



Some liked him . . .

Christmas season gets underway in Morton

Christmas really got underway here this week with Santa Claus, a parade, registration for gifts, a home tour, and the turning on of the Christmas lights and music.

Thursday, Santa entertained the youngsters on the square from noon to 2:30. He talked with them and distributed over 700 sacks of candy, furnished by courtesy of Morton businessmen. Some of the candy was given to first and second graders at school.

At 4:30 a Christmas parade entertained hundreds that lined the sunny streets to watch the colorful event. Six floats were in the parade which was led by the Morton High School Marching band.

The L'Allegro Study Club float, sponsored by the Tribune, won first place honors, with the junior class float winning second place, and Stockdale School sponsored by Jones Ford winning third. The judging was done by the Ministerial Alliance.

Other entries in the parade included the FHA float, the Emlea Smith Junior Study Club float, sponsored by Morton Spraying & Fertilizer, and the Little Folks Kindergarten, sponsored by Ideal Gift Shop.

Local residents registered Thursday for the gift certificates that Morton merchants are giving away. A drawing for the certificates will be held Saturday, December 18, at 2:00 p.m. on the courthouse square.

Thirty merchants will give away ninety-six gift certificates, the value of which totals about \$450. Winners of the certificates do not have

to be present to win, and the gift certificates will be mailed to the winners on the same day as the drawing. They will be redeemable in the different Morton stores all 20 through 24.

Sunday, the Cochran County Garden Club presented "Holiday Jewels", a Christmas Tour of homes from 2:00-4:00 p.m. Approximately 100 guests toured the three homes which had been decorated with Christmas themes. Some of the guests were from Lubbock.

Using the quotation "If the house is open, so must be the heart", hostesses at each home welcomed guests and guided the tour through explaining the "make-up" of each decoration.

Mrs. Truett McCuiston welcomed guests at the door of her home which used a "religious theme." Matching figures of the Madonna and Child were centers of interest for the mantle in the living room and on the dining table. Angels, Madonnas and open Bibles were used at various locations in each room of the home to complete the religious theme. Members of the Merry Goals Junior Garden club had colored the decorations on the programs which were given to each guest.

"An Old Fashioned Christmas" was the theme at the home of Mrs. W. E. Hovey. Guests were greeted and guided through her home which displays many items of interest gathered from all over the world and worked into Christmas decorations.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Doss met



Some didn't . . .

Transmitter for mobile radios being installed

Five Area Telephone Company has received a radio station construction permit from the Federal Communications Commission for the construction and installation of mobile telephone service in this area. There will be two transmitter locations, one north of Muleshoe, and the other east of Maple.

Mobile units are approved for operation. Anyone living in Morton, Needmore, Bula, or Exchanges can dial or be reached directly from a mobile unit. The transmitter will be installed by December 15. The last year the Telephone Company has been in the process of expanding its facilities. See BRUSH, Page 2

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Food baskets and toys will be distributed here

The annual Christmas Charity drive for toys for tots and food baskets for the needy, is now underway, according to Fred Thomas, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

A basic food box containing one toy for each child in the family, will be given to needy families one week before Christmas. The families will be investigated by the ministerial alliance, which is sponsoring the program.

Contributions and donations for the cause come from several sources. Some of these sources include Thanksgiving offerings taken in the local churches, civic clubs and organizations, individuals, and a white Christmas offering in the

churches where canned goods, See BASKETS, Page 2

Sandfer named Cochran draft board registrar

Walter G. Sandfer of Morton has been appointed a registrar for the Bailey-Cochran-Lamb county draft board in the Morton area.

Young men who reach the age of 18 can register in Morton by calling on Mr. Sandfer at the Sheriff's Office, County Courthouse, Monday through Saturday.

A registrar is maintained in the area so that men will not have to travel to the draft board at Muleshoe.

Colonel Morris S. Schwartz, state director of the draft system, expressed public appreciation of the services of Mr. Sandfer.

"People of the Morton area should appreciate the service he renders to them," Colonel Schwartz said, "as he is doing the work without pay as a public service to his country."

All males are required to register under the draft law on their 18th birthday or within five days thereafter. Maximum penalties that can be applied for failure to register are \$10,000 fine, or five years in prison, or both.

★ Contest

The student council at Morton High School is sponsoring a best decorated door contest this year. Prizes of \$15 \$10, and \$5 will be awarded to the first three prize winners. The theme will be "Colorful Christmas." The judges will be Mrs. W. B. McSpadden, Mrs. J. P. Jones, and Mrs. Bobby Travis.

Robbery suspect stopped by city patrolman here

Calvin Eddie Young, 41, a suspect in a Muleshoe strong arm robbery was stopped here early Tuesday morning and apprehended by city patrolman Marvin Lee Robinson.

The alleged robbery took place at a Muleshoe service station about 1:30 a.m. Tuesday. An all points bulletin was immediately broadcast. Patrolman Robinson was checking an open window at the Flash-o-gas company on the Muleshoe highway, when he spotted an automobile that fitted the description of the all points bulletin. Robins pursued the car and apprehended the suspect near town.

Robinson said that the man was not armed and did not try to resist arrest.

Young has been charged with, "Held for Muleshoe strong arm robbery." He was returned to the Muleshoe police department Tuesday night.

Area residents participate in brush program

Jenny B. Denny, Bledsoe, Sam Kelly, Morton, and State Representative Jesse T. George joined state and federal officials and other interested persons in Quanah Wednesday, for the initiation of a nation-wide research program to eradicate mesquites.

The representatives from Cochran County will also be on a public relations mission for this area. Jenny B. Denny wore a complete suit made from cotton baggin lined with brown domestic lining. The suit cost three dollars to make and the cotton bagging came from Morton Co-Op Gin. The group also took with them miniature cotton bales, from Producers Ware House, Whiteface, and corsages and bouquets made from cotton bolls, prepared by Morton florists. Jesse George presented to W. C. Howard, President of the Southwestern Mesquite and Brush Eradication Association, a novelty souvenir made by Jenny B. Denny. One hundred lbs. of red beans raised by Gene Benhna was also presented to Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman.

Some 5,000 persons from Texas, New Mexico, and Oklahoma were expected to be on hand to discuss with Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman and agro-industry leaders the need for a permanent solution to the Southwest's most

See BRUSH, Page 2

Micronaire count may be low

A good number of area farmers may have their cotton crops discounted this year because of low micronaire readings.

In reports from the Plains Cotton Growers, the USDA, individual farmers, and ginners, ginners and farmers across the High Plains are more than a little concerned over the big percentage of "low Mike" cotton showing up in this year's crop.

On the High Plains, the crop of Nov. 5-12 miked an average of 4.0 with 85 percent above 3.5. In the latest report, however, covering the season through Nov. 26, the micronaire average dropped to 3.8. Only 60 percent was above 3.5.

Beginning Oct. 31, cotton which carried a micronaire reading be-

low 3.3 will be discounted. Cotton miking from 3.0 through 3.2 will be discounted 60 points, from 2.7 through 2.9 will carry a discount of 165 points and all below that level will lose 300 points.

A report of the first week in December by the PCG shows that probably about 23 percent of the High Plains crop for the season had fallen into discount ranges.

But cotton ginned and classed during the period from Nov. 12 through November 26, will likely indicate what can be expected from the remainder of the crop on the High Plains. During that time, 1.1 percent of the crop was miked at 2.6 and below, 6.6 percent miked from 2.7 through 2.9 and about 20 percent came in the 3.0 through 3.2 range, a total of 28 percent in the discount ranges.

In Cochran County the "mike" is running from about 2.7 to 3.6, with a sufficient percentage running in the discount ranges.

A spokesman for the Morton Co-Op Gin said that the micronaire reading was running from 2.7 to 4.2. He said that a very rough estimate would place the Micronaire average at about 3.3. The Willingham Gin said its Micronaire fields and to different varieties, 3.3.

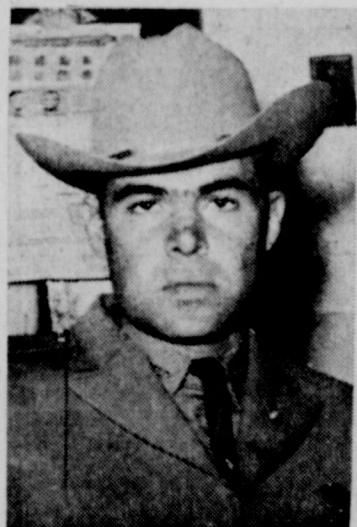
Band members will attend band meet in Lubbock

Eight Morton High School band members have been chosen to participate in the All Region Band Concert Meet to be presented at the Monterey High School auditorium, Lubbock, at 7:30 p.m., Saturday.

John Stockdale, band director at Morton High School, has been selected to be one of the organizers of the program.

Those participating from Morton High are Patty McClure, Donna Allsup, Donna Hofman, David Salinas, Billie Rae Proctor, Randall Tanner, Larry Seigler, and Charles Hofman.

About two hundred forty members of bands of Region I of the Texas Music Educators will perform. Two bands of 120 members each will present numbers under the direction of two guest clinicians. The first band to perform will be composed of members from bands of Junior High, Class B, A and AA classifications. The Morton band members would be from the AA band classification. The last band to perform will be made up of membership from Class AAA and AAAA.



MARVIN L. ROBINSON

Robinson is new city patrolman

Marvin L. Robinson is the new city patrolman. He succeeded M. O. Mills who resigned last week.

Robinson grew up in Sundown and graduated from Sundown High School. He attended South Plains College and spent two years in the Army in France, where he was associated with the military police. He is married to the former Janice Davidson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Davidson of Levelland. His wife is a graduate of Levelland High School, and also attended South Plains College.

The Robinsons belong to the Church of Christ and have no children. Robinson's hobbies include scuba diving and dogs. He owns a German shepherd and is training it.

Mrs. Robinson is a secretary at radio station KRAN.



All Region band meet . . .

THESE EIGHT Morton High School band members have been selected to participate in the All Regional Band Concert Meet to be presented at the Monterey High School auditorium, Lubbock, at 7:30 p.m., Saturday. Seated, left to right, Patty McClure, Donna

Allsup, Donna Hofman, David Salinas. Standing left to right, Billie Rae Proctor, Randall Tanner, Larry Seigler, Charles Hofman, and Band Director John Stockdale. Stockdale has been selected to be one of the organizers of the program.

Coloring contest . . .

BERLY BEAUCHAMP, age 5, appears to be mighty happy as she prepares to enter the annual coloring contest sponsored this year by Morton Insurance Agency. A coloring page may be picked up at the Tribune or at the Morton Insurance Agency. The two categories are for boys and girls age four through six years, and those for ages seven through nine. Prize money amounting to \$16 will be awarded. The deadline is Friday, December 18, and colored pages may be turned into the Tribune or the Morton Insurance Agency.

Baskets

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toys, or gifts are bought to church Monday and the main item of discussion was the charity fund drive. A "White Christmas" offering was suggested for December 19th in each church in and around Morton. Church members will be asked to bring canned goods or usable toys wrapped in white paper. It is im-

portant to label the toys as to approximate age child and whether it is for a boy or girl.

Financial contributions to help the needy families at Christmas time are also encouraged. Boxes will be packed at the First Methodist Church on Monday morning, December 20, so each church should be responsible for getting all items there.

Last year 45 families were aided through the Christmas Charity fund, and it is expected that there will be more this year. Rev. Fred Thomas and Rev. Charles Gates are co-chairmen of this drive, but all ministers and churches will have a part in sponsoring it.

Brush

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devastating agricultural problem—the loss of land to the creeping paralysis of mesquite and other brush infestation.

The Quana program was launched with a field day demonstration on Wednesday under the auspices of the newly organized Southwestern Mesquite and Brush Eradication Association.

A brush control demonstration took place on the J. A. Koch farm 14 miles west of Quana. This farm belongs to Carroll Koch, sister of Jenny B. Denny, Bledsoe. The demonstration sought to impress upon Secretary Freeman and other federal officials, the need for support from federal and state governments, agriculture, business, and ranch people for a feasible method of total eradication of brush species.

George stated, "Although mesquite control is a definite problem in our West Texas area, we see to face a more extensive problem with shin oak and sand sage. In Hockley County there are approximately 80,000 acres of ranch land, most of which is infested to some degree with mesquite. Around 20,000 acres are heavily infested and need additional measures of control. Terry County has approximately 40,000 acres in shin oak, and only about 4,000 acres have been treated. Yoakum County has a total acreage of brush infested range land amounting to 238,200 acres; 213,000 of these acres are infested with shin oak and some mesquite, with only 25,220 acres having been treated. Cochran County inventory indicates there are 59,051 acres of rangeland having a brush problem of shin oak, mesquite, and, to a smaller degree, yucca and sand sage. Similar problems exist in Bailey County."

George continued, "Present methods of brush control do not fully eradicate brush species, but will reduce them and enable more desirable plants to grow. These invading plants are controlled primarily by aerial spraying with tree dosing, root plowing, shredding, and basal application of chemicals being used to a smaller degree. Cost sharing under the Great Plains Conservation Program has greatly



Accept 2nd place trophy . . .

WAYNE THOMPSON, left, and Charles Joyce hold the trophy for second place in the second annual Morton freshmen basketball tournament held last weekend in the local gym. The local five was defeated in the finals of the tourney by Levelland by a 61-41 margin. TRIBpix

NOTICE

The Emlea Smith Jr. Study Club will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7:45 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Tru-

man Doss. Mrs. Bob Polvado and Mrs. J. W. Tyson will serve as hostesses.

The program will be "Christmas in Story and Sharing of Christmas Crafts."

Members are reminded to bring a gift for either a boy or a girl. Gifts should not cost more than \$1.

Morton Indians dropped here by Levelland five

Morton's basketballers dropped a 61-32 decision to the Levelland Lobos on the home court Tuesday night.

The Indians fell behind 18-12 at the end of the first period, and trailed 33-16 at halftime. Tally at the end of the third quarter was 47-23.

Morton was led in the scoring department by Byron Willis with 18 markers on seven field goals and four free tosses. Jimmy Joyce had six for the Indians while Freddy Thomas made four. High point man for Levelland was Clay Krueger with 20.

The Indian B team also fell to the visitors by a 65-31 count. Dick Vanlandingham and Charles Hoffman, with nine and six points, respectively, led the locals.

Radio

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More than 150 miles of cable have been buried. Many calls going to the rural areas are now transmitted by buried cable. A complete new building with all new equipment was installed in the Lazbuddie Exchange for additional users.

The Cooperative started in 1956 with only 400 users and now has almost 1400. It is expected to add about 300 additional users within the next three years.

The Cooperative is financed by a loan from the Federal Government that is being paid back to the Government with interest. This is a 35 year loan. The Cooperative is controlled by a Board of Directors of seven men. These Directors are as follows: Wallace O. Jones, President, Dimmitt; Raymond Gage, Vice President, Circle Back; Eddie Wallace, Secretary-Treasurer, Enochs; D. L. Tucker, Morton; Joe Embry, Muleshoe; Lonnie Wilhite, Muleshoe; and Ike Williams, Morton.

Cotton

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factors is the late freeze itself. He explained that the lateness allowed many small, immature bolls to open which would have been killed and not harvested had the cotton plants been killed by a freeze in early November. It has been noted by other observers that virtually all of the bolls which have opened in the past three weeks contain immature, wasty fiber.

Not to be overlooked is the fact that the late freeze, while helping to lower micronaire, will also increase total yield.

Ray also feels that an increase in the amount of verticillium wilt has adversely affected micronaire this season. This is especially true in the northern tier of counties on the Plains.

It is generally felt, too, that rain and cold nights in the month of September this year may have been a factor. The rains which fell on some cotton caused increased late fruiting and a greater than normal number of late, immature bolls. And it is known that cool weather hinders the deposition of fiber and results in immaturity, which causes low micronaire.

Some ginners have called attention to the fact that in going through their green cards a series of bales with good mike will appear, then several bales with low mike. Ray thinks this can likely be explained by a variance of water available to plants in different fields and to different varieties.

Indeterminant varieties are those which, even after they have once stopped growth and fruiting, will resume growth and put on new fruit when additional water or plant nutrients become available, according to Ray.

On the other hand, highly determinant varieties will "cut-out" when they become heavily fruited or because of insufficient moisture or fertility. Consequently these varieties would not carry the same proportion of late, immature bolls as would indeterminant varieties.

Ray said that this year has proven that a late freeze does not ne-

Christmas

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the tour guests at their home used "The Trees of Christmas" theme. Colors of red, green were predominant in home. One decoration in the room was made from 250 gold ribbon roses. A which took more than six hours to complete, was made from plastic medicine cups and paper.

Guests were served red mas punch, coffee and the Doss home. The names Weldon Newsom, Mrs. W. ham and Mrs. D. K. Broe drawn as winners of the draw.

The annual Christmas Contest titled "Gems of Christmas" sponsored by the County Garden Club will be on Monday, December 13. Persons wishing to enter Mrs. Don Workman at 266.

There is no charge for and the deadline is Friday, December 10, 1965. Judging gin at 6:00 p.m. on December 11. Entrants should be sure lights on and everything by this time.

The divisions are: Religious window, or outside scene; Religious door, window, or scene and a business or social division.

The scale of points for is Distinction and Original Points, Balance and Harmony Points, and Crafts and Art Points. Everyone is urged to decorate the outside of their and to enter the contest. Morton can be more beautiful during the Holiday Season.

And this is one of the things will need to be given prime consideration in the development of new varieties. Plains area.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer By Pampa spent the weekend Mrs. C. B. Newton.

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Dyer injured in gin accident

Rusty Dyer, Morton, was injured in a local gin accident here Sunday.

He was first taken to Morton Memorial Hospital and then transferred by Singleton Funeral Home to Lubbock. According to Dr. W. B. McSpadden, Dyer suffered a bad break in his ankle. He was reportedly operated on Sunday afternoon in Lubbock.

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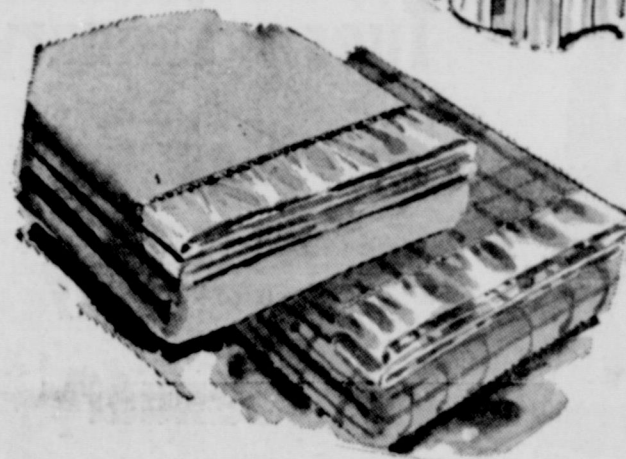
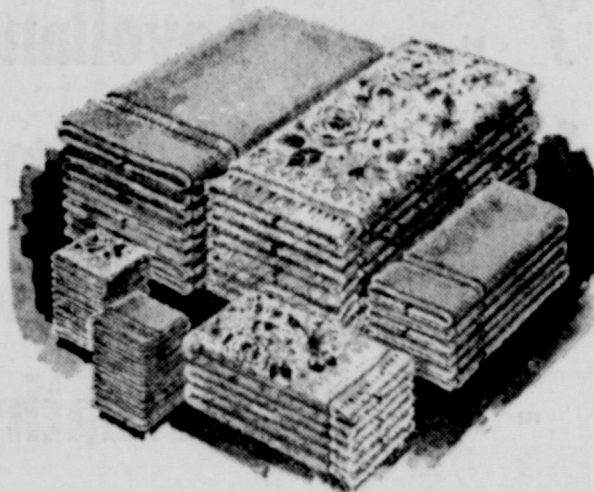
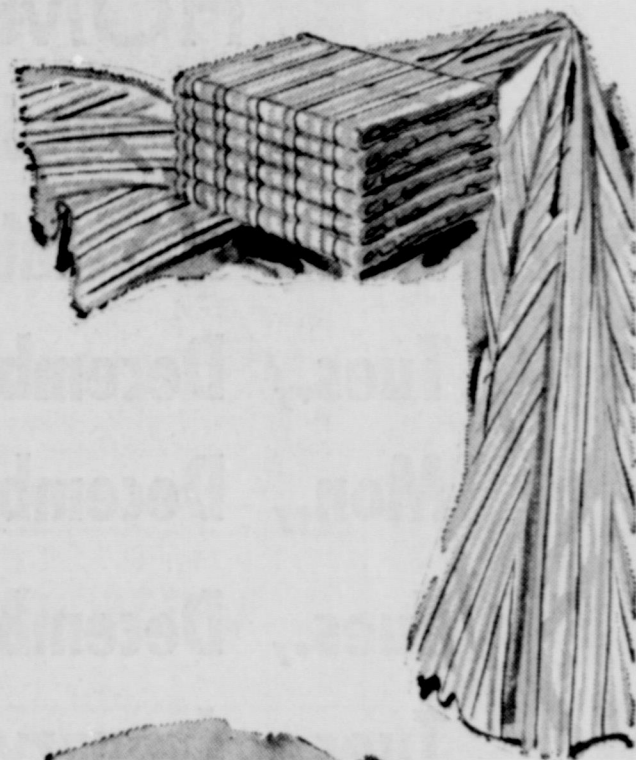
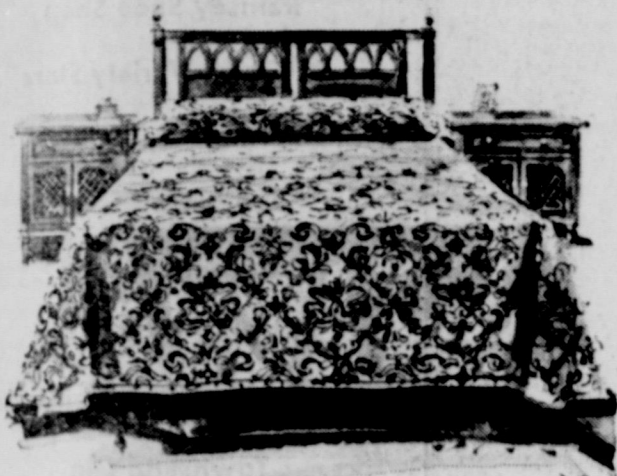
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Three styrofoam angels . . .

THESE THREE lovely styrofoam angels were on the door of the entrance way of the Mrs. W. E. Hovey home in the annual Tour of Homes presented by the Cochran County Garden Club, Sunday afternoon. The angels were colored blue, white, pink and yellow. The theme of the Hovey home was "An Old Fashioned Christmas," and was carried throughout the house.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Samuel Hinojos, Morton, admitted November 30, dismissed December 3, medical.
 Baby girl Clark, Morton, born December 1, dismissed December 4.
 Angie Piedra, Morton, admitted December 1, dismissed December 4, medical.
 Mrs. C. T. Seaman, Morton, admitted December 1, dismissed December 4, medical.
 Mrs. Juliam Prieto, Morton, admitted December 1, remaining.
 Mceria Ann Honesto, Morton, admitted December 1, dismissed December 6, medical.
 Jimmy Dyer, Morton, admitted December 1, dismissed December 4, medical.
 Mrs. Alfonso Gomez, Morton, admitted December 2, dismissed December 6, OB.
 Baby girl Gomez, Morton, born December 2, dismissed December 6.
 Don Lamar, Morton, admitted December 3, dismissed December 6, medical.
 Mrs. G. H. Balko, Lingo, N.M., admitted December 3, dismissed December 7, medical.
 Dianie Zapata, Morton, admitted December 3, dismissed December 6, medical.
 Mrs. Bob Stokes, Causey, N.M., admitted December 4, dismissed December 7, medical.
 Edward Cardenas, Morton, admitted December 5, dismissed December 7, medical.
 Roe Crone, Morton, admitted December 5, remaining, medical.
 Donald Smith, Morton, admitted December 5, remaining, medical.
 Ernie Carranza, Enochs, admitted December 6, remaining, medical.
 Rita Fralin, Morton, admitted December 6, remaining, medical.
 Leo Lee, Morton, admitted December 6, dismissed December 7, accident.

Slot-car race track will open

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carothers are opening a slot-car race way at 706 W. Washington.

The grand opening will be held Saturday with door prizes being given away. First prize will be a ready to run car, second prize will be a motor, and the third prize will consist of a tool kit. Trophy races will be run on Fridays.

The different age brackets are: boys and girls 12 years old and younger; boys 13-17; boys and men 17 and up; and women, no age limit.

Five miniature cars can speed around the curving table top track at one time. Each car has its own motor and is controlled by a separate control board. To make the car go faster, the control handle is squeezed and if the cars go too fast around the track, they turn over or fly off the curves. Slot car racing has gotten to be a fad among grown-ups as well as youngsters, according to Mrs. Carothers.

The new slot-car racing center will offer trophy races every Friday night. Trophies may be won on a point system. A six weeks trophy will also be offered on a point system.

The center has miniature cars that may be bought already assembled. It also has different parts and construction kits, so that interested persons may build the different types of cars they desire.

Mrs. Carothers said that many youngsters modify their cars so that they will run faster. She also said that it takes skill and that there is a definite art in running the tiny autos around the track at a high rate of speed.

The Slot-car center will be open from 4:00 - 11:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Saturdays and Sundays it will be open 1:00 - 11:00 p.m. A repair shop is also available at the slot-car race way to build and repair the tiny racers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Walling recently spent the weekend in Carlsbad with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reese.

Morton School Cafeteria menu

Monday, December 13 — Cubed beef, au gratin potatoes, sliced tomatoes, fruit, hot rolls, butter and half pint milk.

Tuesday, December 14 — Chicken pot pie, jello, plain cake, wheat rolls, butter and half pint milk.

Wednesday, December 15 — Chili pie with cheese, carrot, raisin and orange salad, rice pudding with fruit, crackers and half pint milk.

Thursday, December 16 — Hamburger patties on buttered bun, potatoe chips, pickles and relish, peanut butter cookies and half pint chocolate milk.

Friday, December 17 — Fish sticks, catsup, rice with cheese sauce, buttered whole kernel corn, sliced apricots, hot rolls, butter and half pint milk.

PFC Guajardo finishes four-weeks training

Marine Private First Class Robert Guajardo Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Guajardo of Route 1, Morton has graduated from the Aviation Mechanical Fundamentals School at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Memphis, Tenn.

During the four-week course he was introduced to mathematics, physics and principles of electricity. He studied atomic structure, static and dynamic electricity, magnetic theory, and the theory of construction of aircraft batteries.

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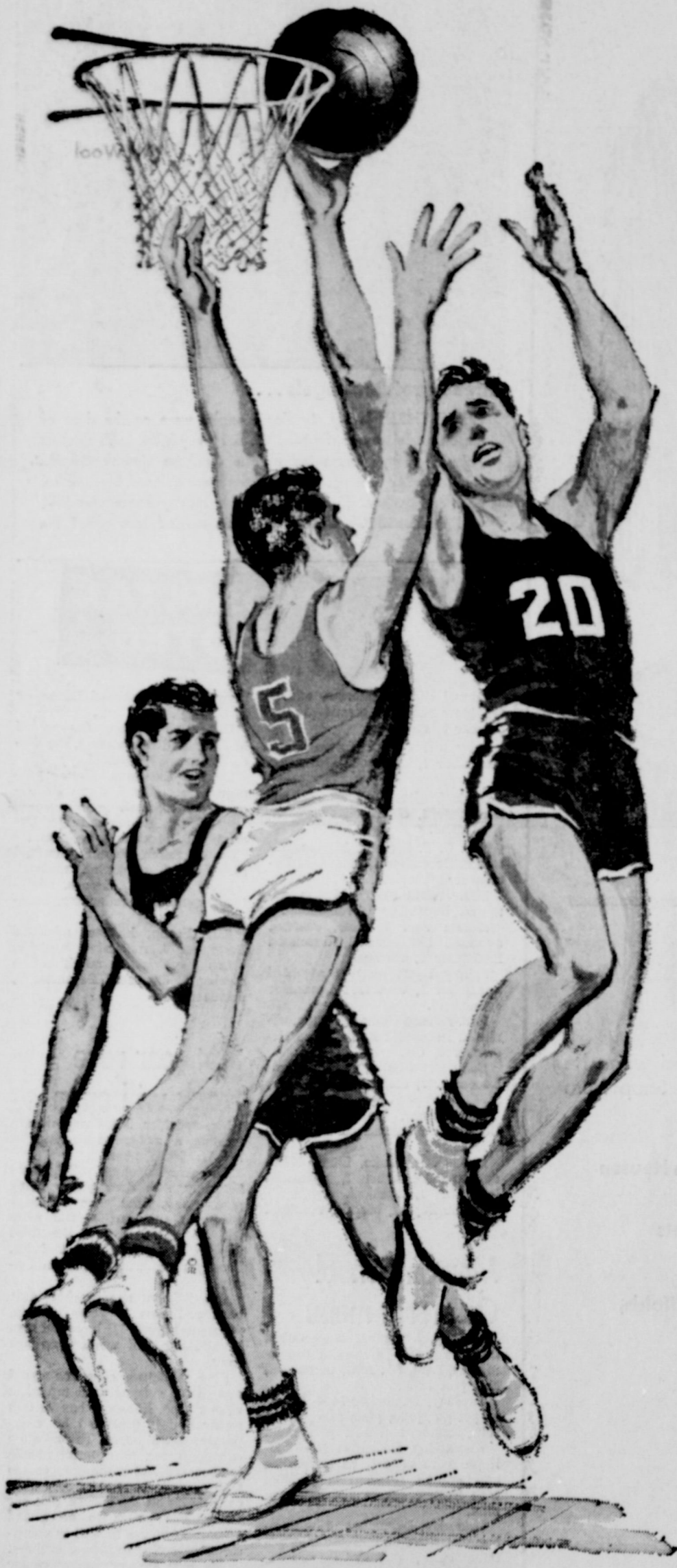
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Three-way honor roll is released

Following is the Honor Roll for the Three Way Ind. School for the six-week period. Honors range from 87 - 93; High Honors 94 and up.

High - First Grade: Kandy Simpson, Diana Orsak, Gloria Simpson, Sheryl Albert, Albert Ampanan, Sheryl Bobby, Bobby Holder, Cindy Johnson. Honors - Lloyd Joyce, Vanstory, A tonio Marez, Marez, Etta Warren.

Second Grade: High - Mary Perez, Karen Corkery, Randy Konnie, Konnie Richardson, Leann Shelia, Shelia Reaves, Linda Shannon, Shannon Sowler. Honor - Cornish, Donnie Nichols, Miller, Robert Phillips, Perez, Andy Warren.

Third Grade: High - Kim Debra, Debra Burkett, Chuch DuKathy, Kathy Foad, Debbie Furgue, Kent Hicks, Rickie Myers, Sowler, Yvonna Vanstory. Honor - Rickie Lee, Martina Pam Partlow, Dan Simpson.

Fourth Grade: High - Johnny Mark, Mark Corkery, Lynn Carner, Honor - Ronnie Kenley, Dana Lana, Joe Maldonado, Dovie Maria, Maria Rosa, Ronnie Ric-

Rena Neutzler, Terry Pollard, Lee Sanderson, Ann Warren.

Sixth Grade: High - Mary Mercado, Honor - Jerry Nichols, Sandra Simpson, Larry Neutzler.

Seventh Grade: High - Suzy Herrera, Denna Waltrip, Geneo Abbe, John Furgeson. Honor - Rhonda Dupler, Atan Davis, Michael Sowler.

Eighth: High - Sam Feagley, Kathy Hicks. Honor - Mike Lynskey.

High School: High - Chester Huff, Joy Eubnaks, Gayle Gant, Julia Burkett, Doyleen Davis, Johnny Harris. Honor - Charlie Abbe, Wendell Williams, Jan Heard, Perry Lynskey, Sharyn Wittner.

Three-way wins tournament prize

Last weekend Three-Way entered the New Deal tournament and the girls won the consolation prize by beating Shallowater 44-26.

Madalyn Gault was high point girl for Three-Way with 25 points.

The Three-Way girls lost one round of play to Idalou 29-34. Madalyn Gault was high point girl with 23 points. In the second round, Three-Way girls beat New Deal 60-59, and Madalyn Gault was the leading scorer again with 34 points.

The boys lost to Idalou 70-37, and lost to New Deal 45-42. Johnny Harris was high point man in both games, hitting for 15 in the first and 23 in the second.



The Truman Doss home . . .

THIS IS ONE of the decorations in the Truman Doss home that helped carry the theme "The Trees of Christmas" throughout the house in the annual Tour of Homes sponsored by the Cochran County Club. The painting

in the background was hand painted and all work on the piano top was created with many hours of pains taking work. Colors of red, pink, and green were predominate in the home.

News from Three-way

By MRS. H. W. GARVIN

Airman James P. Long left Thursday for Okinawa. He will be stationed at Kadena Air Force Base for 18 months.

Rayford Masten was in Seymour Saturday on business.

The W.M.S. of the Maple Baptist Church met Tuesday for the week of prayer in the home of Mrs. A. E. Robinson. The program was foreign missions and the theme was "Trying Sacrifice." Coffee and

cake was served to Mrs. A. E. Wright and Mrs. T. D. Davis. On Wednesday the group met in the home of Mrs. Chester Petree. Those present were Mrs. A. E. Robinson, Mrs. E. A. Wright, Mrs. D. L. Tucker, Mrs. T. D. Davis and Mrs. Dennis Heard.

The Three Way girls and boys basketball teams were in the New Deal tournament last weekend. The girls won consolation by beating New Deal and Shallowater. The boys lost out after losing to New Deal.

Gary Toombs was home from

Tech over the weekend. His roommate, Lourie Ganaway, also spent the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Garvin visited in the Enochs Methodist Church Sunday. They were dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Smelser.

Mrs. R. L. Reeves and Mrs. Jack Reeves and children were in Lubbock Friday on business.

Mrs. Bill Key is visiting her mother before moving to Ft. Smith, Arkansas where her husband is working.

Den 2 holds its Nov. Meeting in Barker home

Den 2 of Pack 644 held its November meetings in the home of Mrs. H. B. Barker with Mrs. Derwood McClintock assisting. On Tuesday, November 2, the theme for the month, "Achievements on Parade", was discussed and each Cub answered roll call with the achievement he had enjoyed most toward the Wolf Rank.

Cub Scout Coy Merriat was appointed denner for the month of November with Cub Bill Lanier as assistant denner. At this meeting, each boy gave directions as he would to a stranger from his home to the fire station, the sheriff's office, the hospital and the post office. This completed achievement 11 in the Wolf rank. The boys were then taken to the place of voting, since this was the day of the November General Election, and allowed to observe voters at the polls and how the election is conducted.

The second meeting on November 9 the boys were taken to the KRAN radio station where they had a conducted tour of the news department and were admitted to the broadcasting room to observe the actual broadcasting.

November 16, Mrs. Barker, who is also Chairman of the Cochran County Historical Society, told in story form the history of Morton and Cochran County.

The following week the boys were taken to the Slaughter Headquarters where Mr. Lloyd Miller showed them around. They returned to town to visit other spots of historical interest.

Each of these meetings were opened with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and the singing of The Star Spangled Banner, and closed by repeating The Cub Scout Promise and Law of the Pack.

Members of Den 2 are Darrell Smith, Doug Barker, Coy Merritt, Bill Lanier, Tommy McClintock, Mitchell Houghton, Monty Smith and Marlon Zuber. Den Chief from Pack 601 is Larry McClintock. Clyde Brownlow is Cub Master.

Bula participates in the Smyer tournament

Last weekend Bula participated in the Smyer invitational tournament.

In the first game with Wellman, Bula lost 43-40, and in the second round of play Smyer beat Bual 62-40.

Mr. and Mrs. Dannie Petree visited Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Petree of Maple.

George and Robert Arnett of Snyder visited Saturday in the home of their brother, Mr. and Mrs. Arnett.

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The Town and Country Study Club meets here

The Town and Country Study Club met Wednesday, December 1st, in the home of Mrs. Keith Kennedy, assisted by Mrs. Bill Hovey.

The theme of the program was "Wise Use of Our Time and Money." Mrs. A. E. Sanders spoke on managing money. She gave interesting discussions and demonstrations from posters and pamphlets. Mrs. Sanders closed with tips on how the housewife can manage her time doing her daily routine work.

Mrs. Gray presided over a short business meeting. Mrs. Don Samford gave a report on the bake sale that the clubs of Morton sponsored for the purpose of raising funds for children's library books.

Plans were made for the Christmas party for Senior Citizens of Morton.

Members present were Mesdames Vernon Blackley, Charles Bowen, A. A. Fralin, Connie Gray, Roy Hill, Cheryl Ingris, LeRoy Jackson, Don Samford, A. E. Sanders, Ross Shaw, Wade Strother and the hostesses.

The next meeting will be December 15th in the home of Mrs. A. A. Fralin.

Visiting Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Arnett was Mrs. Dorothy Stinson and children of Lubbock. She is a sister of Mrs. Arnet.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pruitt of Kanorado, Kansas are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Pruitt of Maple and also Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pruitt.



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District scout meet to be held

All District and Council Scouters are urged to attend the 40th Annual Business Meeting of the South Plains Council to be held on Tuesday, December 14th, at 7:00 p.m. at the Holiday Inn Parkway in Lubbock. President Oscar Crain will preside over the meeting in which reports will be heard from the various committees and districts of the Council.

The South Plains Council serves over 10,000 boys and 3,000 adults in twenty (20) counties of the South Plains. There will be reports from Ken Flagg on Advancement, Howard Schmidt on Camping and Activities, Richard Dickey on Health and Safety, Dr. Paul Woods on Leadership Training, Bill Heston on Organization and Extension, and Bob Brummal on Finance.

Liquor board releases facts

Some facts and figures were released by the Texas liquor control board today.

For district two, which includes Cochran County and 19 other counties, 124 cases were filed for the month of October. Convictions and terms were the result of 113 of these cases and revenues in these cases were \$3,806.50. Two of these cases resulted in dismissals and acquittals, and five were criminal cases.

County livestock group has November meeting

The Cochran County Livestock Sub-committee met on November 1 to discuss the annual plan of work, and review the demonstrations presently in the progress. Dr. D. D. Hubbard, Area Livestock Specialist, and Homer E. Thompson, CAA, met with the committee.

The demonstrations on cattle grub control will be evaluated Dec. 22, 1965 by Don Rummel, Extension Dist. Entomologist and Dr. Hubbard. Also demonstrations on lice control will be started in December.

Goals for last year were to make more farmers and ranchers aware of inefficient breeding stock.

A pregnancy testing school and two educational meetings were conducted for this purpose. Due to extreme cold weather these efforts were not too successful, thus another testing school will be repeated this year. External parasite control will also be continued as another goal.

Cattle in Cochran County as a general rule suffer from poor roughage conditions in the winter months, and the range needs a rest.

Thus, a demonstration is going to be conducted this winter on using gin trash as a source of roughage for wintering beef cow herds. Although it is not definite, it is also believed by the committee that it would be possible to conduct a demonstration on stockering cal-

ves on sudan next summer.

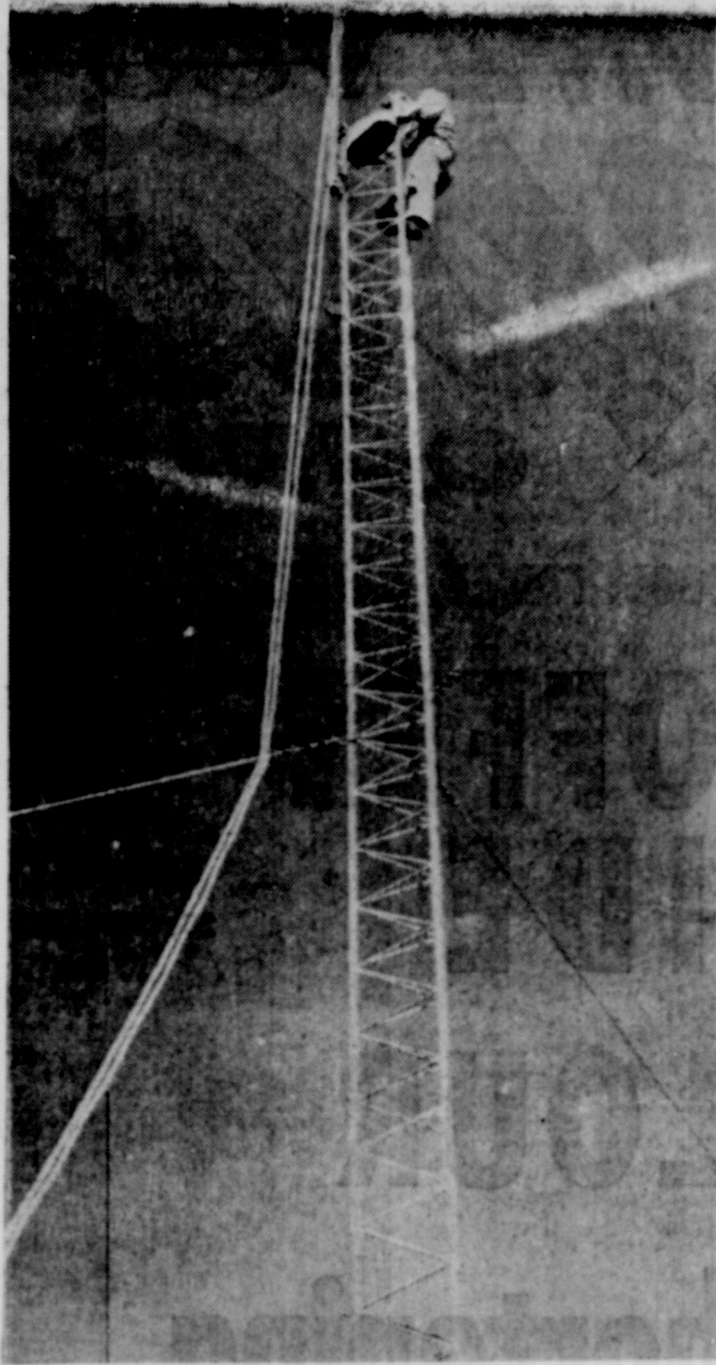
Dr. Hubbard and Don Rummel will visit in Morton and Cochran County Dec. 22. They will assist in evaluating last years goals, discuss the preparation for new demonstration goals mentioned above, and establish the demonstrators. The livestock committee is to meet at 9:00 a.m. with Hubbard and Rummel to discuss these goals more fully. This meeting is open to any interested livestock producer. The meeting will be held in the County Agent's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris are parents of daughter

Announcing the birth of their first child is Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Norris of Plainview. Their daughter was named Kimberly Rachel and weighed 7 pounds and 15 ounces. She was born December 1 at 11:45 a.m. in Highland Hospital in Lubbock.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bedwell of Morton and Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Norris of Springfield, Oregon.

Marilyn Cade and Ronnie Bell, represented Cochran County Monday night at the eighth annual district banquet for county Gold Star winners from District II of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service held in Memorial Hall of the First Methodist Church, Lubbock.



Transmitter tower goes up . . .

AN ENGINEER can be seen working on the new transmitter tower being installed by the Five Area Telephone Cooperative seven and one-half miles east of Maple. This tower, one of two being erected, will be used for mobile telephone service in this area. Anyone living in Morton, Maple, Needmore, Bula, or Lehman Exchanges can dial or be dialed directly from a mobile unit if in range of the Maple Exchange. Fifty mobile units are approved for each station.

Whiteface boys beat Bula 46-40

Tuesday Whiteface played Bula, the boys, winning the girls, losing. The Whiteface B boys won in overtime 40-33. The Whiteface girls lost to Bula 46-35. Sue Lewis was high point girl for Whiteface with 20 points.

The Whiteface boys beat Bula 46-40. Randy Wheeler and Kenneth Roberts tied for high point man with 14 points each. Thursday Whiteface will go to the Spring Lake tournament. The girls will play Happy at 12:30, and the boys will play Boys Ranch at 6:00.

In the annual Whiteface tournament held Thursday, Friday and Saturday, in the boys division, Bledsoe took first, and Sudan second. In the girls division, Sudan took first, and Abernathy second.

Cochran County has two 4-H rifle ranges

Cochran County has two caliche pits being used for 4-H Rifle and safety training in Whiteface and Bledsoe Communities. A third pit is to be constructed eight miles north west of Morton on J. D. Thomas farm. This means that all pits will be ready to train 4-H boys and girls interested in marksmanship and safety.

Dale Thoms is the 4-H Rifle leader at Bledsoe. The pit is located one mile west of Bledsoe.

DeWayne Smith and Gary Melton are the leaders at Whiteface. The pit is located one-fourth mile west of Penn Cagle's home, or north-west of Whiteface one mile. This group will resume training after the cotton harvest.

The construction of the new rifle pit will begin in a few days. Mr. J. D. Thomas, leader will furnish the material for its construction after the county maintainer has renovated the area. The leaders are Kenneth Coats and E. C. Hale. This group has a Junior Leader, Ronald Hale, to assist with the training too. Cochran County has taken first or second place in the district for several years now. The safety training alone is invaluable to those youngsters. The cooperation of the dads and mothers makes this training most successful. They furnish transportation, assist in the training and help in control at the range. These factors make the leader's job less difficult.

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Pvt. Phillips finishes course

Pvt. Thomas D. Phillips, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Phillips, 501 S.E. First St., Morton, completed a nine-week communications center specialist course at the Army Southeastern Signal School, Fort Gordon, Ga., Dec. 3.

Phillips was trained in the use of teletype sets, tape relay operations and in the operation of long distance communications equipment. He entered the Army last July and completed basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. Phillips was graduated from the Morton High School in 1962.

Airman Edwin D. Stringer nominated for PACAFBASCOM Airman of quarter

Airman Edwin D. Stringer has been nominated for selection as PACAFBASCOM Airman of the quarter, at Hickman Air Force Base in Hawaii.

Stringer lived in Morton, until 1956. He attended school in the Morton School District and played in the high school band from 1951 to 1956 when he moved to Alpine, Texas.

Part of the letter of recommendation stated, "Airman Stringer has been assigned to the 501st Air Force band for approximately ten months. From the earliest days of his tour, his outstanding qualities were evident." The letter continued, "Diligent practice on his primary instrument, trumpet, has made him one of the key musicians in the concert, show and marching bands."

Stringer was also commended on his handling of administrative matters, his sound judgement, and his military appearance and bearing.

Stringer was born in Levelland, and is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Stringer.



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Mr. and Mrs. Grady Burson of Amarillo visited over the weekend with their daughter and family. Dr. and Mrs. Garnett Bryan and children.

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	OPERATING FUNDS					Totals
	State & County Available	Local Maintenance	Transportation	Social Security	Interest & Sinking Fund	
Opening Cash Balances, September 1, 1964		\$ 6,686.69		\$ 290.11	\$ 2.50	\$ 6,979.30
Receipts:						
Local Sources		\$ 58,724.75			\$ 12,000.00	\$ 70,724.75
County Sources		5,411.42				5,411.42
State Sources	\$ 16,748.93	14,535.06	\$ 2,295.00			38,578.99
Interfund Transfers				\$ 1,875.00		1,875.00
Investments Sold		28,000.00			7,000.00	35,000.00
TOTAL CASH RECEIPTS	\$ 16,748.93	\$ 106,671.23	\$ 2,295.00	\$ 1,875.00	\$ 19,000.00	\$ 151,590.16
TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE	\$ 16,748.93	\$ 113,357.92	\$ 2,295.00	\$ 2,165.11	\$ 19,002.50	\$ 158,569.46
Disbursements:						
Budgetary Disbursements	\$ 16,748.93	\$ 78,025.80	\$ 2,295.00	\$ 1,881.27	\$ 11,997.00	\$ 115,948.00
Interfund Transfers		1,875.00				1,875.00
Investments Purchased		33,000.00			7,000.00	40,000.00
Prior Year Payables Liquidated				270.48		270.48
TOTAL CASH DISBURSEMENTS	\$ 16,748.93	\$ 112,900.80	\$ 2,295.00	\$ 2,151.75	\$ 18,997.00	\$ 158,093.48
Closing Cash Balances, Aug. 31, 1965		457.12		\$ 13.36	\$ 5.50	\$ 475.98
Memorandum Accounts Payable, August 31, 1965				294.60		294.60
Unencumbered Balances Aug. 31, 1965		457.12		\$ (281.24)	5.50	\$ 181.38
Add: Temporary Investments and Time Deposit Balances, August 31, 1965		5,000.00			\$ 1,000.00	6,000.00
Unencumbered Fund Balances, August 31, 1965		\$ 5,457.12		\$ (281.24)	\$ 1,005.50	\$ 6,181.38

Whiteface Junior High pupils make honor roll

The following students of the Whiteface Junior High made the A or A-B honor roll for the second six weeks:

All A: Jan Meares, 8th; Cindy Cumpton, 8th.

A-B: Kay Burris, 8th; Carolyn Caffey, 8th; Vikki Cunningham, 8th; Kathy May, 8th; Owen Roberts, 7th; Carol Pond, 7th; Rod Hodge, 7th; Glen Cox, 7th; Jackie Grant, 7th; Donald Porter, 7th.

NOTICE

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First place winner . . .
 THE L'ALLEGRO Study Club float won first place honors in the annual Christmas parade here Thursday afternoon. Hundreds of spectators lined the streets to watch the colorful parade that

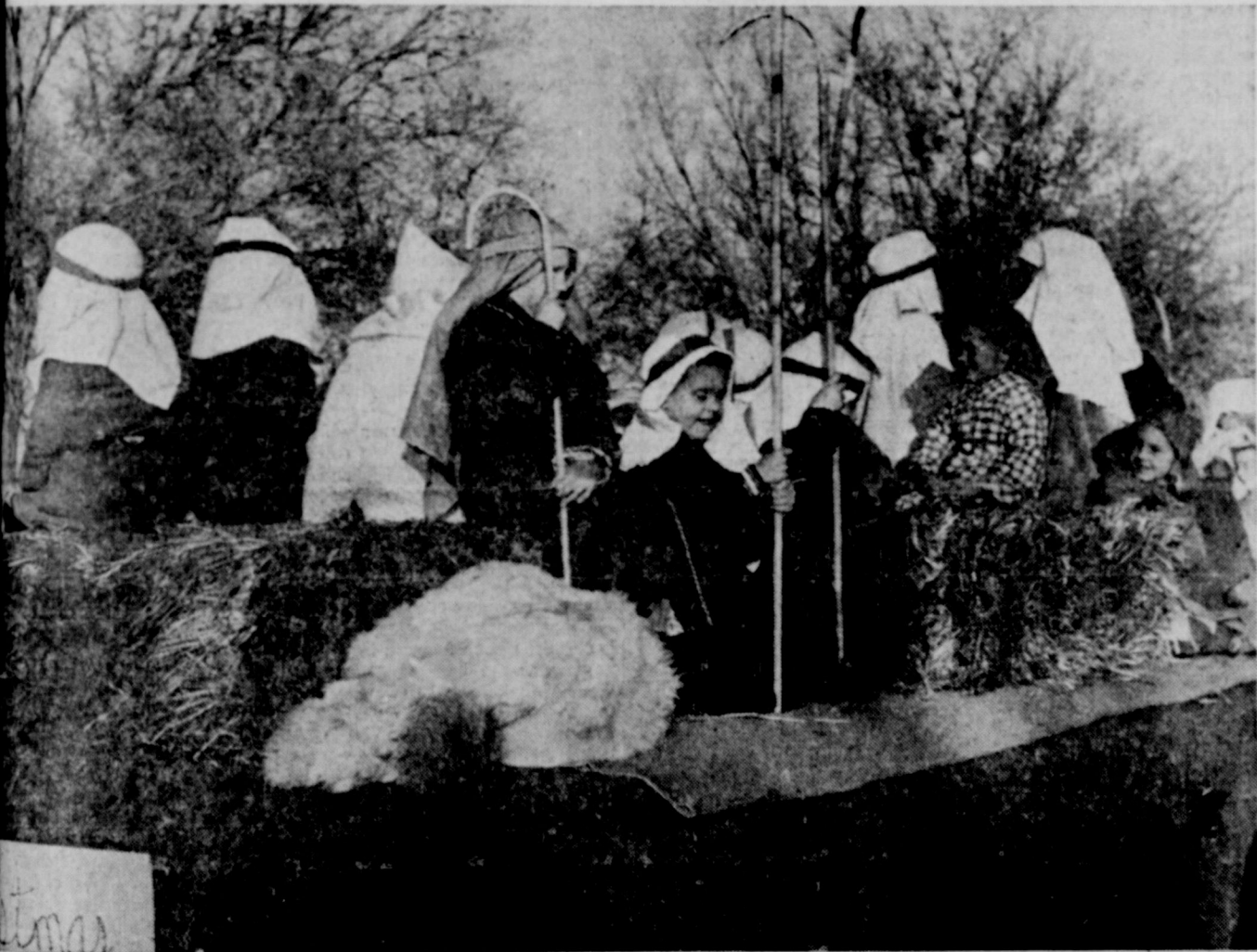
marked the beginning of the Christmas season here. The L'Allegro float was sponsored by the Morton Tribune. Six floats in all were entered in the colorful parade. The judging was done by the ministerial alliance.



Second place winner . . .

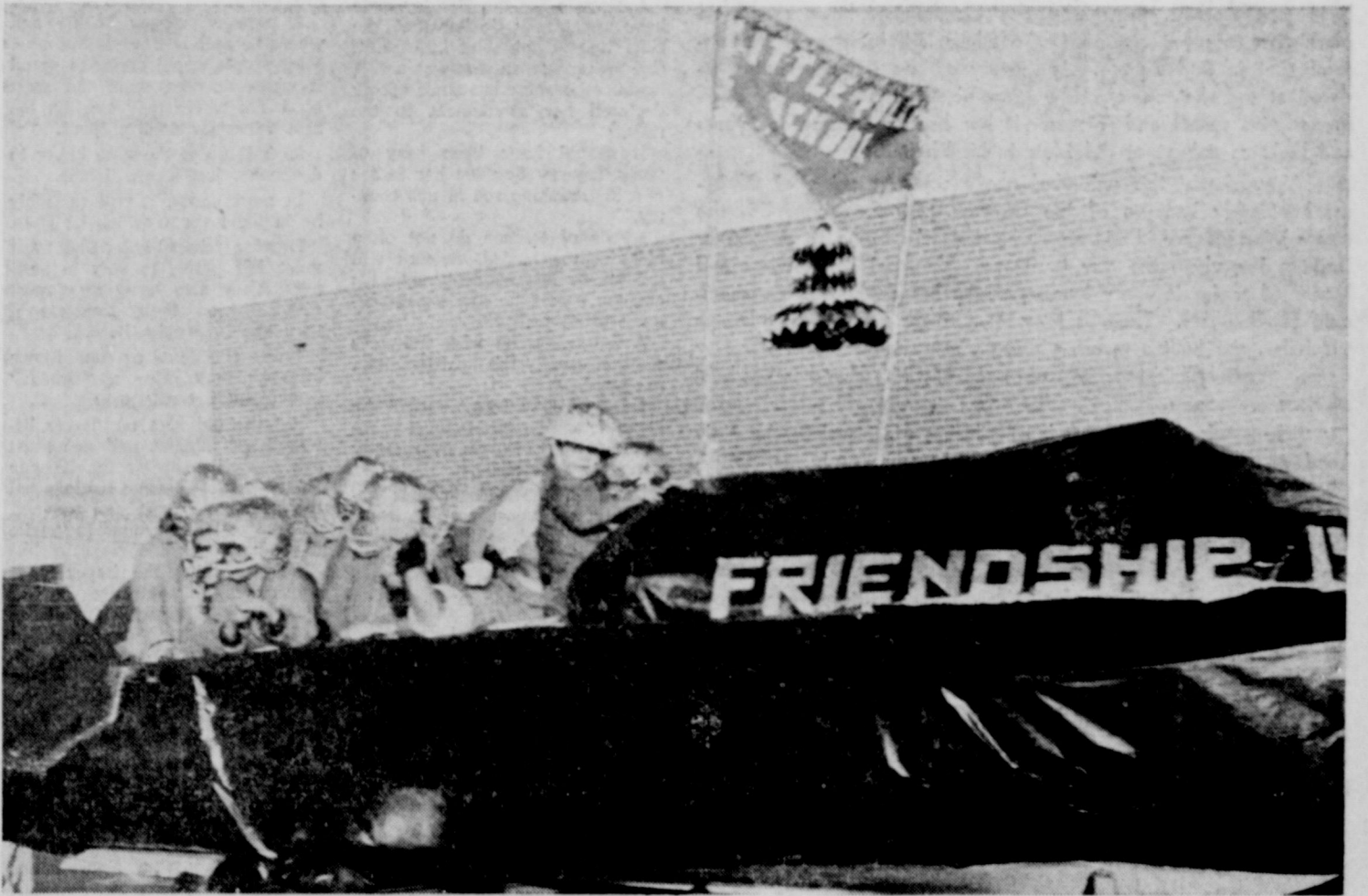
THE JUNIOR CLASS of Morton High School took second place honors in the annual Christmas parade here Thursday. The theme of the parade was Christmas-yesterday, today,

and tomorrow. The junior class float was titled "Christmas in Viet Nam." Hundreds of spectators lined the sunny streets to watch the colorful event led by the Morton High School marching band.



Third place winner . . .
 THE STOCKDALE SCHOOL won third in the Christmas parade here Thursday afternoon. The float was sponsored by Mrs. W. H. Ford. Hundreds lined the Morton streets to watch the

parade kick off the Christmas season. Earlier, Santa was on the square from noon to 2:30 and passed out candy and fruit, courtesy of Morton merchants.



Spaceship . . .

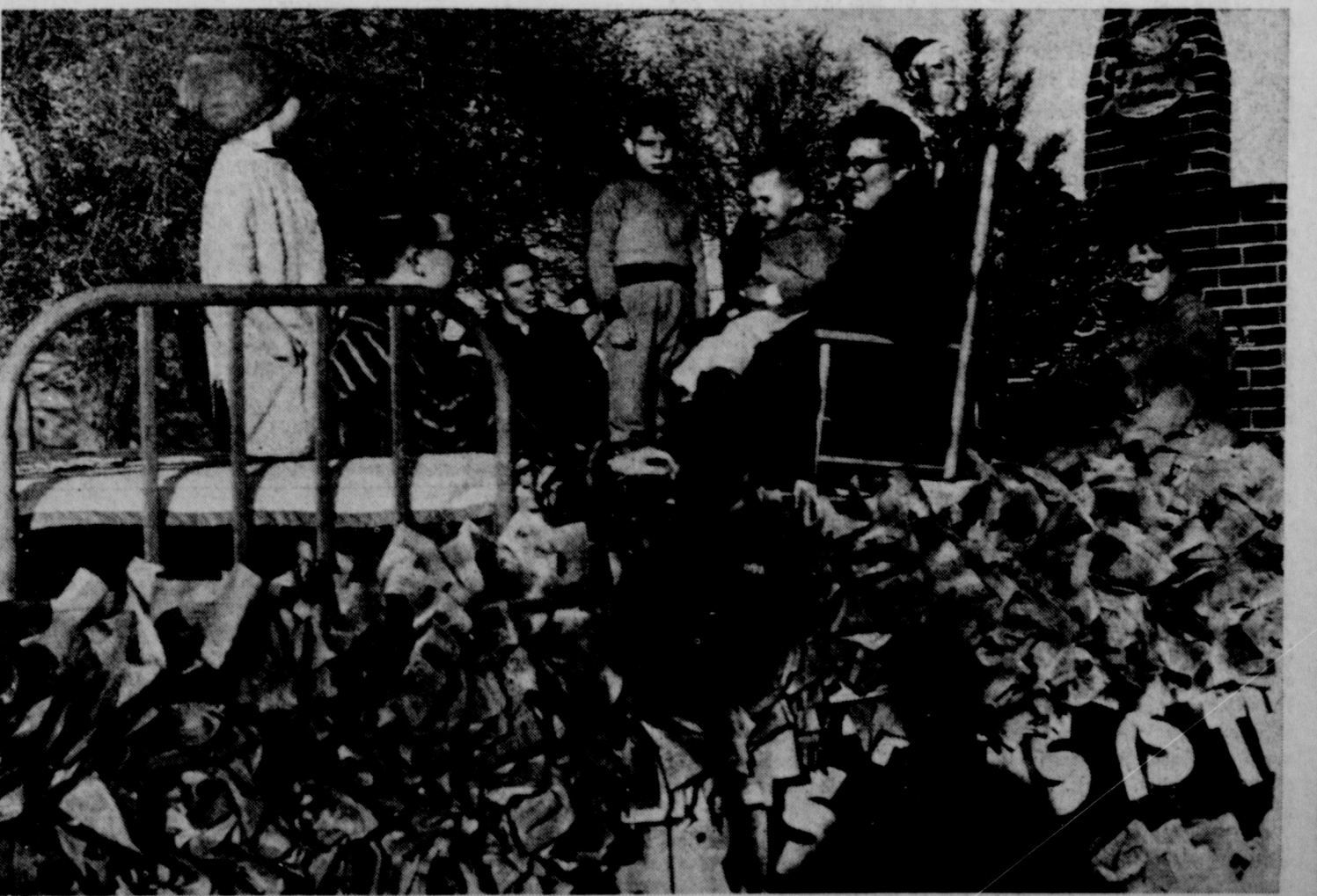
THIS FLOAT built by the Little Folks Kindergarten, and sponsored by the Ideal Gift Shop, was an eye catcher in the annual Christmas parade here Thursday. The float was built in the form of a spaceship and was "piloted" by Santa Claus,

who cannot be seen in this photo. Six floats participated in the parade and the weather cooperated greatly for this time of year by giving Cochran Countyans a relatively warm day in which to enjoy the parade.



Emlea Smith Study Club float . . .
 ANOTHER OUTSTANDING float that participated in the annual Christmas parade here Thursday is pictured in the staging area before the parade began. The float was built by the

Emlea Smith Junior Study Club and was sponsored by Morton Spraying and Fertilizer. The floats were judged by the ministerial alliance.



FHA float . . .

THIS FLOAT built by the FHA was one of the outstanding six floats that participated in the annual Christmas parade here Thursday. The theme of the parade this year was Christ-

mas-yesterday, today, and tomorrow. The parade was called a success by the hundreds that lined the sunny Morton streets to watch it.

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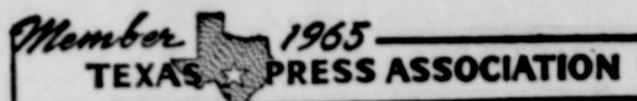
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MORTON, TEXAS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1965

Bethlehem and London

The approach of Christmas brings to mind a certain grave in a cemetery in Highgate, London, England. It is marked by a rectangular marble block slightly higher than man's head. Atop the marble pedestal there is a sculptured likeness of the shaggy father of international Communism, Karl Marx.

Mark was born in Germany, but he moved to England in 1884, when he was 31, and died there in 1883. For years, writers have wondered in print why the Communists have requested permission to move the remains of their idol to Moscow for entombment in Red Square. And every curious sightseer has wondered at the shabbiness of the grave itself; it is completely overgrown with weeds and thistles. It has been neglected for years and looks as unkempt as did Marx in his lifetime.

Why should this untended grave come to mind at Christmas? Simply because of the contrast. On December 25, the whole Western World will stop whatever it is doing to pay honor to Him for whom the day is named. There will be prayers and hymns of praise in every language man has devised to communicate his thoughts. There is scarcely a town, a township, a village which has not built a meeting place where men of good will may gather to study His teachings — each of those churches will hold services, of course.

Thousands upon thousands of pilgrims will travel to the Holy Land on Christmas Day to trace His steps. And men everywhere will be reminded that He showed them that their salvation lay in service to their God, and not in servitude of their state. They will be admonished, too, that the Apostle Paul foresaw the eternal assault on free men. His words to the Galatians stand as the lesson of Christmas for this and every future year of our Lord: "Stand fast therefore in the liberty wherewith Christ hath made us free and not be entangled again with the yoke of bondage."

And while all men free of bondage stand silent on Christmas as they have been doing on this day for 1965 years, cold winds will blow through the thistles at that forlorn, untended grave in London. What an appropriate and joyous contrast!

(Permission to reprint the above editorial granted by Book-mailer News magazine.)

Express your views

The people are reading news items showing that state and federal governments are providing billions of dollars for a variety of welfare and spending projects that break all records.

There may be excuses for much of the spending, but one fact should be made clear in every newspaper report of so-called government largess—neither the state nor the federal government have a thin dime to give away that they don't first take from the overburdened private citizen taxpayer. Governments are just agents of the people.

Newspaper headlines and stories should stress: "The tax-paying private citizens, rich and poor, do the giving not the government." If this distinction was made in comment in the press, if the word "taxpayers" was submitted for the words "state" and "federal," "governors" or "presidents," more people would begin to realize that the money government "gives" is first taken from them in the form of taxes.

On much of the taxation, the people never get a chance to vote directly, but they have the right and obligation of expressing their view to their elected representatives, state and national, on measures to tax their earnings and savings.

The more government mortgages the taxpayers' future through extravagance and deficits, the more does it feed the fires of inflation, higher prices and depreciated money.

No time to relax

The advocates of compulsion—that is, of compulsory unionism—have licked their wounds from last session's encounter, and are now preparing to try again to repeal Section 14(b) of the Taft-Hartley Act when Congress reconvenes. In a recent letter to union boss Walter Reuther, President Johnson said: "We have made significant progress in 1965 toward the long-sought goal of repealing Section 14(b) . . . We will come back in the next session to remove this divisive provision from the law."

Those Senators who successfully defended 14(b) and the workingman's freedom of choice by filibuster last session have all vowed to stand their grounds. But it will take more than just "extended debates" to win again. Those power-mad union bosses and politicians, who consider a workingman's freedom to be "devise" of their ambitions, will pull every possible string to make their power over all of us "undivided." We, the people, must therefore make sure that any move for 14(b)'s repeal next session

COW POKES

By Ace Reid



"Shore I'll let this place rest for a couple of years . . . if you will git my banker to let me rest too."

VIEWS . . . of other editors

Berkley Communism

Apologists for the Berkley riots have repeatedly denied that the riots were communist influenced. One young woman who was a ring leader at Berkley has since openly declared her attachment to the reds.

It should have been easy to guess anyway because her father is a high-ranking red in this country.

Weeds of treason do not often blossom unattended. Seldom will a teenager turn suddenly upon his country unless he has encouragement to do so.

A young person who embraces sedition usually has heard sedition preached.

I feel no resentment toward the bonafide conscientious objector, the pacifist who believes it morally wrong to bear arms.

However, the conscientious objector is a far cry from the latter day Benedict Arnold who openly sides with the Viet Cong communists with whom our soldiers at this very minute are locked in mortal combat.

Canyon News.

Free-wheeling adults
Horror is continually expressed at the numbers of persons maimed and killed on streets and highways in automobile accidents. As a matter of fact it is astonishing that 10 times as many are not killed. It's just luck that they are not.

The majority of automobile drivers today are the greatest law-breakers and most discourteous individuals in the nation. Too many drivers think they have to show their prowess as racers by passing everything in restricted speed zones.

No wonder there is so much juvenile delinquency when there is so much adult delinquency.

There is not much use in talking about reducing automobile killings until the public abides by the commonest rules of courtesy and driving techniques.

In the meantime, try to keep out of the way of drivers who think it is smart to break the traffic laws and don't be surprised at the mounting auto death rate.

Jasper News-Boy

Buyer Beware . . .
With the Christmas season almost upon us, an all-out campaign directed at the buyer — or more precisely, his pocketbook — is well underway.

This is also good since competition is the very heartbeat of a healthy economy.

However, we also feel that it would be well worth the buyer's time to give some good, steady

thought to just where his dollars are going.

A person's money is his and where he spends it is his business. Most people would prefer to spend it where it does them the most good and where they can get the best value for dollars spent.

So it is up to the wise buyer to determine just where this is.

In most cases, it will probably be in the town in which he lives.

Local merchants know they must meet fair prices to stay in business. They also know they must stand behind their products if they are to remain here.

True, transient or out-of-town business may offer a "similar" product at cut rate prices.

But the old idea of "buyer beware" still applies and one must ask himself where is the bargain if the product does not hold up and the business or salesman can not, will not or is not around to "make it good."

Another thing the buyer must consider is the long range value of his dollar and just what this means to him personally.

Once he is parted from his dollar, this does not mean that its personal value for him has ceased.

On the contrary, it can continue to work for him in many ways . . . or, through careless spending, the buyer can give up the long range benefits he deserves and hand them over to someone else.

An established merchant in any town must pay taxes. These taxes, coming from the buyer's dollar, will be used for such things as paving, school improvements, law enforcement, fire protection, city improvements in many ways.

The buyer might well ask whether his dollar is buying these things for his family or whether he is generously contributing to someone else.

The established merchant is also called upon to donate to and support many organizations . . . Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Quarterback Club, women's clubs, Lions Club, Jaycees, Optimist, school organizations, and you name it.

Will this support help local organizations in which the buyer, his wife or his children are interested or will it go to organizations in other towns which offer nothing to the buyer's family?

These are all questions which the intelligent spender has a right to ask.

After all, it's his money and he should get the best bargain available.

Sometimes, though, it takes a little consideration to decide just where the "bargain" really is.

SW Dallas Co.-Suburbanite

On Basketball . . .

Basketball season is with us now, and it's always a major event for Seminole, the roundball capital of West Texas. With the new season comes a brand new edition of the SHS Indians, and on Tuesday night, a new look in radio broadcasting.

Down at Midland Lee, a rather thin-skinned basketball referee called a technical foul on the Seminole broadcasters for remarking over the air that they were seeing "very poor officiating."

Now, we could make some lofty comments about an unwarranted trampling of freedom of speech and such, but it does seem a little ridiculous — and we'll bet a dollar to a doughnut there's never been another radio station which was assessed a point in a game for its commentary.

So Seminole has another first to its credit, if you can call a technical foul a credit. The laughable display by the referee in calling the foul on KIFO didn't affect the outcome of the game, and Midland officials later apologized for it. But it would have been a different matter in a close, district game — and would have likely been protested.

According to the rules, a referee can call a foul on fans for unruly behavior. But a broadcaster reporting "very poor officiating" is a long way from being unruly. Maybe there is a new era in schoolboy basketball, and we're behind times, although such a joker in the striped shirt is not common among many hardworking and competent referees.

Perhaps all of us should watch our P's and Q's at the ball games now. Somebody's liable to call a technical foul on the Sentinel news photographer for taking a picture of the less photogenic side of the referee's face, or maybe he'll call a technical on the school concession stand for giving him a Coke with too much ice in it.

It's unethical, penalizing a group of high school boys for a routine comment made by a radio announcer.

In fact, it's very poor officiating, like the man said.

Seminole Sentinel

New Car Tax

If you ever read in your owners manual which came with your new automobile and came across the notation "taxable horsepower," you knew that this didn't apply to you.

But it might in the future, if some experts on taxation have their way.

Instead of taxing an automobile on its weight, these experts seek to have it taxed on its horsepower. This is done on the theory that the more powerful the car, the more it costs, and the better able the owner is pay higher taxes for using it.

The idea of taxing horsepower has a long history and is still used

Highlights and Sidelights —

Poll tax in hands of judges

AUSTIN, Tex. — Fate of Texas' 63-year-old poll tax as a voting requirement rests in the hands of a three-judge federal court. They heard four hours of arguments here last week in an historic case to abolish the levy.

Judges announced that no immediate ruling would be made. They advised Texans who want to be eligible to vote next year to pay the \$1.75 fee before the January 31 deadline.

In frequent questions during the arguments, the judges indicated concern over several complex legal points.

Circuit Judge John R. Brown repeatedly speculated on the court's earlier position, in assessing an apparently - unsupported congressional finding in the 1965 voting rights act, that the Texas levy discriminates against Negroes.

"How do we go about reviewing the basis for a congressional finding?" Brown wondered aloud. "Or does the case come to us as though Congress had not made these findings? This is a very unusual point of law."

Texas Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr maintained that Congress had made its finding "without so much as a scintilla of evidence." He pointed out that U.S. Atty. Gen. Nicholas Katzenbach himself had testified before a Senate committee that he had no complaints of voter discrimination in this state. Katzenbach later filed the suit under the terms of the voting rights act.

U.S. Justice Department Atty. Stephen J. Poolak, acknowledging that there is no overt refusal to give Texas Negroes voting rights, argued that due to basically inferior education, income of Negroes is lower and the tax, therefore, falls heavier on them.

One judge wondered, perhaps hopefully, if the U.S. Supreme Court might rule on some of the questions submitted in an earlier Virginia case before federal judges in Texas have to hand down their decision.

Hearing here was the first of four cases brought by the justice department, under congressional direction, to challenge poll tax validity head-on. Others will be held in Mississippi on December 10; Alabama on December 20; and Virginia on January 17.

POLLUTION PROGRAM—Gov. John Connally has advised John Gardner, U.S. Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, that Texas plans to control pollution on its streams and in its coastal waters.

Such a certification is required by the new federal law aimed at stopping pollution of public waters throughout the United States. If states fail to get pollution control programs in operation by June 30, 1967, then Uncle Sam will take over and adopt its own programs

HUNTER'S SOS

The Texas Safety Association urges all hunters to learn the hunter's signal for help. Fire three shots at evenly spaced intervals, repeating several minutes apart.

If you fail to get a response, wait until the sun sets. Your shots after sundown will attract the nearest game warden. Light a small fire and stay put until he arrives.

in England and on the continent of Europe. This is why the most popular European cars are small in power plant, not only because they consume less high priced gasoline, but because they cost less in license plates, too.

We are engaged in a race for bigger and more powerful engines today, and the compact car trend has been reversed. Today's cars call for more power to operate power steering, power brakes, power windows and all the other devices that make it more comfortable and easier to drive.

But to penalize an owner because his car has more horsepower is to reverse the original thinking of the automobile taxing policy. The automobile is taxed primarily to bring in revenue to build and maintain the highways upon which it travels.

The heavier the car, the more wear it gives the road, so the more taxes it pays. That's why trucks pay sometimes \$3,000 and up in license fees.

We like the present system. Taxing our status symbol smacks of socialism as another "share the wealth" scheme.

Ochiltree Co.-Herald



MAJOR KILLERS

and rules.

Connally's formal certification came as the Texas Water Pollution Control took its biggest step yet. It adopted rules and standards for discharges of municipal and industrial waste into the Houston Ship Channel. Industry spokesmen at the public hearing estimated Ship Channel industry will have to spend between \$50,000,000 and \$100,000,000 for treatment facilities to meet these standards.

Even then, Joe G. Moore, Jr., Chairman of the Board, estimated that the new requirements would eliminate only half the pollution in the Channel.

Mayor Seaborn Cravey of Baytown strongly protested against the Board plan to allow more pollution in the mid-Channel area above Baytown. He fears fish kills which sometimes make living unbearable in Baytown will continue when rains wash slugs of polluted water down the Channel.

But the Board unanimously adopted its three-zone plan, effective immediately.

A seventh member was added to the Board by Connally's selection of Howard Rose of Midland, his former administrative assistant. He will represent the public.

NEWS COMMITTEE — A nine-member committee studying the role of the press in crime and court news coverage declared its opposition to legislation that would restrict news reporters in covering stories.

Lawmakers and news executives serve on committee set up by last Legislature. Group selected Felix McKnight, Dallas Times Herald editor, as chairman.

McKnight said the Committee hopes to establish guidelines to protect the rights of individuals named in court charges; also to preserve freedom of the press; and to avoid a fight over legislation.

COURTS SPEAK — State Supreme Court refused to review a case involving the will of the late Mrs. Sarita Kenedy East, estimated at \$300,000,000. Court also refused to grant a writ of error to the group contesting the will. Contest has never been tried.

Court of Criminal Appeals reversed Houston and Bryan murder convictions because of improper questioning and insufficient circumstantial evidence in trial courts.

APPOINTMENTS — William A. Hazlewood Jr. of Abilene is the new assistant veterans employment representative with the Texas Employment Commission. He will work out of Dallas.

Salt Water Pollution Committee of the House of Representatives held its first meeting here. Rep. Renal Rosson of Snyder is chairman. Members include Reps. John Allen of Longview, Temple Dickson of Sweetwater, Tom Holmes of Edinburg. Also Joe Kilgore of Austin, Harry Loftis of Tyler, Charles P. McGaha of Wichita Falls, Judge W. H. Rampey of Winters and John Ben Shepperd of Odessa.

AGGIE COEDS? — Board members of Texas A&M University denied a report that they voted to admit girls to the virtually all-male school on a non-discriminatory basis.

Chairman later said qualified women should be admitted if they could not get degrees at another university in fields they want to pursue. He said A&M Pres. Earl Rudder was asked to study every coed application in order to guard against discrimination. He revealed that a committee will report its findings on the question of co-education next April.

Attorney General Carr recently declared that present policies of admitting only women who are wives, daughters or widows of dalcu members and students would be difficult to defend in court. He proposed that A&M either limit its



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 Love, Deborah Hodge

Dear Santa,
 I want a doll with long hair and a lot of clothes and a bicycle and baton. I live in Morton.
 Vicki Kuehler

Dear Santa,
 I want a Buffalo hunter set and 8 finger and a football.
 My Love, Hector Quinones

Dear Santa,
 I want a football and some Get-away cars.
 Love, Arnold Bautista

Dear Santa,
 I am a little boy. I have tried to be good. Please bring me a farm and a G.I. Joe and a Secret Sam.
 Love, Johnny Ray

Dear Santa,
 I am a little boy. I have tried to be good. Please bring me a 24 inch String Ray bicycle, a Secret Sam and a cow boy jacket. Give all the poor children some nice toys and clothes.
 Love you, Jay Swicegood

Dear Santa,
 Please bring me a doll, a book, and a bicycle.
 Love, Dora Maria Navarro

Dear Santa,
 Please bring me a bruiser, a trick track and a gun.
 Love, Alvin Cervantez

Dear Santa,
 Please bring me a doll and candy and nuts and bicycle. I have five sisters and five brothers. Please come and see them too.
 Love, Brenda Harvey

Dear Santa,
 I would like to have a Baby Cheryl and a bicycle. I am 8 years old and I go in Mrs. Rose Room. I am in the second and I will like some jewelry set and that is all I want.
 Love, Margaret Bautista

Dear Santa,
 Will you bring me a baby doll and dishes and house shoes. Please bring me those things. I have been good. My teacher's name is Mrs. Rose.
 Love, Sherrill Rasco

Dear Santa,
 Please bring me a doll, a book to read and a desk.
 Love, Maria Prieto

Dear Santa,
 Will you please bring me a Baby Boo, a Barbie, a skipper, a doll, and a book to read.
 Love, Lilia Orusco



Public relations mission . . .

THREE PERSONS from this area attended Wednesday the initiation of a nation-wide research program to eradicate mesquites, held in Quanah. They are Jenny B. Denny, Bledsoe, Sam Kelly, Morton, and state Representative Jesse T. George. The Cochran county representatives will also be on a public relations mission for this area. They took with them little miniature cotton bales from this area, a sack of red beans grown by Gene Benham, corsages and boutonnières made from cotton balls, a Morton bumper sticker, and a novelty gift for the Secretary of Agriculture. Jenny B. Denny is wearing a complete suit made from cotton bagging. Seated, left to right, Mayor Dean Weatherly, Jenny B. Denny. Standing, left to right, Gene Benham, Jesse T. George, Don Workman, president of the Chamber of Commerce, and Sam Kelly.

Youngsters write: 'Dear Santa . . '

Dear Santa,
 I am a little boy. I have tried to be good. Please bring me a Secret Sam, a battle wagon, and a bicycle.
 Love, Julian Amalla

Dear Santa,
 I am a little boy. I have tried to be good. Please bring me a football, a truck, and some new clothes.
 Love, Alberto Fuentes

Dear Santa,
 I am a little girl. I have tried to be good. Please bring me a dress, some jacks, a doll, some dishes, and a ball.
 Love, Olivia

Dear Santa,
 I am a little boy. I have tried to be good. Please bring me a Secret Sam, a battle wagon, and a Stallion bike.
 Love, Joe Mack Lamb

Dear Santa,
 I am a little girl. I have tried to be good. Please bring me a Barbie doll and some dishes and some candy.
 Love, Josephine

Dear Santa,
 I am a little girl. I have tried to be good. Please bring me a Barbie house and some new clothes for me.
 Love, Gwen

Dear Santa,
 I am a little girl. I have tried to be good. Please bring me a Baby First Step, stove, ice box and a play house.
 Love, Sherrie

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 I am a little boy. I have tried to be good. Please bring me a gun, a rifle and a car.
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Dear Santa,
 I want a picture projector and some Ken clothes. I am seven years old. I will be 8 on December 19th. I hope other children gets lots of toys and fruit.
 I love you Santa,
 Gina Monroe

Dear Santa,
 Please bring me a bat, a Johnny Eagle and a Big Bruiser.
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Dear Santa,
 Will you bring me a Baby boo, a talking doll, and a telephone. I live in Morton, Texas.
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Dear Santa,
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Dear Santa,
 Will you bring me a set of dishes, and a Pato'Brup. I am seven years old and my Birthday is April 4th. I love you.
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Dear Santa,
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Dear Santa,
 Will you bring me a baby doll and dishes and house shoes. Please bring me those things. I have been good. My teacher's name is Mrs. Rose.
 Love, Sherrill Rasco

Dear Santa,
 Please bring me a doll, a book to read and a desk.
 Love, Maria Prieto

Dear Santa,
 Will you please bring me a Baby Boo, a Barbie, a skipper, a doll, and a book to read.
 Love, Lilia Orusco

Extension area specialist works in Cochran county

John Seibert, Extension Area Farm Management Specialist, has been busy in Cochran County in November.

On Nov. 3, he met with the Crops Sub-Committee and the County Agent. The purpose of this meeting was to discuss plan of work and goals for 1966, by the Crops Committee. The following demonstrations were discussed and goals are to be announced soon: fertilizer demonstration, cotton and grain sorghum; chemical weed control demonstration, cotton and grain sorghum; cotton seedling disease control demonstration; nematode control demonstration; cotton wilt control demonstration; to set up one off-station test with research center personnel on cotton wilts and diseases on the Earl Polvado farm, east of Morton.

John Seibert also returned to Cochran County on November 19 to explain the new 1966 Farm Program, especially on cotton and grain sorghum. He did an excellent

Local news happenings of interest

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Franks and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Monroe attended the basketball game Saturday in Lubbock between Tech and Kansas.

Visiting last Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allsup were their daughters from Lubbock, Mrs. Glenda Washam and children, Carla and Lance, Mrs. Tressie Mitchell, also Mrs. Raymond Mize, a friend of Mrs. Washam.

Mrs. Barbara Dunn of Levelland and Mr. and Mrs. DeWayne Miller and Steve of Wichita Falls visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Miller and girls over the weekend.

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Cunningham received the award for having been under enemy fire

in combat operations in Vietnam. Cunningham, a driver in Company A, 1st Brigade of the 101st Airborne Division's 327th Infantry, entered the Army in March 1963 and completed basic training at Fort Polk, La.

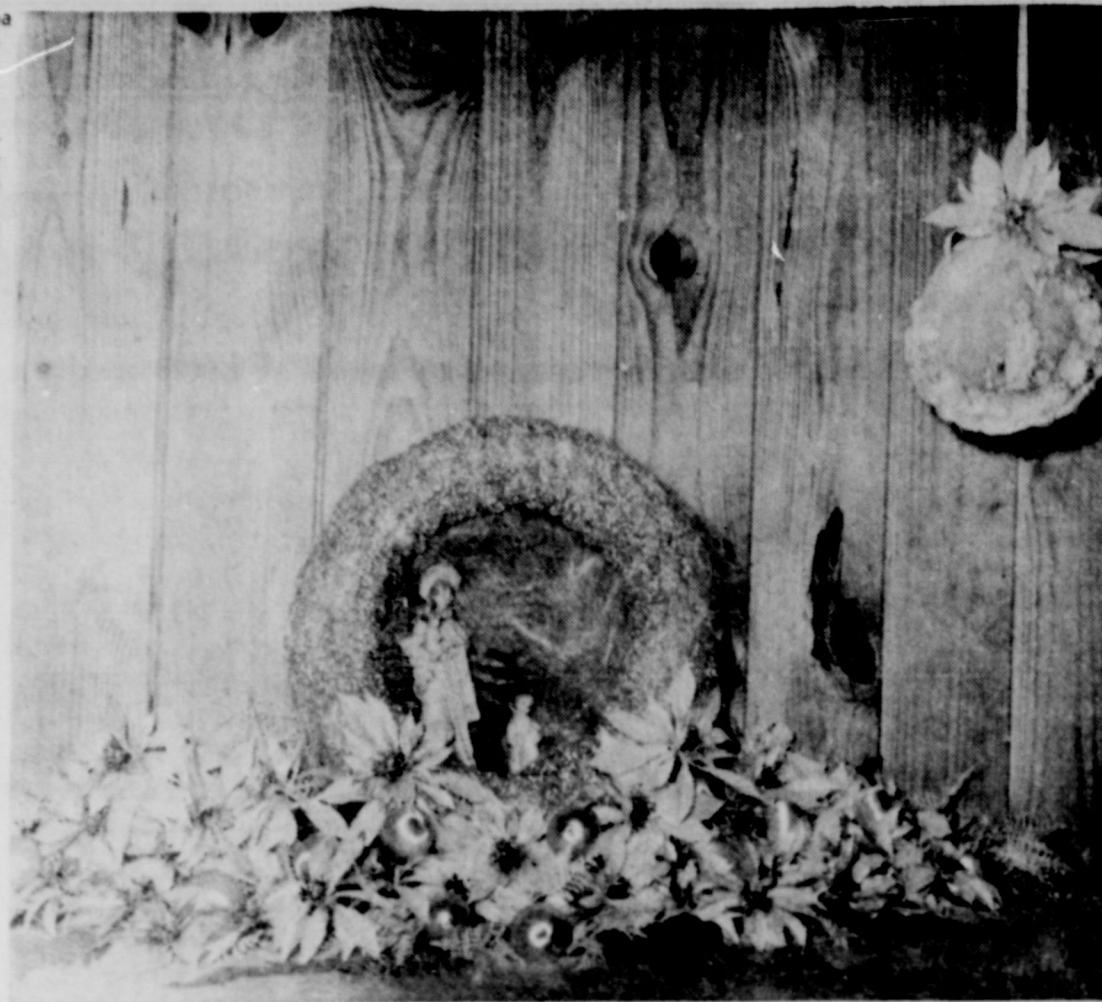
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McCuiston home . . .

THIS IS AN arrangement on the dining room table of the Truett McCuiston home during the annual Tour of Homes sponsored by the Cochran County Garden Club Sunday afternoon. It features the Madonna and Child

with angel encircled with cotton balls which have been glittered gold, white poinsettias sprayed with a touch of pink, and pink satin balls. A matching angel figure is hung from the ceiling and decorated to correspond with the table arrangement.

World religions is Y-M Study Club topic

"Great Religions of the World; Buddhism, Confucianism, Judaism" was the title of the program presented by Mrs. Garnett Bryan to the Y-M Study Club December 2. Mrs. Leonard Groves served as hostess.

Mrs. Bryan gave some of the history of how those religions began. The Buddhism religion was founded by Gautama Siddhartha who later became known as Buddha meaning "The Enlightened One." Confucianism was founded by Chi'u Heih later being called Confucius which means the "Philosopher".

Judaism has no single founder though Abraham was the first man to lay the corner stone. Judaism grew and developed with the growth and development of the Jewish people. She told the group that is why the story of the Jewish religion is also the story of the Jewish people.

Mrs. George Hargrove, president presided over the business meeting. The club voted to purchase dishes for Girlstown for Christmas and would deliver and visit with the girls December 16. They also voted to give \$25 to be used by the Area Youth Conference.

A report on the bake sale for the Community Improvement Project was given. Mrs. Jerry Winder was elected to be the club candidate to the Library Board for City Federation.

Mrs. Francis Shifflet withdrew her name from the Soil Conservation Contest.

Several constitutional amendments were voted on and others tabled for further study.

Next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Winder December 16 at 7 p.m. in order to go to Girlstown prior to the meeting.

Refreshments were served to one guest, Mrs. Elton Wyatt, and the following members: Mrs. Richard Biggs, Mrs. Bryan, Mrs. James Conburn, Mrs. Cullen Dansby, Mrs. Groves, Mrs. Hargrove, Mrs. Robbie Key, Mrs. Ray Lanier, Mrs. Kenneth McMaster, Mrs. Dex-

ter Nebhut, Mrs. Pete Pierce, Mrs. Shifflet, Mrs. Fred Weaver, Mrs. Winder, and Mrs. Weldon Wynn.

Campfire Council makes awards and elects officers

The annual meeting of the Morton Council of Campfire Girls was held November 30th at 7:30 p.m.

The Bluebirds flew up to be camp fire girls. Campfire girls received honors and ranks for which they had been working a year.

The girls received membership awards for three years, five years and one group for seven years, which was the Wocoha Horizon Club and is made up of sophomores.

Several leaders received honors also. Mrs. Roy Davis and Mrs. W. G. Freeland received five years pins. Mrs. Daniel Rozell received a vote of thanks from the entire council for her work in directing the summer camp fire camp in New Mexico last summer.

The treasurer reported the council was finishing the year with \$72 on hand.

Officers were elected for 1966. They are Mrs. Iva Williams, president; Mrs. C. E. Dolle, vice president; Mrs. Don Hofman, secretary and Mrs. James Dewbre, treasurer.

Those elected to the board of directors are Mrs. Dexter Nebhut, program chairman; Mrs. Gene Snyder, publicity; Mrs. Dot Irwin, adult membership; Mrs. Neal Rose, group organization; Mrs. Jesse Clayton, training and Mrs. Keith Kennedy, camping.

Den 1 reports on month's activities

Den 1, Pack 644 traveled to the County Park for a period of play on October 27. Ice cream cones were enjoyed later.

The Den met at the First Methodist Church on November 3. Theme craft was a Tit Tac Toe game made from felt and cardboard. Games were played and cookies were served to the scouts.

The Grand Tour was held November 10 with a trip to the radio station. The goodwill project for the month was to take several items of household goods to Mrs. Edwards whose home burned.

Theme craft for the November 19 meeting was a poolboard made for mothers. Blindfold games were played after which refreshments were served.

Each meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance and closed with the Living Circle.

Pack meeting was held November 22. Terry Jones and Harold Watts received Bob Cat Badges. Boys due to receive Wolf Badges are Steve McClintock, John Taylor, Teddy Hammonds and Jimmy Hargis. Den Mother is Mrs. Kenneth Watts.

Charley Marina honored at party

Charley Marina, son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Marina, was honored Friday with a party on his 12th birthday.

Guests came between the hours of 4:30 and 6:00. Carolyn Marina, sister of the honoree, served hot dogs, cokes, cake and ice cream to Ken Coats, Rush Coffman, Lonnie Arnold, Jay Swiggood, Jerel Roddy and Sammy Farhat.

Several games were enjoyed by the group.

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TtWankas make yule place cards

Members of the Ta-Wan Campfire group met Friday, December 3 at the school. President Cassandra Reeder, led the girls saying the Trailseekers desire singing Wohelo and the Camp Law.

As their project the group constructed Christmas place cards. The cards will be delivered to hospital patients and to the Nursing Home on December 12. The girls will also sing Christmas carols at the home.

A Christmas party will be in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Williams after delivering the cards and singing carols.

Refreshments were served. Cassandra Reeder, Debra Williams, Emela Smith, Becky Norton, Debra Adams, Carolyn G. Barbara Bowen, Michelle Jones, Renee Anglin, Michelle Lewis, Sandra Akin, Jeannie Coker and guests, Linda Adams and Mrs. Smith. Adult leaders present were Mrs. E. L. Reeder, Mrs. M. Smith, Mrs. Henry Williams and Mrs. Bobby Adams.

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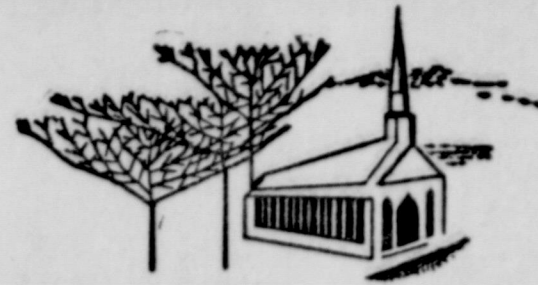
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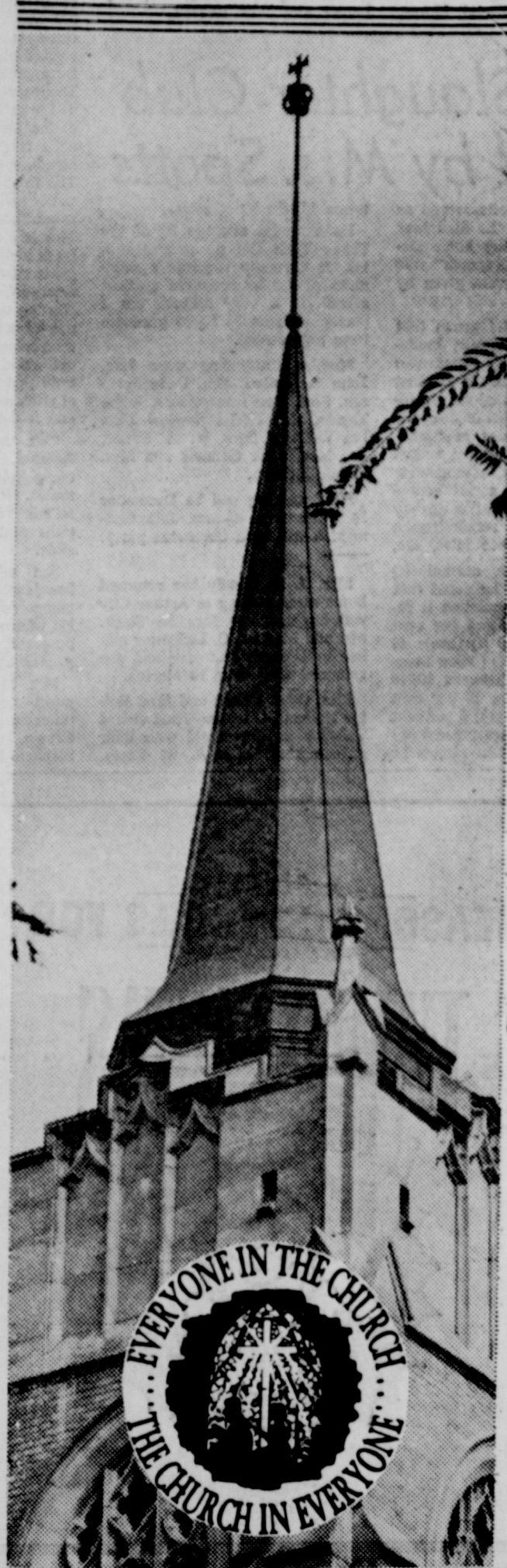
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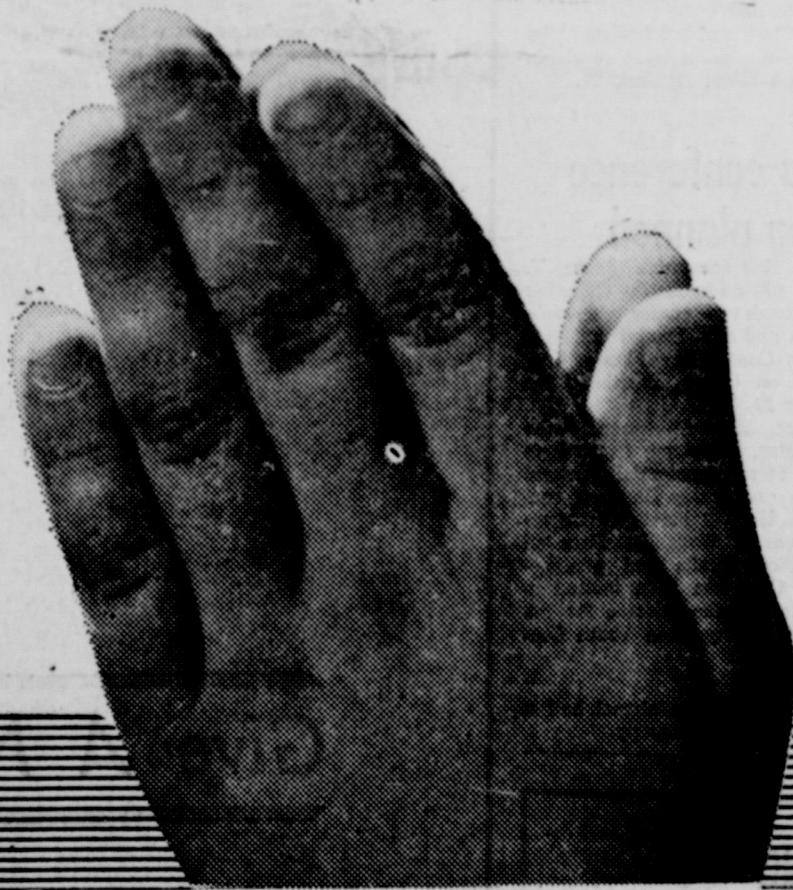
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Mrs. Ledbetter is guest speaker at Horizon Club

Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter was guest speaker for the Freshman Horizon Club when they met December 4 in the home of Miss Janelle Nebhut. Mrs. Ledbetter spoke on the third Campfire Law, "Give Service".

She told the girls of some of the ways the Horizon Club could "Give Service" in the community by helping with the Red Cross organization, CROP drive at Halloween, UNICEF milk drive, March of Dimes campaign and many others. Mrs. Ledbetter also stressed that a friendly smile was one of the greatest services the girls could contribute to their friends and neighbors and citizens of the community.

Campfire candy was distributed to the girls for selling and the girls decided to have a contest with the candy sale. The girls divided into two sides, the Odd-Balls and Even-Numbers. The contest soon ended, as within two hours after the meeting adjourned, the Odd-Balls had sold all of their candy and turned their money in. The Odd-Balls were Carol Freeland, Patsy Collins, Deborah Miller, Janelle Nebhut and Mrs. Iva Williams.

Prize for the winners will be provided in the form of a party with all the refreshments furnished by the Even-Numbers. They include Mrs. Daniel Rozell, Beverly Browne, Jeannie McMinn, Karen Rozell, Sharon Irwin and Karen Fred.

Girls receiving their Torch Bearers' pins were Beverly Brown, Patsy Collins, Karen Fred, Sharon Irwin, Jeannie McMinn, Karen Rozell and Carol Ann Freeland. One new member present for the ceremonial, but who was not eligible for a pin was Deborah Miller.

Campfire group holds ceremony

The fifth grade campfire group of Mrs. Frank Silhan participated in the camp fire ceremony held at the activity building on Tuesday, November 30th. The girls flew up to the Woodgathers' rank. They received their campfire beads and three year pins. Those present were Debra Silhan, La Neta Davis, Sandra Coker, Vickie Hodges, Cindy Dansby, Vickie Cloud, Linda Gandy, La Nita Coombs, Cathy Sergeant, Mary Cadenhead and Sherry Fred.

The regular camp fire meeting was held December 2nd at the school building. The officers elected for 1966 were Mary Cadenhead, president; Mrs. Silhan, vice president; Linda Gandy, secretary; Debra Silhan, treasurer and Sherry Fred, reporter.

A Christmas party will be held at Mrs. Silhan's Saturday, December 18th. Those on the Christmas committee were Cindy Dansby, Debra Silhan and Sherry Fred.

Each girl received their boxes of candy and are now engaged in their annual candy sale.

The next meeting will be held December 9th at the school building.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Igo and Stephen of Chillicothe visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Igo this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Oden visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elra Oden and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. F. Wells and Jane.



MISS JUDY KARAN CLARK

Judy Karan Clark, A. Gaskin, engaged

Mrs. Joe W. Clark, Odessa, has announced the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Judy Karan, to Alton Gaskin. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Gaskin of Jal, New Mexico.

The wedding date has been set for December 23 at the Serwood Baptist Church in Odessa.

The bride-elect is a 1965 graduate of Permian High School in Odessa. She was a member of the Adonis Chapter of Try Hi Y, served as chaplain of the club and was 1965 Club Sweetheart. She is a student at Odessa College and is employed by Dr. J. T. Clark in training as a dental assistant. She was also in the Miss West Texas Contest this year.

The Homemakers meet Thursday at the Bedwells

The Happy Homemakers Home Demonstration Club met Thursday night in the home of Mrs. Eugene Bedwell. Roll call was answered with a fashion note.

Officers elected were Mrs. Roy Davis, president; Mrs. Eugene Bedwell, vice president; Mrs. Buford Elliott, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. C. C. Hale, reporter and historian and council delegates, Mrs. Jesse Clayton and Mrs. Mitchell Abbe.

A letter from District 2 for a scholarship was read. She expressed her appreciation for the help of the club toward her scholarship. Members are to bring a gift to the next meeting to give to the Ministerial Alliance.

Members present were Mesdames Hale, Clayton, Elliott, C. W. Wiggins, Bedwell and one visitor Mrs. Herman Bedwell.

The next meeting will be December 23 and the members will enjoy their Christmas party.

Area conference being planned

State Representative Jesse T. George will be in Austin Thursday thru Saturday to confer with state officials and agencies on the First Cochran County Area Youth Conference on Crime, scheduled for January 22, 1966.

George, Adult Chairman of the Conference, says he expects to contact some 40 potential speakers for the one-day January conference. He will meet with Attorney General Waggoner Carr on conference details and arrangements. Carr has been invited to give the keynote address for the Cochran County Area Youth Conference.

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1936 Study Club enjoys carols

Members of the 1936 Study Club enjoyed background music of Christmas carols as they met in the home of Mrs. Hume Russell on Wednesday, December 1st.

Mrs. Kenneth Thompson presided and welcomed the new members. She expressed appreciation to the members for assisting the Chamber of Commerce in filling Christmas sacks.

Roll call was answered with favorite Bible quotations.

The program was introduced by Mrs. Glenn Thompson. The theme, "The Bible - Our Guide to Life" was carried out by Mrs. Neal Rose as she spoke on "The Bible in Art."

Christian art had its birth in the catacombs as the first Christian artists traced on the walls of their underground chapels and tombs, the rude sketches of their faith. Much of this art was in symbols with Christ represented by the dove, the lamb, the fish and especially the good shepherd.

Beginning with the birth of Christ, Mrs. Rose used prints of the greatest religious paintings in the world to illustrate her talk. The first prints were of the Annunciation, where the angel appeared unto Mary. The birth of Christ has been pictured many times in art but perhaps the best known and most famous of these pictures is the "Holy Night" by Correggio.

The Virgin Mary occupies a vast space in Christian art and thousands of paintings have been made of her and her Divine Son. Famous Madonnas shown and discussed were Madonna of the Star-Fra Angelico, Madonna of the Church ad Sistene Madonna-Raphael, and Madonna of the Streets-Ferruzzi.

Scenes of the childhood and ministry of Christ were shown, with special emphasis on Titian's Tribute Money, da Vinci's Last Supper and Rubens' Descent From the Cross.

Mrs. Rose then showed a series of slides that she both made and purchased during her European

tour in 1962. Shown were the interiors of St. Mark's Cathedral and the Doge's Palace in Venice, the Medici Chapel in Florence and St. Peter's in Rome.

Of special interest were the bronze doors on the baptistry in Florence. They were executed by Lorenzo Ghiberti in the early 1400's. There are ten panels depicting scenes from the Old Testament. One hundred years later Michelangelo said, "They are beautiful enough for the gates of Paradise."

The sculptured works of Michelangelo shown were David, Moses,

and the Pieta, which was in New York last year. Detailed explanation was given to the Sistene Ceiling and the Last Judgment; both are in the Vatican and painted by Michelangelo.

Members present were Mesdames J. D. Hawthorne, Kenneth Thompson, H. R. Ramp, Cyrus Fields, Glenn Thompson, Harold Reynolds, Joe Gipson, D. E. Benham, Gage Knox, Neal Rose, J. B. Nicewarner, Doyle Brook, James St. Clair, M. C. Ledbetter, L. F. Hargrove and Hume Russell.

Guests were Mesdames J. W. McDermott, J. C. Reynolds, Ray Lanier and Jack Russell.

Elma Slaughter Club hosted by Mrs. Spotts

Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts served as hostess when Elma L. Slaughter Study Club met in her home December 2. "School Dropouts" was the title of the program given by Charles Bowen.

Mr. Bowen told the group that most school dropouts are made-not born. The inability to learn to read is a big factor in causing dropouts. Possible solutions are recognition of the probable dropout; in the home attitudes of "indifference", early marriages; school curriculum, teachers, administrators; society - attitudes, social economic status; state education agency - rules, graduation requirements, compulsory attendance laws, etc.

In explaining the normal IQ curve of 100 people he noted that 3 per cent of the population is retarded with an IQ of 5; 5 per cent ranges between 70-79 IQ (low); 16 per cent between 80-90 (below average); 52 per cent between 90-110 (average or normal); 16 per cent 111-120 (above average); 5 per cent 121-130 (superior range); and 3 per cent of the population ranges be-

tween 131-150 IQ (Genius).

He said the average IQ of the Texas Tech College graduate is 112. It normally requires a minimum of 120 to complete medical school. It is very difficult for a person with an 85 IQ to graduate from high school.

Members attending were Mrs. John L. McGee, Mrs. Dean Jackson, Mrs. Roy Brown, Mrs. Willie Taylor, Mrs. Earl Brownlow, Mrs. Iva Williams, Mrs. W. M. Butler, Jr., Mrs. Jack Gunnels and Mrs. Lovell Jackson.

Next meeting will be December 16 in the home of Mrs. Jack Gunnels. It will be a Christmas party.

Mrs. J. A. Gowdy has returned home after visiting in Archer City with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Slack.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter met her in Dickens Saturday and she returned with them to Morton.

Mrs. Odell Fulton and Mrs. Dalton Hodnett, Greg and Todd visited Tuesday in Brownfield with their grandmother, Mrs. A. W. Early.

L'Allegro Study Club meets at Girlstown USA, in Whiteface

Girlstown USA in Whiteface was the scene of the L'Allegro Study Club meeting December 2 at 8 p. m. Mrs. L. S. McCarty, a professional pianist, gave an entertaining program as well as informative program entitled "A Panorama of American Music." She was introduced by Mrs. Elwood Harris.

Mrs. McCarty opened the program by asking the question, "What is American Music and Who is an American Composer." She said, "We have had music only 300 years. This music falls into three periods. The first period started about 1620, a period of reform, and lasted about 180 years. The second lasted about 60 years and was the time of the beginning of independence. Stephen F. Foster, a true native son, was the outstanding composer of this period. The third period began about 1800 until today. In this period, all races became nationally conscious. This is a period of stimulating and fresh ideas. There have been many great composers in this period, but George Gershwin's place in American music is secure. He started something that is continuing today a complete breaking away from the old world traditions. At the same time there was arising a new field of abstract dance that made American ballet the envy of the world.

"We are now beginning the Aaron Copeland era who goes completely into a new idea of music. It has no rules or patterns. It has new sounds and combinations and is really incomprehensible.

She added, "American music has developed in a very short time compared to the old countries. No where in the world is the composer so free and informed as in America."

Mrs. McCarty had the following guest artists to demonstrate the different periods. Miss Rheda Jane Brown, who sang a melody of Stephen F. Foster's most famous

works. Mrs. Bill Matthews played a melody on the violin written by Edward McDowell. Miss Sue Blackley was introduced as a number of the great jazz soloists. Miss Diane Harrington, student at South Plains College, Levelled to Gershwin's beautiful "Rhapsody in Blue." Miss Carla McGarity, SPC, sang Irvin Berlin's mortal "Always." And Jerry Johnson, instructor of music at SPC, played the very difficult "and Mouse" written by Aaron Copeland.

Following the program, a very enjoyable hour of visiting was spent with the girls of Girlstown and other guests.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Inez Swicegood, Mrs. T. Rowden and Mrs. Bill Thomas served cake, coffee and punch. 112 members and guests.

Members attending were Mesdames H. B. Barker, Harold Drinan, Van Greene, Harris, Eddie win, James McClure, W. B. Spadden, Al Mullin, J. C. Reynolds, Rowden, Jack Russell, Snyder, Swicegood, Bobby Trice, Jack Wallace and E. O. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Acie Sharber Amarillo visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Duvak and Mrs. Bobby Watson over the weekend.

Mrs. Novelle Goodman left Wednesday for Lamesa to spend week with her daughter, Mrs. D. Lusby.

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