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## Farmers Talk of Protest Vote, then Oppose Quota

### COUNTY ASC COMMITTEEMAN GIVES EXPLANATION ON HOW COTTON ALLOTMENT WAS FIGURED FOR US

The following article was prepared for publication by Roy Hickman, ASC county committeeman, explaining why Cochran County's cotton allotment area was cut for 1957 — Editor's Note

**COTTON ALLOTMENTS IN 1955**  
The 1955 cotton allotment for the county was based on the cotton acreage for 1948, 1952, 1953, & 1954. The county allotment history for these years is as follows:

1948	85,000 acres
1950	72,894 acres
1951	145,000 acres
1952	87,000 acres
1953	158,223 acres

The 1955 computed cotton allotment for the county was 70,561 acres. The acreage allotted for adjustment in trends and hardship cases was 10,018; total county allotment for 1955, 80,579 acres. An additional 71 acres was allocated to the county for small farms (15 acres or less). The reserve allocated to the county for trend and hardship cases amounted to 14.2 percent of the county allotment.

**COTTON ALLOTMENTS IN 1956**  
The 1956 cotton allotment for the county was based on the cotton acreage for 1950, 51, 52, 53 and 54. The county allotment history for these years is as follows:

1950	72,894 acres
1951	145,000 acres
1952	87,000 acres
1953	158,223 acres
1954	86,753 acres

The 1956 computed cotton allotment for the county was 69,730 acres. The acreage allotted for adjustments in trends and hardship cases was 5,221; total county allotment for 1956, 74,951 acres. An additional 53 acres was allocated to the county for small farms (15 acres or less). The reserve allocated to the county for trend and hardship cases amounted to 7.5 percent of the county allotment.

The county received an additional allotment of 200 acres from the State Reserve before planting time. and this acreage was used to make other adjustments for hardship cases.

### Plan Meetings To Explain Further Details

Meetings will be held in the near future in the different communities in the county to discuss the 1957 cotton allotments; 1957 ACP; Acreage Reserve, Conservation Reserve, and Soil Bank. It was announced this week by a member of the ASC Committee.

Dates of the meetings will be announced later.

### Nativity Scene Is Erected By Camp Fire Group

The Chehalo Camp Fire Girls, as they have in the past, erected the Nativity scene on the square, Tuesday.

The scene was erected, complete with a new stable provided by the Higginbotham - Bartlett Lumber Co., on the southeast corner of the courthouse lawn. The girls offered their thanks to Willingham Feed and Seed store for the hay; to G. G. Nesbitt for the greenery, and to Higginbotham - Bartlett.

Figures for the scene have been bought by several groups and organizations, though the L'Allegro first had the idea and have probably collected the most money for the expensive, life size statuette.

### 78 to 76 Balloting Against Use of Marketing Quotas on Cotton Is Seen By Most Observers As Protest Against Cotton Allotment Cut

By a two-vote majority Tuesday Cochran County cotton growers expressed their opposition to the current cotton marketing allotment quotas program as it effects them.

The referendum voting followed close on the heels of a call meeting of the Cochran Cotton Growers Association Monday night which saw Willard Cox, president of the group, ask cotton farmers to cast a "protest no" vote in Tuesday's referendum.

The "protest vote" idea originated among cotton producers here following the announcement last week that Cochran County will receive a cut in cotton allotted acres for 1957 planting of more than 700 acres.

At the same time it was announced that all neighboring Texas counties would receive additional cotton allotment acres ranging from 2,000 to 13,000 acres.

Tuesday's voting, as reported by Mrs. Ruth McGee, head of the local ASC office, resulted in 76 votes for the allotment quota program and 78 against with no votes challenged.

**MONDAY NIGHT MEETING**  
Between 90 and 100 men, including farmers, ginners, and businessmen, attended Monday night's meeting of the growers' association held in the county activities building.

The meeting began with Cox explaining the cotton planting history of the county as recorded for acreage allotment figures.

Some other farmers joined in presenting ideas as to the cause for the allotment cut — ranging from farmers' lack of interest in reporting planted cotton acres, to weak representation in Washington, D. C.

### SAVE GIN TICKETS

Tabby Holloman, Country Club ginner, joined with Carl Griffith, Griffith ginner and farmer, in

urging farmers to look ahead to the time when they will possibly be working about 100-pound history rather than acre history.

Griffith urged every cotton farmer to place his current and past year's gin tickets in a safe place, saying, "they will prove your production" when farmers begin working about pounds per acre yield.

**COUNTY RESERVE VOTE**  
Just before the meeting adjourned, Cox passed out slips of paper asking each cotton grower to write on it whether he favored the county ASC committee reserving almost 3 per cent of the county's allotted acres for new farms and hardship cases. Or, if they didn't favor that, writing down the figure they desired. He said he wished the information to guide him as president of the organization.

After the papers were collected Cox was asked to make the result public then and there.

The count by two farmers present showed none 35, 1 per cent 23 votes, 5 per cent 8, and more 2 votes.

A later check with nine additional ballots turned up a total of 37

### NEW GROWERS DEFENDED

During the discussion regarding new cotton growers, one new grower said that without such a program "a man would have to inherit cotton acres to become or be a cotton farmer."

Cox explained that he did not oppose such a program as long as the new allotted acres were made available from national or state rather than from within the county.

In pointing out the work accomplished by the growers association this year, Cox said he felt that the organization was definitely active in securing better cotton grades for area farmers this year.

In discussion of the low 1952 reported Cochran cotton acres, Cox said that committees going to state and national levels requesting adjustment for drought conditions that year were told "52 is water under the bridge."

One member of the audience spoke up to say that a Washington, D. C., official had told Cochran County farmers in an open meeting here that the year 1952 would not be used to compute cot-

### HI-JACKER NABBED; AFTER LONG CHASE, WILD RIDE, ACCIDENT

Sheriff Hazel Hancock and City Patrolman James Hicks had one of their wildest rides, perhaps one of their narrowest escapes, and one of their meekest arrests, Tuesday as they nabbed, for Littlefield,

34 year old Omer Buford Rodgers, wanted for hijacking.

Charges are expected to be filed in Littlefield today, according to the Lamb County officers, Rodgers, who hails from Alabama, Tennessee and Michigan, has already admitted holding up at pistol point Buck Ross of Littlefield, at Ross' home, hijacking him out of \$375

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### Kelly Rites Held Here

Funeral services were held at the Morton Church of Christ at 10 a.m. Wednesday for Mrs. S. C. Kelly, 62, former resident of Morton for many years, who died at a hospital in Winters, Monday. She had been in ailing health for some time.

O. H. Tabor, Lubbock minister presided and burial was in the Morton Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Singleton Funeral Home.

She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Mrs. Kelly and husband, married in 1911, moved their family to Morton in 1921. He retired from farming a couple of years ago.

Survivors include the husband, three sons, Larry, of Sweetwater, Samuel Jr., and Ruel, both of Morton; two daughters, Mrs. B. L. Bassett, DeLeon; and Mrs. Curtis Miller, Ft. Worth. Also one brother, Robert McCasland, Morton; a sister, Mrs. Joe Weeks, Morton; 10 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Among the out of town people who attended the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Miller of Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kelly and Kathy of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lowman and boys, Leavelle, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Bassett and family of Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Duane Bassett and girls of DeLeon; Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Conley and family of Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Udell Adams of Pecosburg; Mrs. Ben Kelly of Hereford; Billy Kelly of Amarillo; Beverly McCasland of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Derwood Campbell of Pecosburg; Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Harmon of Emory, N. Mex. and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Humphries of Sundown.

**Auto Smashes into Tree Early Wednesday Morn**  
Four local boys were hurt to varying degrees, apparently none seriously, and a charge of reckless driving grew out of a 1 a.m. auto accident here Wednesday morning, just a block south of the A.C. Livestock Building.

James Holleyman was the boy most seriously hurt in the car driven by Floyd Nesbitt. Holleyman sustained a broken arm. Nesbitt had a deep cut over one eye but is ok. For awhile it appeared that Bobby Neagle got hurt by flying glass hitting him in the face, but he appeared to be doing ok.

The car, a late model Mercury, suffered heavy damage to the engine and front part of the car. The impact from the crash uprooted a small tree it hit.

The fourth man in the car, Jerry Henson was unhurt.

### Legion Planning Big Dinner for Kids; Lions Club and Jaycees Pitch In

Further plans were laid at the regular Legion meeting last Thursday night for what will probably be the biggest "square meal" ever served to area children.

Billed as a Christmas dinner for the under privileged, the Legion made it clear the dinner, to be served on December 21st, is for any child in the area who will not have a turkey dinner or comparable meal for Christmas Day. They emphasized this doesn't necessarily mean a charity case. Many families who have been hard hit are not on County relief, but will have had

setting a nice Christmas table and will probably have no money to buy toys. They are urged to allow their children to attend this dinner and receive not only a turkey dinner but a sack of candy, nuts and fruit, and a toy from Santa Claus.

The dinner is being provided by the Legion, the boys by the Morton Jaycees and the candy and fruit and nuts by the Morton Lions. In addition, many others will pitch in to help serve the meal, provide for transportation, etc. Anyone know-

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### Extra ACP Funds Must Be Used or Turned Back

The County has received some additional ACP funds to be used between now and Jan. 1st, and the County Committee has decided that the limit per farm for carrying out the 1956 practices will be raised from \$400 to \$800.

This includes laying concrete tile steel pipe and deep breaking. Fifty cents per acre will be allowed on deep listing or chiseling to control wind erosion on cotton land. These practices must be carried out before the first of January.

It is very important that farmers who have received Prior Approvals for practices and do not intend to carry out the practices, return the approvals to the county office SOON so that the money allocated may be used by some other farmer. This is very important because if the money is not released it will have to be returned to the state office, and from here back to Washington.

### Morton Choir Lands 2 Girls On "All - State"

Two Morton girls, the only ones in the entire Class A, of Region I, added a new page to what has become a fine choral record for Morton, last weekend as they were selected to the All State Choir.

The honor was the third and the fourth by Morton girls in the past three years. And it was the second consecutive year that one of the girls, Sarah Jo Wallace was selected. The other winner from Joe Carroll's fine group was Myrleen Cox a sophomore.

The selection, as two of only 24 in a 16 county region that got to so, was a high honor to the hard working girls and their usually hard working coach. The girls go to Dallas February 13-17 to take part in the Texas Musical Educators Association's program of introducing the all state choir, the all state band, and the all state orchestra.

### Lea & Cox Sold To Andrews Man

Gayle Morrow of Andrews announced the purchase of Lea & Cox Appliances of Morton this week.

Morrow, who has been with Frigidite appliances for the past four years, will continue to feature the Frigidite line here. And, in addition he will offer the Easy Laundry line equipment with automatic washers.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrow have two children, Cindy Lea, 3, and Robert Lynn, one and one half years.

They were associated with the Frigidite line while living in Andrews. He was a member of the Jaycees there.

Morrow will offer TV and appliance service to all makes of machines.

The first of this week he was in Ft. Worth attending a special service school for repairmen.

The Morrrows extend a cordial welcome to everyone to come by and visit with them.

### Folio Meeting Is Set Tonight

Members of the 1957 March of Dimes campaign drive team have been asked to meet Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock in the County Activities Building to begin plans for the coming drive.

The announcement came from Elwood Harris, county drive chairman.

Heading the drive at Whiteface will be R. K. McCoy, community director and G. W. Garrett.

Others named to date include M. C. Ledbetter, advance special gifts; Roy Gentry, businesses; Mrs. A. E. Sanders, MOD cards; Walter Sandefer, theatres; Mrs. Bob Cook, Mother's MOD; Dub Hodge, coin collectors; Mrs. A. A. Fralin, clubs, organizations, and special events; Bill Mohmood, sports; and Bill Glassford, publicity.

Mrs. W. L. Foust has been named campaign treasurer.

All clubs and organizations that plan to aid the MOD through some sort of a program, are asked to list their programs with Mrs. Fralin to avoid conflicts in dates & ideas.

The 1957 drive is to be kicked off Feb. 1, every citizen being urged to do their part.

### Choral Boosters Dinner Sunday

The Morton Choral Boosters will sponsor a turkey dinner at the County Activities Building, Sunday, with proceeds to go toward sending the choir to Austin next spring to sing before the Texas State Legislature.

The dinner, featuring turkey and all the trimmings will be served from 12 noon until about 2 p.m. It will be \$1.25 per plate for adults, and 75c per plate for children under and members of the Choir Boosters will have tickets for their 12 years of age. Choir membership is \$1.00 per year.

This is a group from the Treble Choir.

Mrs. Willard Cox is president of the Choir Boosters.

### Choir To Present Christmas Concert Sunday Afternoon

The Fourth Annual Christmas program will be presented Sunday at 3 p.m. at the County Auditorium by the Morton Choir, featuring voices from three of the local school's five choral groups, according to Joe Carroll, director.

Featured in the program of traditional Christmas music will be the Morton Treble Choir, of Morton High School; the Junior High Mixed Choir; and the Elementary School Mixed Choir.

Among the selections that will highlight the show will be Handel's "Hymn of Joy" and a special arrangement of "Edelweiss" by the Ed-Edelweiss. It will be the first public appearance in Morton this season for the choral groups, though they have sung at various organizational meetings. Featured in vocal arrangements will be Lee Olsen and Terry Hans of the Junior High Mixed Choir; Jerry Beth Lebow and Sara Jo Wallace of the Treble Choir; and John Ed Collins of the Elementary Choir singing with the Treble Choir.

The public is cordially invited to attend this admission free program.

Local Choral groups will make three other engagements in the next few days, beginning tonight as the Choralists entertain at the FFA banquet in the Activities Building. This is a group from the Treble Choir.

The High School Treble Choir is to sing at Whiteface in an assembly program next week. The Junior High Mixed Choir will present an assembly program at Three Way on Wednesday, December 19.

### Train to be Given Tuesday, at 5 pm

Tuesday, December 18th, is the day some lucky person will take home the Lionel Electric Train on display at Morton Drug, in connection with their Christmas season.

The train will be awarded to the person whose name is drawn out of a box by M. C. Ledbetter. Free registration is being held during all opening hours of the store.

The drawing will be made on Tuesday, December 15, at 5 p.m., and the winner's name will be posted on the window.

You don't have to be present to win.

## CHRISTMAS LIGHTING CONTEST TO BE JUDGED DECEMBER 21ST

A week from Friday, on December 21st, that's the date of the judging on the annual Christmas Lighting Contest sponsored by the Cochran County Garden Club.

Anyone entering is urged to have all lights on their home out, except those to be judged, by 7:00 p.m. They should leave only the Yule decorations on for about an hour or so.

Classes of judging will be approximately the same as before and the emphasis is on originality, good taste, and artistic arrangement. Entry fee is 50c for houses and \$1.00 for businesses. There will be no charge for churches. All entries should be turned in to Morton

Drug, where Mrs. Charles Jones will have a list of entries in each event.

In all seven classifications will be judged. You must specify the class you are to be judged on.

Winner in each of the seven divisions will receive a plaque. Second and third in each class will get a ribbon.

The seven classifications to be judged will be:

1. Most Beautiful Window
2. Door
3. Outdoor Tree
4. Overall Decorations
5. Most Unique Decoration.
6. Best Decorated Business - in side and out.

7. Best Decorated Church Judges will be from the Lubbock Garden Clubs.

Serving on the local club committee to plan the event for this

year are: Mrs. L. A. Cochran, Mrs. Charles Jones and Mrs. T. D. Marshall.

### 8 Persons Attend First Meeting of Observer Corps

Although only eight persons attended the first organizational school meeting of the new Morton Ground Observer Corps, Sgt. Doyle who handled the course, was far from discouraged.

Sgt. Doyle told the group of the ways in which the Ground Observer Corps is utilized to help in cases of emergency. In some places Observers plot or help to plot weather troubles when an extra heavy wind, (an unusual amount of hail or other weather disturbance. The group will meet about one month, will complete a basic training course of three sessions and will then be able to teach others who join the group at a later date. Approximately 75 persons would be needed to man all the post needed.

Sgt. Doyle said the meeting date has not been set but Earl Crum, will notify local enrollees of the date by card. A film was shown the initial

**New Dealership Is Announced**  
Higginbotham - Bartlett Company of Morton was named this week as the local outlet for "Seal-Kote," the liquid plastic paint for homes, farms, industry, it was announced by H. T. Golden, local manager of the company.

Gallarneau Sales Corporation of Amarillo will supply the local firm "Seal - Kote" is recommended for use on cement blocks, wood, brick, asbestos shingles, concrete, wall paper, cinder block, plaster, stucco, stone and other materials.

**Old Debt Paid, Chamber Disbands**  
The outgoing directors of the local Chamber of Commerce, now defunct, have offered their thanks to a group of Morton merchants and individuals who combined to donate money to pay off an existing Retail Merchants debt assumed by the Chamber, before it went out of existence.

Some of the outgoing directors, as their last official function of the Chamber, made the collection, and the debt was compromised on and paid off last week before the organization officially closed its books.

Those who made contributions and whose money was used to pay Mrs. Innis Stewart an existing debt, for services rendered in behalf of the Chamber and the Retail Merchants, were:

Morton Lions Club	\$50.00
Rose Auto & Appliance	25.00
Forestry Lmbr. Co.	25.00
Cochran Power & Lt. Co.	25.00
Silvers Butane Co.	25.00
Reynolds Tire Co.	25.00
Willingham Gin Co.	25.00
Windom Oil Co.	25.00
First State Bank & William-son Insurance Co.	25.00
Joe Niewarner	15.00
Dave Food Store	15.00
Traver Furniture Co.	15.00
McDermott Liq. Gas	15.00
Morton Tribune	15.00
Traver 66 Station	11.50
M. B. Knox	10.00
J. C. Ledbetter	10.00
Luper Tire Co.	10.00
Rays' Hdw. & Furn.	10.00
Roy Hickman, Jr.	10.00
Strickland Cleaners	5.00
Home Thompson Chamber Acct.	35.06
TOTAL	429.56

### ALERT OUT FOR THREE MEN WANTED IN 5 LOCAL BREAK-INS

Sheriff Hazel Hancock said Tuesday night they have an alert out for a cream colored, '34 model car, probably a Ford, with 3 Latin Americans inside and Arizona tags. They have reasons to believe the breakin was committed by this group of suspects. They have conflicting reports as to the description. If anyone in Morton knows anything about these three men, where they went, who they were, etc. please get that office and give them the break. It is thought these three men may have worked here just for a short and leave.

Five break-ins of local business establishments late Sunday night or early Monday morning were under investigation this week by all law enforcement officers on the city and county forces.

An unknown amount of money, a group of small items, many of which will probably never be tal-

Drug, where Mrs. Charles Jones will have a list of entries in each event.

In all seven classifications will be judged. You must specify the class you are to be judged on.





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### H. D. Council Has Christmas Party

The annual Christmas party for the Cochran County Home Demonstration Council members was held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. E. Sanders. Special guests were the incoming Council members and those who attended the Tailoring Workshop. Christmas games were directed by Mrs. C. D. Arnold and Mrs. O. Clifton. Modeling suits made in the Tailoring School were Mrs. G. C. Smith, Mrs. Woodrow Self, Mrs. C. Arnold and Miss Mary Katherine Glassford. Mrs. Charles Sanders, Mrs. C. O. Dent and Mrs. Arvel Snodgrass assisted with the gift exchange.

The Council officers, Mrs. H. T. Gardner, Mrs. Charles Sanders, & Mrs. Virgil Riley were presented with gifts from the Council members as was Miss Leila Petty, the County H. D. Agent.

Refreshments of punch and Christmas cookies were served, with the punch poured by Mrs. Riley. The serving table was beautifully decorated for the Christmas season.

The singing of Christmas carols and a Christmas prayer ended the pleasant afternoon.

Others attending besides those mentioned were Mesdames E. H. Kelly, Vernon Blackley, Ted King, Elmer Gardner, E. C. Nieman, H. M. Clark, Lewis Walker, Dexter Nebhut and Bill Glassford, also Deletta and Genetta Nebhut, and Christy and Gayle Sanders.

### With Your... COUNTY AGENT

By HOMER E. THOMPSON

#### HAY PURCHASES

If farmers are interested in purchasing hay at \$20.00 a ton, F.O.B., they should contact my office and we can give you the names of people to contact.

#### SOCIAL SEC. REPR. DATES

The schedule of travel for the Social Security Representative for the first three months of 1957 has been received.

A representative will be in Morton at 2:00 p.m. in the Basement

of the Court House on the following days: Monday, January 21, Monday, Feb. 18, and Monday, Mar. 18.

#### PLAN COFFEE CAN SUPPER

The Whiteface 7th & 8th grade 4-51 Club have planned a coffee can supper for Friday, December 11, starting at 5:00 p.m. Parents and adult leaders have been invited to attend.

Members have been asked to bring their coffee can, meat and vegetables to the meeting and the cool will be cooked in the coffee cans.

Joe Rhodes, Dwight Stone and Joe Wesley are the members of the committee, selecting the place for the meeting, and they are to conduct the games at the supper.

### Posse Announces Change In Dues; Plan Jan. 1st Ride

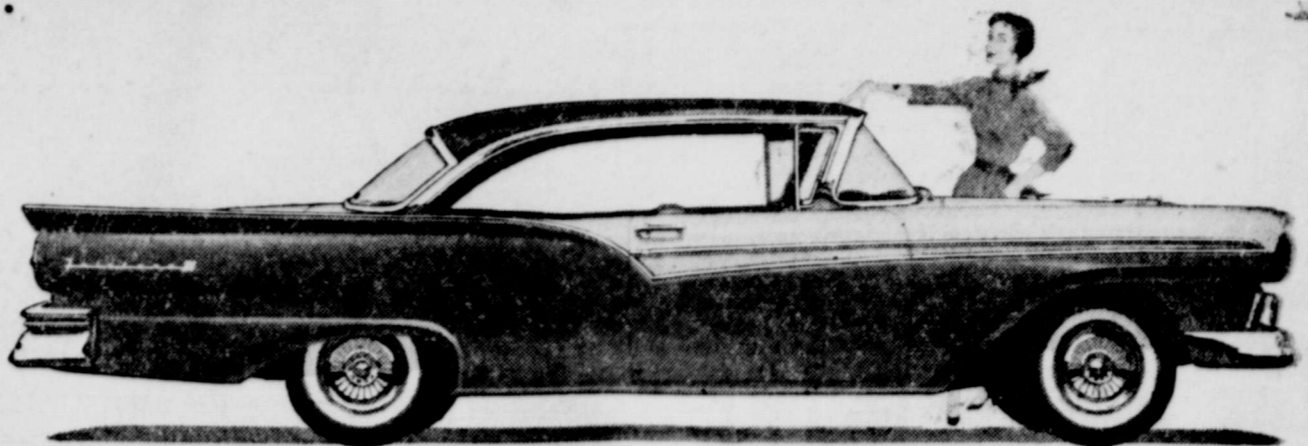
The Cochran County Sheriff's Posse altered their membership fees, planned their Christmas party and made arrangements to go to an indoor rodeo to perform on New Year's Day, at their meeting held last week. They also discussed the meeting of the National Association which was held over the weekend at Lubbock, and to which several members from the local club planned to go. The story on that set together will probably be found elsewhere in the Tribune.

Concerning membership, the local club made quite an alteration to dues. The voted to lower dues to \$5 per year, a cut in half of the previous membership, and they instructed their delegate to the Lubbock convention to support in the name of the Cochran Posse the bid by the Covtown Sheriff's Posse to host next year's convention.

The group set December 20 as the date for their Christmas party and will hold it at the County Activity Building.

The December 4th meeting also produced plans to make their first appearance of 1957 at the annual World's Championship Indoor Rodeo and Stock Show at Odessa in the Ector County Coliseum. The posse appearance will be on January 1st. The local group took a part in that show this year and enjoyed the trip a great deal.

Attending the meeting were Messrs. and Mesdames Gandy, Ern Pelvodo, Jake Wylie, Jess Clayton, and Herb Hillman, Roy Gentry, Ohlen Ray, Bob Moxon, Rob. Richards, John Fried, Elwood Harris and Buster Betts.



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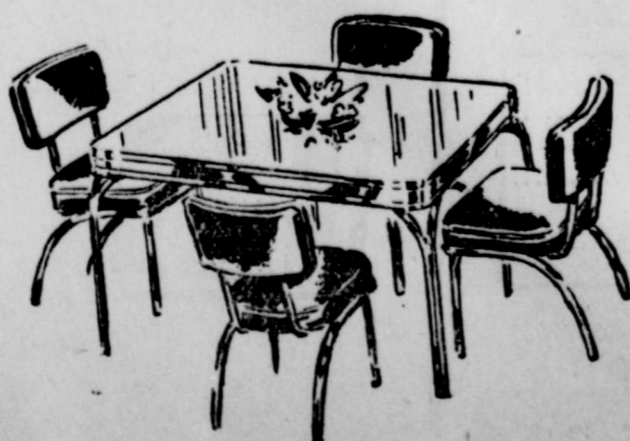
### DINETTE SETS

Make your selection now from our group of chrome and wrought iron sets, regular 36x48 inch tables that extend 12 inches to make big 36x60 inch tables... chrome sets come in pink, grey or yellow... assorted table styles

7-piece sets... 64.50 (Plus trade-in)

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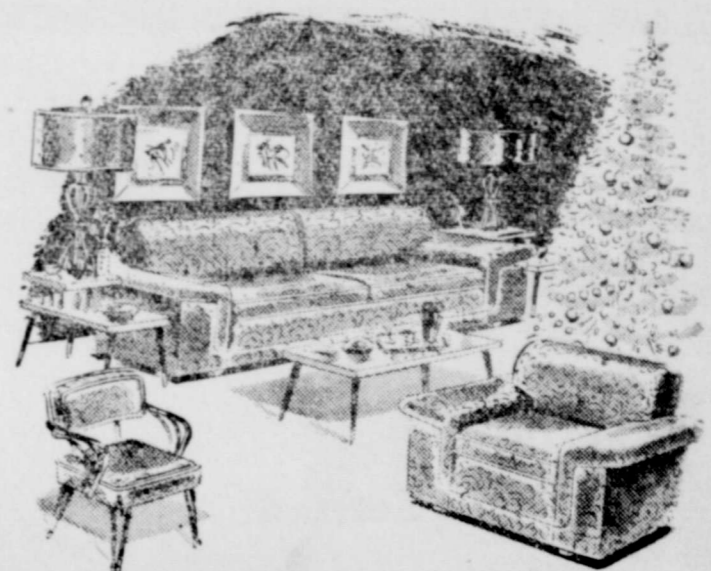
### BEDROOM SUITES

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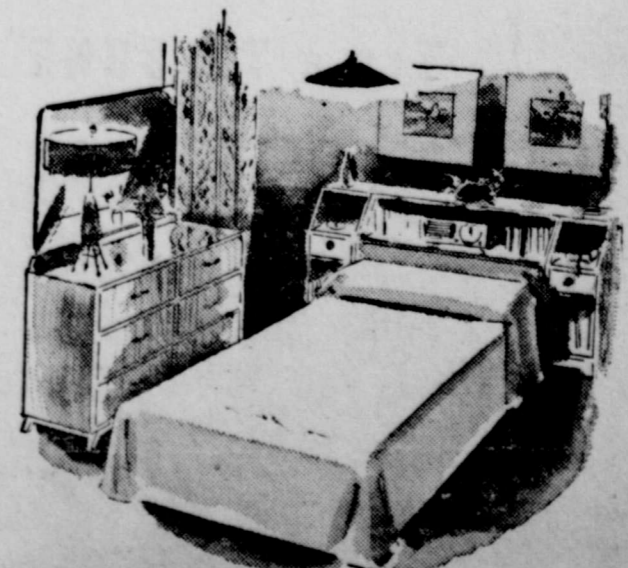
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We wish to express our gratitude to Rev. Thompson, to those who brought flowers, food, and who supplied accommodations for those who attended the funeral from other communities.

S. C. Kelly, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Bassett, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kelly, Ruel Kelly, S. C. Kelly, Jr., Mrs. Joe Weekes, and Rupert McCasland.

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HIJACKER NABBED

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and then calmly driving toward Enochs in a rather unconcerned manner. The unconcern for Rodgers was not shared by Ross. As soon as Rodgers left, Ross, who is an uncle of Raymond King of Morton, went looking for his wife. He feared possible foul play. After he learned she had gone downtown, he told the police who immediately put out a report on him. The hi-jacker was believed to be going toward Muleshoe, but here in Morton, Sheriff Hancock told Hicks, "we'd better get out their on the Bula Road just in case."

After what seemed to them a long while later, the two local patrolmen were about to turn around and come back home. They were convinced their quarry had taken another road. In this opinion, they saw this car nonchalantly approach from the rear. They hit the man case by them flung the car could be the right one. They turned on their lights and the man pulled over. Hank decided to roll up behind him, not pleased. As he rolled behind him he told him, "sell this car with Lamb County license plates. Just let's get out of here for good." He said later, if Rodgers had bought blue and registered to be a Bailey County farmer, they would have let him go.

But Rodgers, as the police car stopped, trembled down on the accelerator of his car and the '56 Chevrolet responded. The chase that ensued was a running gun battle. The officers fired and hit his car. But he went on. They think he was firing at them with his left hand, but since he didn't hit the car. However he didn't hit the car and it's possible he never did fire a round. They think he did.

How the man ever got past the dreaded Bula curve is somewhat of a mystery. Hancock says at times during the chase Rodgers had his car on 110, according to the officer's speedometer. He also, at the same time he admits he doesn't think it possible, Hancock estimated the man took the Bula curve at around 75 mph, and left the road, but didn't crack up.

It was just a few miles further up the road, at the crossing of the

Road and the Highway, where he was brought to bay. He tried to cross the highway too fast, hit a dip and according to Hancock his car just shot into the air toward the highline wires, skidded, bumped, rolled, and crashed, and wound up 400 to 450 feet away. Rodgers was thrown out and motionless, knocked unconscious. The officers immediately took his '52 revolver, with a full load of shells, some of which were in his coat pocket, and found two billfolds on him, one with Ross' \$375.

The car was demolished but Rodgers suffered only a broken kneecap and bruise. He was taken to the Cochran County Hospital for treatment, released and jailed. The Lamb County Sheriff came and got him to return to Littlefield the same night.

Officers still aren't sure what they have besides a hijacker. He will be charged with armed robbery. The car he drove could belong to someone else, the license plates did — they were missing in Amherst a few hours earlier. The man was obviously an ex-convict as evidenced by parole officers names on his papers, etc.

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Christmas. Edgar is in the U.S. Army.

**VISITED FOR DINNER**  
 Mrs. Thurt Lemons and children, took supper with the Eddie Irwins at Morton Thursday, as Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lytle visited in the area for a couple of days and also visited there. Mrs. Lemons and Mrs. Irwin are sisters, and Mr. Lytle is their brother.

**VISITS WITH PARENTS**  
 Mrs. Micky Sowder of Lubbock spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cole.

**VISITORS RECENTLY**  
 Visiting in the Norman Underwood home several days last week were Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Underwood of Smyer, Texas.

**SERVE AS PALL BEARERS**  
 Three men of the community served as pall bearers at the funeral in Morton last week of Mrs. Belle

Terrell, aunt of Mrs. Marvin Holt, and Carl Pollard. Serving were Cecil Cole, Horace Hutton and Frank Griffith. Mrs. Terrell, who made her home with the Pollards at Tucuman, had visited relatives here many times.

**EXPECTED HOME**  
 Charles McCafferty, who is enlisted in the Army Air Corps, is expected home for Christmas. He is stationed in Kentucky.

**WEEK OF PRAYER PROGRAM**  
 The W.M.F. of Three Way Baptist church will present the Week of Prayer program in an all day meeting at the church, Friday. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon.

**GRADE SCHOOL TEAMS LOSE**  
 The grade school basketball teams were defeated by the Morton teams Thursday evening at Morton. The boy's game ran into an overtime period.

**VISITED BROTHERS HOME**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffith and Mrs. Belle visited in the J. L. Patton's home in Lubbock Sunday. Mrs. Patton is spending a few days this week visiting relatives and friends.

**THANKS FOR CONTRIBUTIONS**  
 The D.T.A. committee wishes to thank everyone who contributed to the drive last week for funds to pay on the well and pump at the school.

Any person who was missed in the drive, and who wishes to make a contribution, may contact Mrs. Cecil Cole, Mrs. Jack Love, Mrs. Berber Johnson, or W. T. Parker.

### Bula Man Is Sunday Speaker

Visitors last Lord's Day from out side the community at the East Side Church of Christ were Bro. and Sister Ed Sullivan and children and Bro. and Sister Cecil Mc Sproun and children.

The new church, meeting in the District Courtroom until they get their new building completed will hold services each Sunday with the Classes at 10:00 a.m., Communion at 11:00 a.m. and singing and preaching at 7:30 p.m. A Wednesday night class is held at 8:00 p.m.

Everyone has been issued a cordial welcome to attend the services. Bro. Hollis Prime from Bula will do the preaching next Lord's Day according to an announcement from the congregation. Bro. Stapleton of Plains conducted the services last Sunday.



Actress Ilona Massey, decorating Christmas candles with United States Savings Bonds, takes time out from helping the people of her native Hungary to wish her fellow Americans a happy New Year of peace on earth, good will toward men. "What a wonderful thing," she says, "to be able to own these shares in one's country and to give them to our loved ones as presents with a future, representing our faith, our trust, our love for our country and our free way of life."

### WSG HELD CHRISTMAS PARTY HERE

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church met on Monday evening in the C. A. Moore home for a Christmas party with the officers as hostesses.

Christmas music for the occasion was directed by Mrs. Luke Cole. A question and answer exchange by Mrs. Raymond Ross and Mrs. H. B. Spotts resulted in much laughter from the group. Mrs. Fred Stockdale gave the Christmas Story, "Blue Beards," a true story.

White, gold and green were used to decorate the living and dining rooms. The serving table was centered with an original pink & white Christmas decoration, and

was laid with a white lace cloth. A salad supper was served and gifts exchanged by 20 members & 3 guests, Mrs. Bob Huckabee, and Mrs. Roy Hickman, Mrs. Baldrige.

### "NATO, Should It Expire," Is Study Theme for 1936 Study Club Meeting

"NATO — Should it Expire?" was the subject of a discussion interestingly and informatively conducted by Mrs. J. D. Hawthorne and Mrs. L. F. Hargrove at the last meeting of the 1936 Study Club, which was held December 5th at the home of Mrs. Albert Morrow.

In the program Mrs. Hawthorne and Mrs. Hargrove pointed out the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, established in 1949, included thirteen European nations, Canada, and the United States; that NATO countries have formed a working alliance engaged in building strong defense forces, insuring efficient use of military forces, maintaining economic and political stability, and developing closer unity. They listed contributions made to NATO by the United States and other members, discussed its accomplishments so far and pointed out that Russia was doing everything within her power to destroy the alliance.

Mrs. Hawthorne emphasized the value of organization to the Western nations and gave reasons for its continuation. Mrs. Hargrove related the disadvantages.

An outstanding feature of the program was a poster they had made showing pictures, charts, & diagrams of the functions of the organization. An especially interesting survey showed how Communism in the various member nations had declined since NATO had been organized.

The program was another in a series being presented on international subjects, and created considerable interest.

Members attending were Mesdames D. E. Bonham, Lem Chesher, Dona Doughty, Gene Evans, Joe Gipson, Mary Gowdy, W. R.

### 120 Attended Future Homemakers Party Held Here

Monday night, December 7, the F.H.A. had a Christmas party at the annual monthly meeting.

120 persons attended the party in the Morton High School gym which was decorated by Mrs. LaVellace, Jerry Beth Linton, Christine Spencer and Leona Roberts.

Games got underway under the direction of Marka Kennedy, Mary Silhan, and Mary Ruth Henry.

Refreshments of hot chocolate & cookies were prepared by the human homemaking classes.

The exchange of gifts was accomplished with Dale Kirk traveling the jolly old reindeer with the hearty laugh of St. Nick.

Musical entertainment was provided by Clayton Flanagan and Jimmy Collins.

### Busy Fingers Club Plans Party

The Busy Fingers Sewing Club were entertained by Mrs. C. E. Burleson in her home on Thursday, December 6th, with ten members present.

The next meeting is to be held on December 20 in the home of Mrs. Markham. This will be the club's annual Christmas party.



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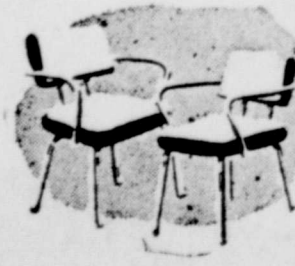
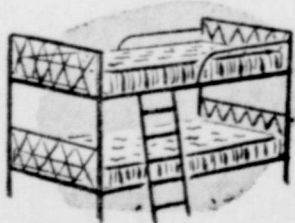
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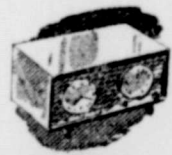
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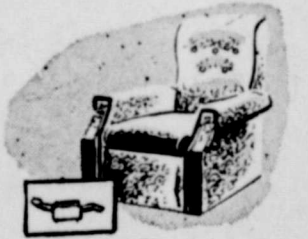
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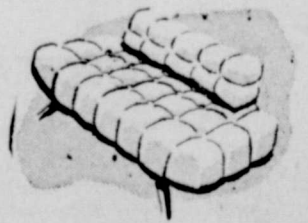
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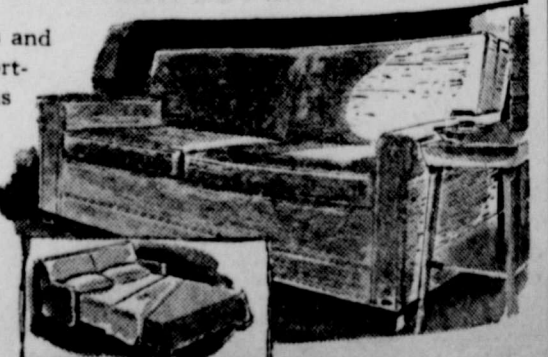
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**Men's Stretch SOCKS**  
Every man needs dozens for Christmas, regular 79¢ values  
**SALE PRICE**  
44¢ pr.

**3,000 Pkgs. Razor Blades**  
While they last  
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**150 pairs Men's Dress SLACKS**  
Here are some terrific bargains, it's first come, first served — be here when the doors open, values to 9.95

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While they last, values to 8.95  
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**Men's Khaki PANTS**  
Here are some real buys, assorted sizes in grey and suntan khaki material, long wearing  
**SALE PRICE**  
2.69 pr.  
2 prs. for 5.00

Values to 6.95  
**SALE PRICE**  
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**Men's Chambray SHIRTS**  
Stock up now at great savings, sizes 14<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> to 17, regular 1.49 values now

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**MOPS**  
69¢

**BROOMS**  
1.00

**Men's Khaki SHIRTS**  
Heavy material, long - wearing, values to 4.95  
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**Men's Khaki SHIRTS**  
Good 6<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> ounce material, greys and suntans, regular 2.98 values  
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**One Group Western SHIRTS**  
In this group you'll find values to 6.95  
**SALE PRICE**  
3.98 ea.

**2nd Group Western SHIRTS**  
Broken sizes, good buys, values to 5.95  
**SALE PRICE**  
2.98 ea.

**Men's Dress SHIRTS**  
Choose white and colors, mostly cellophane wrapped, ideal for Christmas buying, get several at this low  
**SALE PRICE**  
2.44 ea.

**Men's SHIRTS Sweat**  
Available in grey and white, while they last  
**SALE PRICE**  
1.00 ea.

**Men's White T - SHIRTS**  
Quality shirts at rock-bottom

**SALE PRICE**  
3 for 1.00

**Men's Briefs and Undershirts**  
Out they go to first come, first served

**SALE PRICE**  
3 for 96¢

**Men's Hanes T - SHIRTS**  
Get white or colors, but be early for top buys  
**SALE PRICE**  
79¢ ea.

DOORS OPEN FRIDAY, Dec. 14, 9 A.M. — for you who can't make our weekday SALE — Open Sundays, 1 P.M. to 6 P.M.



**CHRISTMAS PARTY** — (Continued from page 1)  
 ing of a child, or children who should be included in this merry ev-

ent, should contact Albert Morrow of the Legion immediately, so he can check to see if the children will be allowed to attend by their par-

ents, and to arrange transportation. "Children are young only once," the publicity chairman said, "and they all deserve to be allowed to have this grand time, even if their families can't provide it, or if the family objects because it seems like charity. This is for the kids, we hope none will be left out. A gala experience it will be for

all. Tables will be set up at the Legion Hall. A beautifully decorated Christmas tree will adorn the stage and Santa will appear in person to select a toy for the children as they get through eating. Christmas music will also be provided. The menu will consist of turkey, dressing, peas, potatoes, cranberry sauce, pie, cake, milk, and ice cream. Serving will start about 7 o'clock and the program should be concluded around 9 p.m. The Legion set up working committees to complete arrangements for the big event. Anyone having new toys they would contribute should contact any Jaycee. Please, no used toys, unless they are in good working condition.

**edlines.**  
 By Eddie Irwin

WAYLAND COLLEGE, with every reason to be proud of their fine girl's basketball team that holds the all-time record for number of consecutive victories, doesn't miss a single opportunity to put out information on the Flying Queens. We have received five brochures, schedules or pictures of the team. Under ordinary circumstances it wouldn't be so interesting, but for the next four years it should prove more than interesting — since we have a representative on the famous team. And, from the articles in the brochure, the queens, who

set their record by the expedient of outscoring their opponents, are expecting trouble and believe Belva Ramsey and her guarding abilities may be the difference in losing the record, or stretching it. The Morton girl is the only member of the Queen's roster who was listed as a defensive specialist in her High School days. We can go to them one better and tell them she was both at Morton, and could perhaps have been tons in the state in either department had she been placed strictly on offense or defense, and speaking of . . .

BASKETBALL, especially girl's basketball, our hats are off to the Morton teams for the fine job they have done so far in this young basketball season. And also to Coach Travis whose girls team has won five of six games played, and who has his boys team ahead with four victories against two defeats. The girls polished off three teams at Muleshoe Friday and Saturday in winning a beautiful first place trophy for the schools trophy case. The boys won their first two but stumbled against the Muleshoe Mules and had to settle for second place. This also earned them a trophy.

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**Santa Suggests!**



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 PIES . . . 2 for 89¢  
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 3 lb. can . . . 79¢

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 TEXAS ORANGES . . . 5 lb. sack 39¢  
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 FRESH GREEN ONIONS . 2 bunches 15¢

WHITE SWAN POP CORN 3 CANS 49¢

Devil, Yellow, Apple Chip  
 3 BOXES 89¢

WELCH'S 24 OZ. BOTTLES GRAPE JUICE 3 bottles . . . 1.00

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**The Bible—Sublime and Authentic**

ing a winning team in Morton. May just another example of a vice rendered in a small town, often in the larger towns, even have the courtesy to give a station over all night.

ONE OF THOSE weeks when you may find a lot of stories missing. This has been an unusually eventful week. Add that to the natural Christmas season rush at a weekly newspaper office, and you expect stories to be missing. A lot of folks can't understand this they see a full page filled with what is to them trivial material, yet, they say, no space. Actually, the lack of space is only about half if the problem. The other half is usually when we . . .

DON'T GET ALL THE stories in the paper, its a matter of poor timing that caused it. We either had not enough time to get them set up, or had too much type set up and not enough paper.

SOME STORIES WE intended to play up big, got reduced to just a few lines on page one, not because we lacked the space, but because we ran out of time before these stories were set up. Others, we just held over, instead of butchering the story up.

staying up late at nights . . .

YOU'D be surprised how often you have a traveler coming through, running out of gas. With no all night stations open, we usually call until we can get one of the service station men awake. As luck would have it, 75 percent of these calls are between 1 a.m. and 3 a.m.

the fellas get up . . .

AND PEDDLE maybe \$4.00 worth of gasoline if they are lucky.

**ROSE THEATRE**  
 MORTON, TEXAS  
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**While the City Sleeps**  
 DANA ANDREWS - RICHARD FLEMING  
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**Randolph SCOTT**  
**The DOOLINS of OKLAHOMA**  
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**JOHN PAYNE MONA FREEMAN**  
**HOLD BACK THE NIGHT**  
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 MORTON, TEXAS  
 SAT. - SUN. - DEC. 13-14  
 THE FIRST GREAT ROCK IN POLY  
 BILL HALEY and the COMETS  
 ROCK AROUND THE CLOCK  
 THE PLATTERS TOMMY DOUGHERTY  
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els. A third entry was at Higginbotham - Bartlett Lumber Co. and again nothing was missing except an undetermined amount of pennies on hand.

At Laekey's grocery and market some money and other small items were reported missing but the amount of money was undetermined. The fifth establishment was the Morton Auto Parts, across the street from Laekey's where about \$46 and some parts were missing.

At three of the business houses the intruders were able to get in a door, without breaking or prying, giving evidence that they were experienced in the art of breaking in.

Officers had only a few leads to work on Tuesday as they set about trying to solve the series of burglaries.

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## Morton Tribune

### NEW SOCIAL SECURITY LAWS ARE EXPLAINED

Persons who may become entitled to old-age or survivors insurance payments during the months just ahead, because of recent changes in the social security law, namely, women aged 62, disabled workers who have reached age 50, and children who were disabled before age 18, will not lose any payments if they delay filing a claim for benefits. Mr. Hutton, district manager of the Lubbock social security office, declared this week.

Payments to a woman who has reached age 62 can begin with the check for this November which will be due after the end of that month. However, women 62 to 65, do not need to apply for the payments immediately. "Even if they wait a full year before filing a claim at the social security office — that is, not until November 1957 — they can still get any back payments they are entitled to," Hutton assures them.

A disabled working person who has reached age 50 can't start to

get monthly benefit payments until July 1957. Even if he does not file a claim until the end of December 1957, he will get back payments for all months beginning next July. In case of a child who became disabled before reaching 18, the first payments are for January 1957. However, if the claim for benefits is not filed until Jan. 1958, back payments for the 12 months can be made.

Hutton said that many people who have read about or have been told about the recent changes in the social security law feel that they stand to lose some benefit payments to which they may be entitled if they do not get to the social security office right away. He wants to assure them that this is not the case. "Remember," he says, "women age 62 have a full year after reaching that age to file an application without losing a single month's payment; a worker disabled before age 50 has until the end of 1957 to file without

losing any month's payment to which he may become entitled after next June, and an application for a child who became disabled before 18 can be made at any time before the end of January 1958 and back payments will be made for all 12 months of 1957."

Hutton has a word of caution in the case of the disabled worker, however. While he has until the end of the next year to make his claim without losing any payments it may be advisable for him to get in touch with the social security office before that time. While delay would not affect his own benefit payments, it might mean lower benefits to his survivors in case of his death before he makes application to establish his disability.

A representative of the Lubbock Social Security Office will be in Morton, on December 17, at 2:00 p.m. in the basement of the courthouse and will be glad to assist in all matters pertaining to Social Security.

### Special Holidays Offered

#### Air Recruits Now

T. Sgt. Herb C. Ulbrich, the local Air Force Recruiter, has announced that the air force is going to offer a special program for vol-

unteers during the Christmas holidays. Volunteers for the U. S. Air Force, between the 18th and 28th of December, will be given the option of going to training immediately or taking a delay enroute and remaining home for Christmas. Apply early, stay home for Christmas and New Years, avoid the January rush. Contact your Air Force recruiter now, at Room 202, Post Office Bldg., Lubbock, Texas.

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### Ladies' Dresses

A wide selection of dresses ideal for wear now and into spring... be early for top selections... you'll find many that will make wonderful gifts, too...

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- 5.95 values . . . . . now 3.99

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Grand values in long sleeve corduroy and flannel shirts that you'll find ideal for Christmas buying... you must see this selection

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**Ladies' COATS & SUITS**  
 Longs and shorts, wintertime values for wintertime wear, choose all wools, or wool-rayon numbers  
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**Ladies' SKIRTS**  
 See this grand selection of wools, cottons, corduroys, and gabardines... each would make a nice gift, and each is a buy that represents a savings in case you wish to stock up now  
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**Ladies' DRESS SHOES**  
 This includes high-heels, low-heels, patents, and other styles and materials that are popular from now until spring  
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 14.95 values . . . . . now 10.99  
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 Many ideal for that Christmas gift... drop by early for best selections... sizes from 1 to 14 years  
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 4.98 values . . . . . now 3.29  
 3.98 values . . . . . now 2.99  
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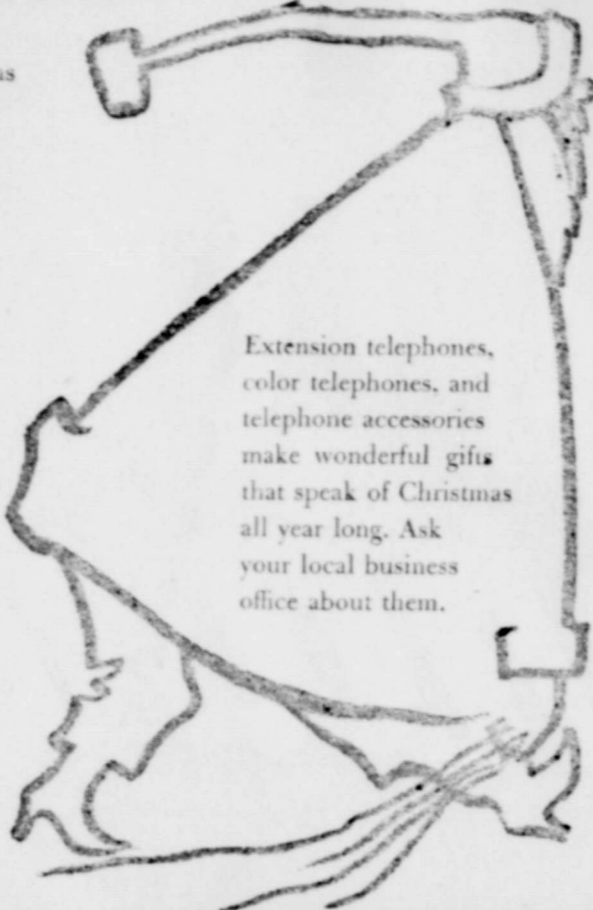
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### Miss Judith Blackley Engagement Is Told

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Blackley of Rt. 2 Morton, Texas announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Judith Blackley to Mr. W. Ronald Coleman, son of Rev. and Mrs. A. R. Coleman, also of Morton.

The wedding date has been set for January 19, 1957.

### Jaycees to Sponsor Mobile X-Ray Unit Visit

Roy Tarver Jr., president of the Morton Jaycees, told the group at the noon luncheon Monday, that the mobile chest X-Ray unit will be scheduled for Morton at the earliest possible date.

Tarver said he had received a letter to that effect and that the Jaycees will be notified as soon as the actual date is confirmed. In other business the Jaycees discussed further Christmas season plans and planned to send a representative to Lubbock this week, if possible, to hear the national president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, when he appears at

the Lubbock chapter dinner.

Also a new Jaycee fund raising plan was discussed briefly and the more complete plans will be brought before the group as soon as possible.

### John Word Elected To Grapho Analysis Society of Missouri

Mr. John W. Word has been elected to study a membership in the International Grapho Analysis Society, Inc. of Springfield, Mo., world famous home of scientific character analysis from handwriting.

For more than a quarter of a century people of all professions have studied and mastered grapho analysis. The Society is the only one of its kind devoted to the training of men and women in the science of grapho analysis.

Of course, many fields of endeavor are open to people who are trained professional grapho analysts.

### Miss Ove'a Smith Appointed to Library Staff at Berkeley

PLAINVIEW, Nov. 28 — Miss Ove'a Smith, Morton, 1953 graduate of Wayland Baptist College, has been appointed to the library staff of Golden Gate Seminary, of Berkeley, Calif.

Miss Smith, who was graduated in 1955 from Golden Gate Seminary with the Master of Religious Education degree, has been Youth and Visitation Director of Central Baptist Church, Lawton, Okla., for the past year.

At Golden Gate, she will be in charge of circulation, periodicals, and audio-visual aids. As a student there she was a member of the traveling choir. At Wayland College she majored in Speech and Christian Recreation for the Southern Baptist Convention.

### Sam Davis Completes Basic Air Training

Airman Samuel O. Davis, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Davis, Box 904, Morton, Texas and Airman Lonnie Freley, 17, son of D. B. Freley, Box 223, Morton, have completed the first phase of basic military training at Lackland AFB, of San Antonio.

They are now taking part in the advanced basic training course at Lackland, following which they will qualify for assignment in one of the Air Force's 43 major career fields.

Both men had leaves until this week when they were to return to Lackland for that advanced training.

### Two Army Reserve Promotions Announced

LUBBOCK, Nov. 14 — Two Army Reserve promotions have been announced by Lt. Col. L. O. Buchanan, commanding officer of the 413 Military Government Company.

Promoted to specialist second class have been Wilson E. Hoyle, and Wiley C. Hodges, both of Morton. Wilson is a cook and Wiley, an investigator in the unit.

### ATTENDS MEETING IN AUSTIN OF NEW ELECTED OFFICIALS

Mrs. Otha Denny, tax-assessor, and collector elect of Cochran County, was in Austin last Monday & Tuesday attending a school for newly elected officials.

### Friendly Circle Club Holds Christmas Party

The Friendly Circle Home Demonstration Club had its annual Christmas Party at Maudie Gardner's home on December 7, at 2 p.m.

The Christmas supper menu was discussed before the party began. The Christmas supper is to be on Friday, December 14.

A game was played and then the gifts were exchanged among the 8 members and Miss Petty present.

Refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, congealed salad, fruit cake, punch and coffee were served.

Mrs. Gardner had her home beautifully decorated throughout. The Christmas tree was lighted for the presents below. There were even stockings hung on the fireplace.

The next regular meeting will be held January 4th. All members are urged to be at Mrs. Horace Gardner's home to attend.

**HAVE YOU BOUGHT YOURS?**

**CHRISTMAS SEALS** fight TB

### SUNDAY IN LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Lovelace, Dixie and Mrs. Ed. Gerrett spent Sunday in Lubbock with the Bill Garrett family.

### Mrs. Cross Hosts L'Allegro Study Club

The home of Mrs. Bob Cross was the scene of the L'Allegro Study Club meeting on December 6.

Plans for the annual Christmas

Party were discussed and members drew names. The party is to be held on December 15, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Babe Vandlingham.

Mrs. Bill Proctor presented the program and gave the story of Christmas. She then introduced Mrs. Charles Jones who showed the members interesting things on gift wrapping.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess to the following members: Mesdames Truman Doss, John Barnes, T. K. Williamson, J. C. Reynolds, Dan Brown, Tommy Hans, Charles McDermott, Tubby Holloman, Babe Vandlingham, M. A. Silvers, Proctor, and the four guests, Mrs. John L. McGee, Mrs. Leonard Coleman, Mrs. Bob Huckabee and Mrs. Charles Jones.

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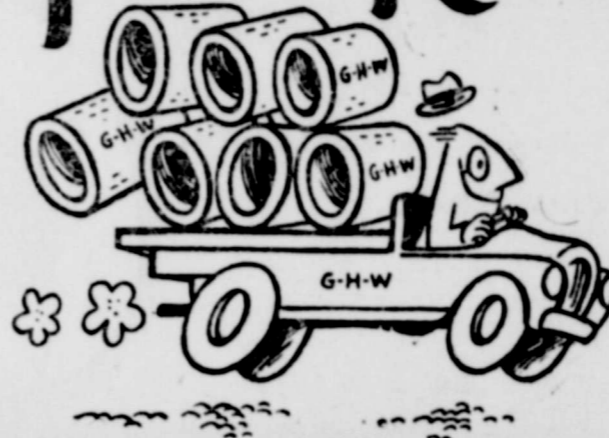
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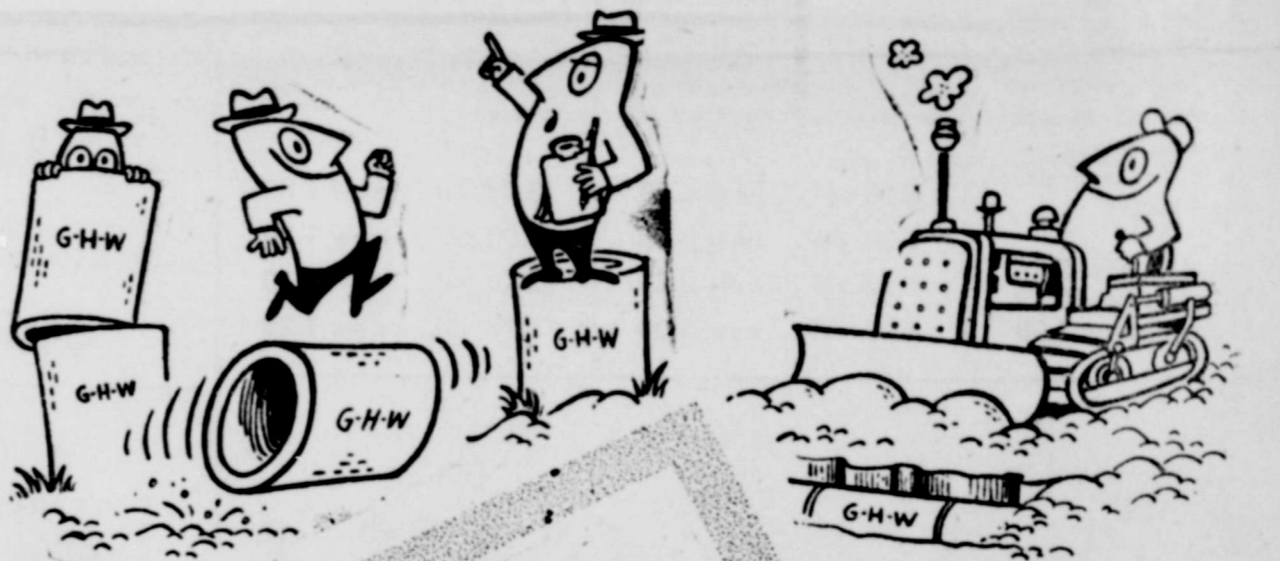
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# MORTON GIRLS GRAB FIRST; MORTON BOYS TAKE SECOND PLACE AT MULESHOE BASKETBALL MEET

Athletic fortunes received a boost in the arm late last night as Coach Bobby Travis led his boys and girls' teams home with two victories to speak for five

victories against only one defeat in the Muleshoe Tourney.

Morton's girls collected the biggest trophy, winning the championship with three straight tourney victories over Sudan, Farwell and

The boys throttled Sudan and Farwell before stumbling in the final game to an experienced Muleshoe team. In earlier games the boys had won two out of three and the girls duplicated this effort. That gave the high school A teams a total mark of 9 victories against 3 defeats through last Saturday, a mighty fine mark for Coach Bobby Travis in his first year at the helm of Morton basketball.

Though Dolores Stephenson was the high tourney scorer for the Morton Maids, it was another gal who was the sparkplug in the final win over Muleshoe.

Norma Flanagan potted the long ones that kept Morton ahead in the early stages of the game scoring 14 of Morton's first half points. It was those long ones that broke the Mullettes spirit.

Actually, the thing that hurt the Morton boys the most, was heavy fouling in the second quarter. They accumulated three fouls on each of their three top scorers in the space of a few minutes. The effect was not to lose the boys out of the game, for they only lost one before the game was almost over, but it forced the Morton defense to loosen up and Muleshoe's ratty center, Alexander, an ineffective scorer early in the game, came back with four or five mighty important baskets after the defense loosened up. Merle Newman, early season high scorer, was playing but was still hobbled by a lame back and leg and failed to tally the points he was counted on to make. He did well, but the effectiveness of a Muleshoe lad from way out, who potted 23 points and eight baskets from one handed push shots outside the free throw circle. Just wasn't matched by any Morton boy. Jennings was the thorn in the Indians side racking up 21 points, on nine field goals and three free tosses. Muleshoe took a 16 to 12 first quarter lead and remained ahead at 24 to 29 at the halfway mark. Morton cut it to 31 to 34 but thereafter the Mules pulled away steadily for a 67-53 win. The Mules got good scoring from several men. Alexander hitting 12, Will 11, Sanders 13, and of course Jennings with 21. For Morton it was Flanagan 14, Gattis 12, Brownlow 8, Newman 9, and E. Thompson and Middleton 4. Newman was lost to Morton early in the 4th quarter and Brownlow fouled out with only minutes to go. Eighteen Morton fouls produced 25 free shots for the Mules of which they only made 11. Morton got only 13 free throws and made 7 for a better average. Muleshoe did better from the field cutting 27 of 63 shots for a good mark while Morton managed only 22 of 63, for a still not bad mark. Errors hurt the Morton cause the local boys' wild passing costing them the ball 18 times and the Mules only threw it away fourteen times.

In the girls game things were considerably better. Morton took a 4 to 3 lead on Norma Flanagan's free throw and were never headed. They led 10-7 at the quarter; 25-15 at the half; 38 to 25 at the three quarter mark, and coasted to a 52-24 win. Dolores Stephenson bucketed 17 points in the second half for a 24 point total. Norma Flanagan kept Morton ahead in the first half with six timely field goals and finished with 20 points. She hit 10 field goals in 20 shots. Dolores had a sensational free throw mark of 14 free throws in 18 attempts. The local girls missed only seven free shots and Muleshoe missed 16 of 28 attempts. Briscoe had 19 points and Holt 14 for Muleshoe.

Here's how the teams advanced in the tourney. Boys: Morton beat Sudan, 48 to 39; Farwell beat the Muleshoe B team 54 to 20; Amherst beat Three Way 56 to 37 and Muleshoe edged Springlake, 49 to 41. Morton took Farwell, 58 - 49, and Muleshoe outlasted Amherst, 54-40, and Muleshoe B had forfeited to Sudan, the Sudan team won consolation honors over Springlake.

Girls: Amherst beat Three Way, 53 to 38. Muleshoe beat Springlake, 49 to 21. Morton edged Sudan in the biggest thriller, 52 to 50 and Farwell got past Muleshoe B team, 39 to 28. Morton beat Farwell by a 50 to 40 score while Muleshoe got by Amherst 34-31. For consolation honors, Springlake beat Three Way 56 to 43 and Sudan took the Muleshoe B team 49-35. Then Sudan got by Springlake for consolation honors.

Fourteen football players were measured last week for letter jackets. The jackets have been ordered and will be awarded when they arrive next spring.

To receive the jackets are the co-captains, Merle Newman, Clayton Flanagan, and Leo Daniels and Butch Nairn, Sharon Hawthorne, F. Thompson, Gary Middleton, Mickey Coleman, Perry Don Seaney, Edward Dewbre, Edward Gattis, Jimmy Collins, Eddie Thompson, and Dick Christian manager.

The trio of co-captains were named to the all district team; Daniels and Flanagan on the offensive team and Newman on defense. The gridgers selected Flanagan as their outstanding player of the year.

## Iraq Builds for the Millions



During the next five years, Iraq will spend more than one billion dollars on a bold and imaginative development program embracing every facet of the nation's economy—irrigation and agriculture, industry, communications, housing, health, education and training, culture, recreation and holiday resorts.

Various projects in all these fields have already achieved notable progress over the past few years, but the new five-year plan emphasizes an integrated approach to the problems of the nation. The plan is financed by 70 per cent of the total oil revenues (estimated at 200 million dollars a year) and the development budget will increase to well beyond the billion-dollar mark as oil revenues grow.

The lion's share of the funds will go towards expanding the vast irrigation program which will take fifty years to complete in its entirety. But even if all construction work stopped at the end of the current period, authorities estimate that Iraq would receive a ten-fold return on its investment through the increased productivity of the land and the control of floods.

In the field of industrialization, the five-year plan calls for nation-wide electrification to provide adequate power for industrial, domestic and municipal uses. Other projects—some completed, some now under construction—include textiles, a bitumen refinery, cement plants and a sugar refinery.

To raise the nation's health standards, the Development Board has set aside large sums for medical instruction, expansion of the existing facilities, construction of a new medical college and several large hospitals. The Board is also planning the construction of low-cost housing in all parts of the country.

In education and recreation, the five-year plan provides for considerable expansion in primary and secondary school buildings, with emphasis on industrial schools and workshops. Throughout the country, recreation grounds and swimming pools will be built and Northern Iraq will be developed to encourage tourism.

An outstanding feature of the five-year plan is the balance struck between long-range projects, such as irrigation, whose benefits will not be felt immediately; and short-term projects such as housing which will quickly contribute to the welfare of the people. And when all these projects are carried to completion, Iraq will not only enjoy an unprecedented standard of living but will be able to support in comfort two or three times her present population of five million persons.

## Doyle Blake Completes Basic Training at San Diego

SAN DIEGO, Calif. (FHTNC) — Doyle W. Blake, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill R. Blake of Route 1, Box 77, Morton, Tex. is among those who recently completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif.

The nine weeks training program was capped by a full dress parade and review.

## NEW SON FOR DOYLE MERRITTS

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. (Duke) Merritt announce the birth of a son, named Coy Allen, weighing 8 lbs. and four ounces who arrived at the Cochran County Hospital on Tuesday, December 4. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Nile Weed of St. Jose, and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Merritt of Morton.

## Miss Jean Green Gets ENMU Honors

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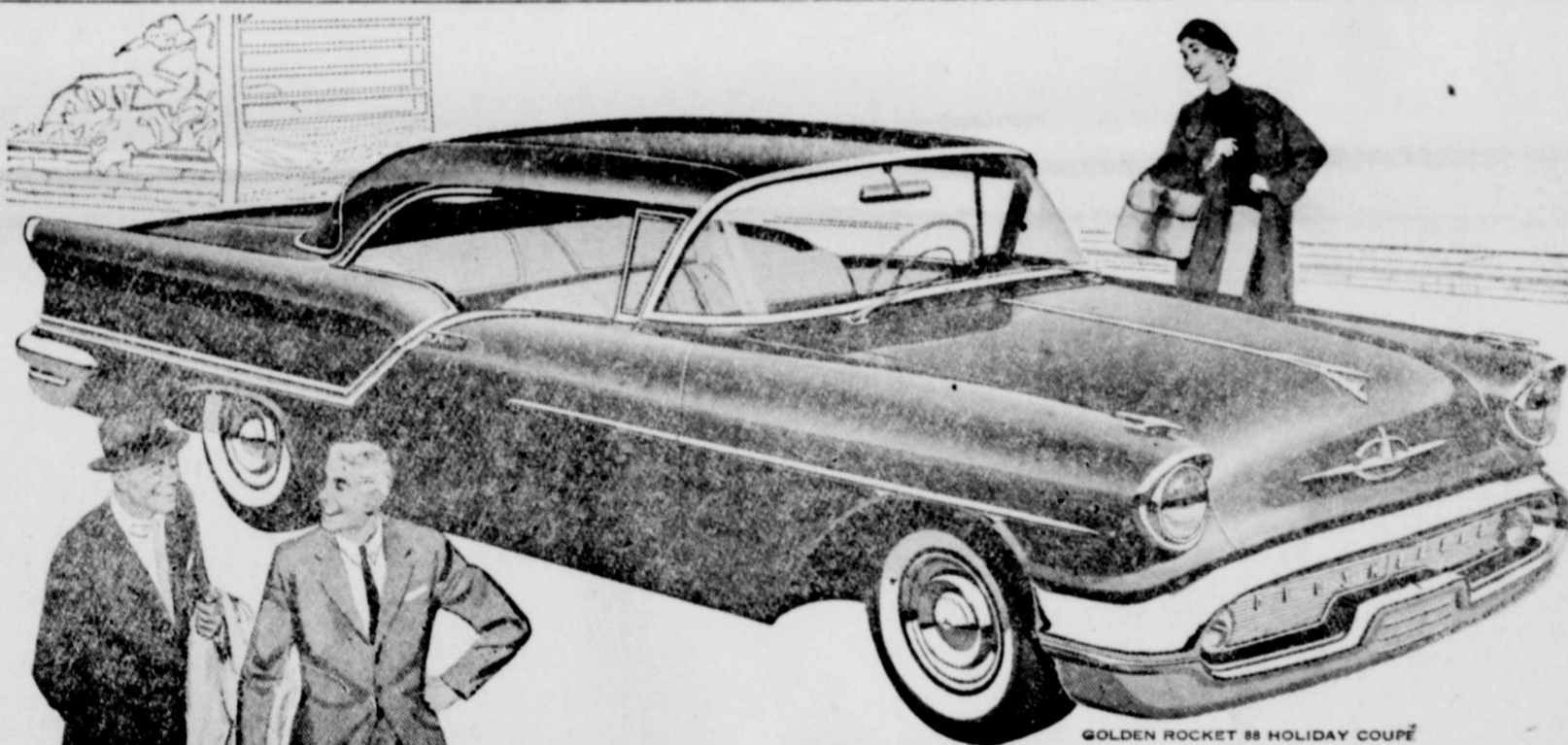
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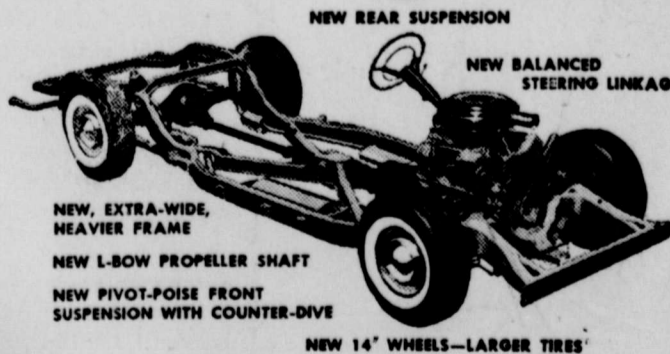
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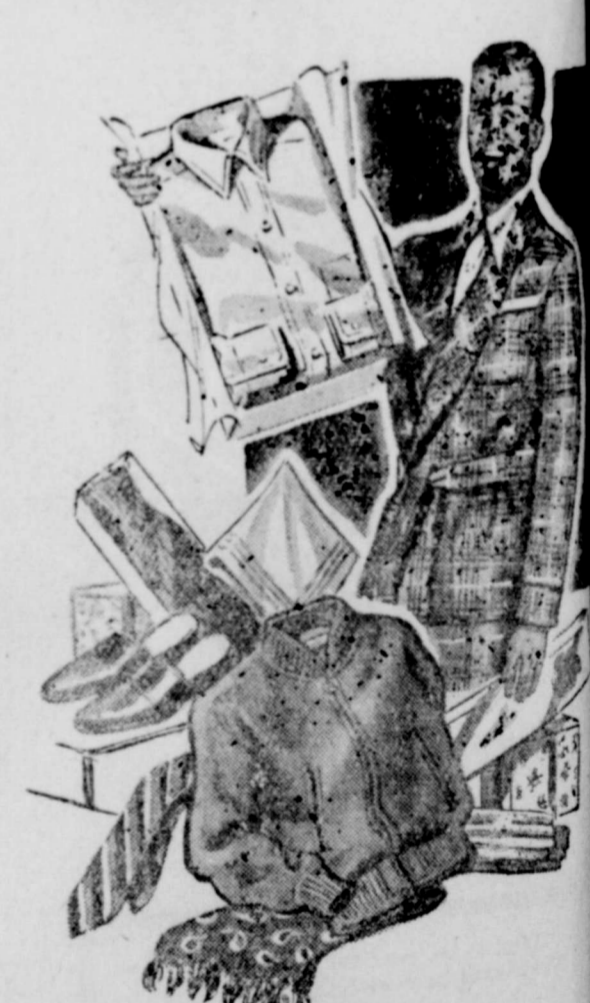
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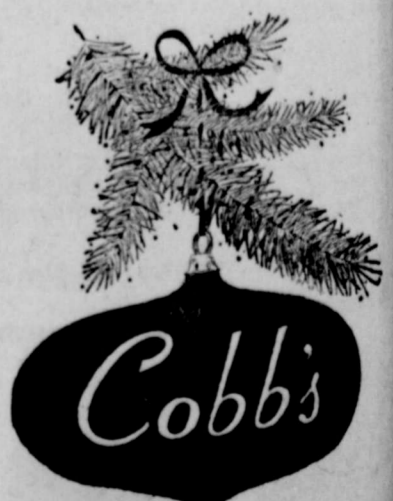
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