Once a field becomes infested with the weevil, damage usually occurs year after year.

The first cutting should be made when most plants are in the bud stage as clean and close as possible to deprive larvae of food and shelter.

Frequent observations in several locations in a field are necessary to determine if and when insecticides should be applied. An insecticide treatment is usually necessary when 25 to 30% of the terminals show damage or if 25 or more larvae per square foot are found.

The application rate should be from 15-20 gallons of spray per acre where ground equipment is used and at least two gallons per acre when application is made by airplane.

For details on recommended insecticides and harvest intervals after application, you can call the county extension office, 669-7479.

One way of making nutrients available to plants gradually is to apply time release fertilizers.

Time-release fertilizers are plastic coated pills, tablets or other special packages containing essential soil nutrients that dissolve into the soil gradually when moisture penetrates the plastic coating. The warmer and more moist the soil is, the faster the pill disintegrates and releases nutrients.

One advantage time-release fertilizers have over other types of fertilizer is that they are easier to apply to the soil. Since these fertilizers become available over a period of months or even years, fewer applications are required.

In addition, there is less leaching with time-release fertilizers and less chance of root burning.

Time-release fertilizers are used mostly on potted plants and to a lesser extent with trees and shrubs.

Grass Seedings Improve Forage Production

Grass seedings have greatly improved forage production on many ranches in Gray County. Pasture plantings of various grasses, such as Lovegrass and Tall Fescue, have not only increased the carrying capacity of many acres but has also provided excellent protection for soils against wind and water erosion. Range seedings on many brush infested lands and other poor condition rangelands have helped to return the land to its optimum natural cover. Range seedings, like pasture plantings, also protect the land from erosion while increasing its carrying capacity.

Pasture plantings can increase the annual carrying capacity of an acre of land from 20 acres per animal unit to as high as 1 acre per animal unit yearly as is the case with irrigated Fescue Pastures. Pasture plantings basically strive to establish a 100% stand of a highly productive qua-

lity forage. Although, pasture plantings greatly increase forage production, it is essential that intensive management practices be applied for the stand to survive and continue optimum production. Such practices include fertilizer application, weed control, grazing management, fencing, and in some cases irrigation. Pasture plantings generally require a greater investment per acre as opposed to range seedings, although gross receipts are also generally greater with pasture plantings.

Range seedings basically strive to restore the land to its optimum natural cover. Generally a mixture of grasses native to the particular site are planted and establishment of the stand as a rule is slower than pasture plantings. The advantage of a range seeding over a pasture planting is that it generally does not require intensive management practices to maintain a good stand. Range seedings will generally maintain a strong stand with proper grazing management.

Range seedings and pasture plantings both establish quicker and last longer if planted into a well prepared seedbed. Many ranchers often plant a sorghum or small grain crop on acres to be seeded to help prepare the seedbed, eliminate brush and weeds, and build up a moisture supply in the soil. When a cover crop is planted prior to seeding, it should be close spaced, on the contour, and the stubble should stay on

the ground as long as possible to prevent wind and water erosion. Occasionally seedings can be drilled directly (in to) the standing stubble. Many pasture plantings were established in 1975. Gene Hall established about 300 acres of Lovegrass last spring to complement his grazing program on adjoining rangeland. Bill Graham, and James Johnston also planted a great deal of

Lovegrass last spring. Gene Hall was the landowner known to establish range seedings in Gray County last Spring. Gene got an excellent stand of a native mixture of Sand Bluestem, Indian Grass, Switchgrass and Sideoat

grama. The Soil Conservation Service is available to provide individual assistance in planning grass seedings on your land.

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