

# Capers is Friday nite

House lights dim. Curtain opens. A small beam of light hits the corner of a modernistic set and voices begin singing "Something's Coming" to start an evening of entertainment in the form of Morton High School's Indian Capers.

Presented by the school's music department, the 8 p.m. Friday show will feature high school and junior high choirs, ensembles, solos, dozens of telephones, protest signs, stage band numbers and a jazz dance.

Highlighting the show, to be held in the County Activity Building Auditorium, will be the crowning of Miss Indian Capers, chosen by her classmates as having con-

tributed the greatest amount of effort to choir in general and Indian Capers in specific.

Competing for the title of Miss Indian Capers are Alice Black, DeAnn Coats and Lanya Dolle.

Selections for the program come from "West Side Story," "Bye Bye Birdie," "You Only Live Twice," "Mame," "South Pacific," and "Fiddler on the Roof."

Additional music for the program will be provided by the Morton High School stage band under the direction of John Stockdale.

Admission is \$1.25 for adults and 75-cents for students.

A special matinee will be provided for students.

Mrs. George Tuck, director of the choir, said she urged the public to attend this event.

Ensembles include boys' and girls' groups, girls' sextet, and girls' trio. A jazz dance will be given by Rebecca Greene while Donna Williams, Jimmy Waters, Peggy Thomas, Ann Townsend and Rheda Brown will present solos.

Duets will be sung by Lanya Dolle and Donna Williams and by Peggy Thomas and Billy Baker. Guitar accompaniments will be by Danny Williams.

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# Two Morton area students win trip in Bailey electric co-op contest here

The 29th annual membership meeting of the Bailey County Electric Cooperative, held in Morton Saturday afternoon, was highlighted by speeches from two area boys and two area girls in the Government in Action Youth Tour to Washington contest. J. W. Coppedge, manager of the cooperative, said winners of the contest were J. Wayne McDermott of Morton and Patricia Grusendorf of Bula.

The two students will be among a group of more than 100 young people from all over the state participating in the fourth annual Government in Action Youth Tour to the nation's capitol June 6 through 18.

The Washington trip winners were among 12 high school students from the area served by Bailey County Electric

Cooperative who delivered an oratory on a choice of subjects. The four finalists of the contest, in addition to the two chosen as winners, included Venita King of Muleshoe and Dick Black of Sudan.

McDermott is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDermott and is a sophomore at Morton High School. He is a member of the band, Future Teachers and stage band. He is also the band representative to the Student Council and works in the high school office.

J. Wayne attends the East Side Church of Christ and includes politics, public speaking and swimming among his hobbies and interests. During the 60th Legislature in Texas, he served as a Page for the State of Texas House of Representatives and was elected Speaker of the House on Page Day.

Miss Grusendorf, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald C. Grusendorf, attends Bula High School. She is a junior, plays basketball, is a member of Future Homemakers, National Honor Society and Small Schools Seminar. She is church organist, member of the Young Women's Auxiliary and is assistant beginner department superintendent.

Patricia has received her State Future Homemakers of America Degree, sings with the Tri-Tones of Bula and enjoys reading, playing the piano and organ, designing mosaic crafts and cooking.

The 348 members of the cooperative that attended the annual meeting elected C. G. Lewis director of District 4; Johnnie Wheeler, District 5; Vernon Blackley, District 7. Other candidates were Delbert Watson, District 4; Perry Lynskey and, nominated from the floor, Leon Dupler, District 5; L. T. Lemons and, nominated from the floor, F. D. Davis and Gene Cade, District 7.

The nominating committee, consisting of

Lester Howard, Lester Elmore, Adolph Wittner, J. P. Powell, Ralph Burt, W. P. Houston and Frank Hinkson, met prior to the annual meeting and nominated two persons for each district in which terms

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# Stock show slated here

The Cochran County 4-H, FFA Stock Show will draw more and better entries than last year reports Billy Weems, show superintendent. The show, which runs Feb. 29, March 1 and 2, will be held in the county barn, east of the county park.

Entries are expected from competitors in Morton, Whiteface, Three Way and Bledsoe. Sheep, swine and steers will be entered with sheep expected to draw the largest number of entries.

Judging of the animals will begin at 9 a.m. March 1 with the auction slated for 1 p.m. March 2.

Highlighting the show will be the awarding of Herdsman and Showmanship trophies. Ribbons will be presented winners all classes.

Winner of the weight gain contest, sponsored by area gins, will also be announced at the auction.

Weems announced that membership cards in the Livestock Improvement Assn. are still available for those who would like to contribute. Weems may be contacted at the Production Credit Assn. building or call Roy McClung at the County Agent's office.



### We protest . . .

MEMBERS OF MORTON HIGH School's choir show off some of their "protest" signs prior to Friday night's performance of Indian Capers which will be held in the County Activity Building at 8 p.m. These protesters in-

clude Lewt, Deborah Miller and Deletta Nebhut; standing, Nina Lewis, Danny Williams LaMell Abbe, Peggy Thomas and De Anna Coats. But, as in all fairy tales, good triumphs over evil in the end. (Staff Photo)

## One of 64 Texas cities

# Morton has application pending for airport improvement grant

Morton is one of 64 cities in Texas that has applied for a Texas Aeronautics Commission grant for airport construction or improvements.

The grant for Morton, if approved, would provide \$20,000 for extension and paving of runways. At the present time, there are no paved runways at the county-owned facility.

The grant was originally applied for in March, 1967, but was rejected because of lack of funds for the program. Lt. Gov. Preston Smith has proposed a \$1 million state aid program to build and develop airports in towns under 50,000 population. In the last session of the Legislature, \$500,000 was appropriated for this purpose.

On Sept. 20, 1966, Cochran County voters rejected a bond issue that would have provided \$30,000 for airport improvements.

The vote was 386-603.

The money for the current grant will be available Sept. 1 if approved.

Leon Kessler, manager of the Morton Area Chamber of Commerce, said generally when funds of this nature come from the state, the airport's sponsoring agency, the county in this case, usually provides a matching amount of money to the airport in the form of funds, material or labor.

At the present time, a "show of need" form is still needed by the state before funds can be approved. This form shows the current condition of runways, taxi ways, lighting systems and funds available from the sponsoring agency.

Other cities in this area that have applied for airport improvement grants are Stanton, Vega, Abernathy, and Olton.

Lt. Gov. Smith said, "In view of the late start in the development of an adequate air transportation system in this state and the tremendous growth and increasing economic importance of aviation, I think one of the important items that must be considered at the forthcoming special session of the Legislature is a greatly accelerated airport building program."

Speaking about the \$500,000 appropriated for airport improvements by the last Legislature, Smith said, "This is a comparatively insignificant amount since here is only enough money for 25 towns and there are several hundred towns that demand and need adequate airport facilities."

Smith said that of the 64 towns that had applied for grants, only money was holding back their projects and a \$1 million appropriation will make a sizeable dent in the list.

The Lieutenant Governor said an accelerated program of \$1 million for the year 1968-69 would not cost the taxpayers

### Filing deadline nears

Little more than a week remains in which to file for one of three positions open on the Morton City Council. Vacancies exist for the position of mayor, now held by Jack Russell, and council positions held by Earl Stowe and Donnie Simpson. None have said they will seek re-election.

City Secretary Elra Oden said the filing deadline is March 4. Absentee balloting will begin March 18 with the council election slated for April 6.

### Hospital furniture

Donations are now being accepted for furniture for Cochran Memorial Hospital. The furniture, for 18 bedrooms, a nurses' station, clinic lobby and hospital lobby, will complete the new addition and remodeling operations at the hospital. Cost of a complete bedroom furnishing, consisting of a high-low bed, bedside cabinet, over-bed table and two chairs, will be \$450. The hospital will furnish a door plaque when a complete room is donated. Donations will also be accepted for smaller items, such as lobby furniture, nurses' station chairs, cooking utensils and china, lamps and end tables. The cost of these items will vary. To make a donation, contact one of the hospital board members or Mrs. Pearl Thompson, manager of the hospital. The furniture for the new wing is scheduled to arrive about March 20 and the new wing is to open the latter part of March.

## Three hospital board vacancies will occur

Cochran County residents are being reminded that three vacancies will occur this year on the board of directors for the Cochran Memorial Hospital District.

Board president Glenn Thompson announced that petitions to place names on the ballot will be received by the board through Monday, March 11. Election will be held on April 6.

Terms expire this year for J. L. Scholler, precinct two; Douglas Dunn, precinct three; and J. C. O'Brien, precinct four. Other members of the board, Glenn Thompson, at large, and Jerry Iley, precinct one, have another year to serve on the board.

When the hospital district was formed last year by special legislation, the charter called for two-year terms of office on the board, with one representative from each precinct and one at-large. One and two-year terms were determined by lot for the initial term.

Thompson explained that a person need only be 21 years of age and a resident of the precinct to be eligible to serve on the board. The charter provides that a candidate's name will be placed on the ballot after a petition with 10 valid signatures is presented. The signatures may be those of any qualified voter within the county, since all residents vote on all director candidates. The candidate also must sign the petition bearing his name.

"one thin dime."

"The funds used for the development of aviation and aviation facilities come from unclaimed refunds on aviation fuel."

He said, "The amount of these unclaimed refunds varies from month to month, but will average out to around \$50,000 a month."

"Right now, there is a surplus of \$450,000 in the unclaimed refunds funds, and between now and September 1, 1968, the start of the new fiscal year, another \$400,000 surplus, it is anticipated will be in the fund, and by the end of September, 1969, the full \$1,000,000 will be available for appropriation to the proposed program."

Smith said another half a million dollar appropriation would be "entirely inadequate," and that he would personally urge and campaign for doubling this amount.

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# Six Morton area girls will compete for SPC queen title

Six Morton area young ladies will be among 24 students competing for the title of South Plains College Homecoming Basketball Queen Feb. 24. The crowning, which will take place during the halftime of the SPC-Amarillo Colege game in the Texan Dome, will be the highlight of homecoming activities at the college in Levelland. The game begins at 7:30 p.m.

Competing for the title are Mary Simnacher, sponsored by the Press Club, Pep; Kathy Masten, Three Way, Women's Recreational Assn.; and Dera Smith, Freshman Class; Cheryl McDaniel, Baptist Student Organization; Kay King, Independent; and Jeanette Cooper, Flaming Spurs, all of Morton.

Others competing are: Karen Blackwell, Hereford; Beverly Jenkins, Levelland; Lynda Melugin, Slaton; Betty Sharbutt, Mary Lynn Gresham, Ropesville; Gwea Brasell, Denver City; Darlene Dysart, Amherst; Jeanette Brosch, Slaton; Exa Goode, Sundown; Lynda Lyles, Hale Center; Gail O'Neal, Plains; Lilly Young, Hong Kong, China; Cynthia Parrish, Hale Center; Glenda Light, Amarillo; Connie Reed, Floydada; Judy Gunn, Levelland; and Linda Becker, Sunizona, Ariz.

The queen will be crowned by SPC Student Council President Dennis Hardee. Jim McCoy and Jim Poe, captains of the basketball team, will present the new queen with a bouquet of roses and a trophy. The four finalists will be presented with a charm.

Entertainment during half-time will include several dance routines by the Tex-Ann drill team and musical selections played by the SPC band.

A bonfire and pep-rally will be held Feb. 23 at 7:30 p.m. east of Lamar Hall. The bonfire will be highlighted by a short talk by Head Texan Basketball Coach Dub Malaise.

Registration of ex-students will begin at 5:45 p.m. Feb. 24 and will last until 6:15 p.m. in the college band hall, at which time exes will be honored with a tea. Members of the South Plains Koshare Organization will be in charge of registration of ex-students. Late registration will begin at 7 p.m. and will last until 7:30 p.m. in the Texan Dome at the west ticket office.

A homecoming dance will follow the game in the girl's gym with the "Ad Libs" providing the music.



### Contest winners . . .

J. WAYNE McDERMOTT and Patricia Grusendorf were named winners of expense-paid trips to Washington, D. C., in an oratorical contest sponsored by Bailey County Electric Cooperative. The couple were two of four finalists that spoke to the co-op's annual meeting held in Morton last Saturday. McDermott is a sophomore at Morton High School and Miss Grusendorf is a junior at Bula High School. (Staff Photo by Byron Willis)

### Cancer society meet to discuss crusade

The Cochran County Unit of the American Cancer Society met on February 19 at the Wigwam Cafe for a noon meeting. Mrs. John L. McGee, President, presided over the meeting. Mrs. McGee reported a planning meeting which she attended in Lubbock on January 29.

Mrs. McGee reported that the building to house canvass for the Cancer Crusade would be held on April 2. Mrs. G. Willingham is chairman of the Crusade committee with Mrs. H. B. Barker as assistant.

Mrs. Willard Henry reported that the plan concerning cancer have been ordered to be shown to the local schools.

Dale Bryley of the district office is present for the meeting. He gave pointers on conducting the crusade in a successful manner.

Present for the meeting were: Mrs. McGee, Mrs. Henry, Mrs. Leonard G. man, Mrs. H. B. Barker, Mrs. M. C. better, Mrs. Dexter Nebhut, Mrs. J. Walker and Mr. Bryley.

The next meeting will be on March 1 with final plans being made for the crusade.

visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. T. Carr at Lovington, N.M., the last three months. She fell last Monday and broke her leg. She is in a hospital at Hobbs, N.M., where she underwent surgery. Mr. and Mrs. John Blackman left Wednesday to be on the bed side of his mother and returned last Saturday.

### What's new at Minnie's Shop?

This week we are excited over the new "Spring lovelies" and we think you will be, too.

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And these aren't the only things that are new at Minnie's Shop . . .

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### Bula-Enoch news

## Enochs WMU ladies have Valentine party at church

By MRS. J. D. BAYLESS

The Enochs WMU ladies met at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday in the fellowship hall of the church. A Stewardship play, "Wait a Minute", was presented by Mrs. J. O. Dane, Mrs. Quinton Nichols, Mrs. W. M. Bryant, Mrs. Harold Layton, Mrs. Ray Seagler, Mrs. Junior Austin, Mrs. Dale Nichols, Mrs. Donald Grusendorf and Mrs. Shortie McCall.

Following the play everyone present enjoyed a Valentine party. The serving table was laid with a red cloth over laid with a white lace cloth, centered with a large red valentine. Also two heart shaped red velvet cakes with rose pink icing decorated in white. Refreshments were cake, coffee and Kool-Aid.

Those present were: Mesdames Shortie McCall, Carl Hall, Chester Petree, Keith Price, J. D. Bayless, Junior Austin, Donald Grusendorf, L. E. Nichols, Ray Seagler, Quinton Nichols, W. M. Bryant, C. C. Sinker, Harold Layton, J. O. Dane, and Dale Nichols.

The Gospel Harmonizers from Berger sang at the Missionary Baptist Church last Sunday afternoon. Those attending from Enochs were: Mrs. Alma Altman, Mrs. Ray Seagler and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Peterson.

David Coffman of Odessa, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Coffman of Morton, a nephew of Mrs. J. D. Bayless underwent surgery in an Odessa hospital last Monday for a hernia. He was able to return to his home Friday.

Mrs. Preston Harrison was a patient in the Green Memorial hospital from Monday till Saturday.

Mrs. Charlie Byars drove to Brownfield Tuesday to get her grandsons, Robert and Tommie Joe Hardaway, they spent the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Byars, while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hardaway, went to Dallas to find a house where they will be moving soon. Mr. Hardaway will be chief operator at the telephone office there.

she will begin her new job February 26. Robert and Tommie Joe both had the chicken pox last week.

Other guests in the Charlie Byars home Friday night and Saturday was his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Byars from Odessa.

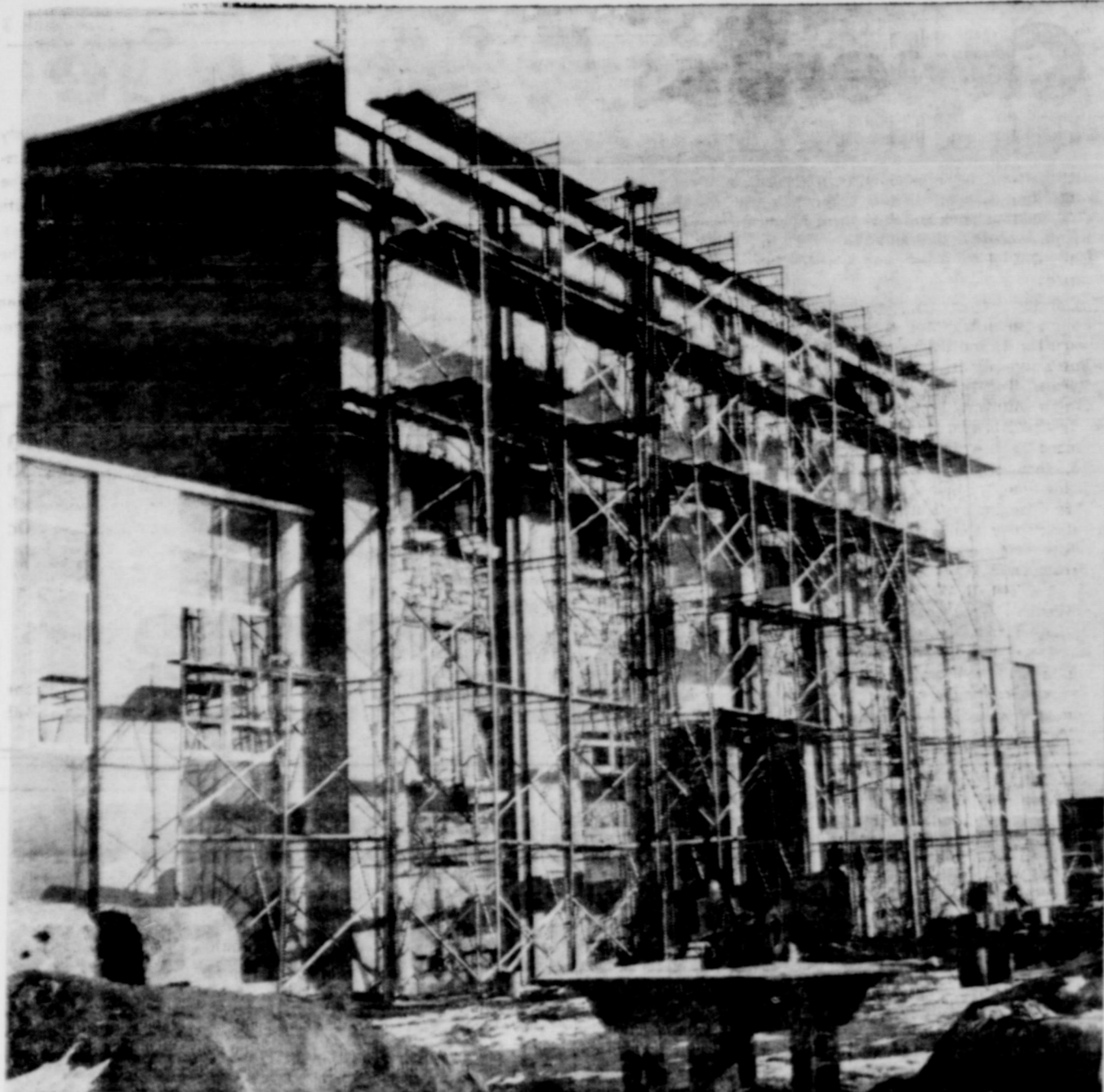
The beautiful snow that fell last week brought more moisture to our area, which was appreciated by the farmers and ranchers.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Thomas spent last Thursday night in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Kipe and family at Great Bend, Kan. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Thomas returned home with Pete and his wife Friday.

Those from our area winning door prizes at the Bailey County Electric Cooperative annual meeting Saturday at the Cochran County Auditorium, were: first prize winner, Leon Kessler, a Presto instant coffee/and tea brewer; Raymond Hall, a Lady Sunbeam Flair Hair dryer; A. P. Fred a Toastmaster Delux waffle Baker and Grill; E. N. McCall, a Presto Electric Hot Dog Cooker; Mrs. J. M. Angel, a Westinghouse Clock Radio; and A. J. Wallace, a Sunbeam Steam-Dry iron.

We wish to say congratulations to Miss Patricia Grusendorf, a junior student in the Bula School, for being selected to represent Bailey County Electric Cooperative in "The Government in Action youth Tour" in Washington in June.

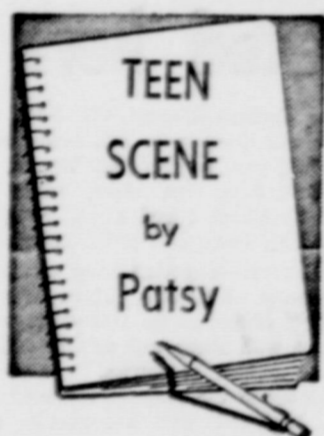
Those that met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson at Tatum, N.M., Sunday for a family gathering were his mother, Mrs. J. W. Richardson and her children, Mr. and Mrs. Ashel Richardson and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Claunch and family all of Bula; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Grusendorf and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Nichols, Patricia, and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Richardson and children. Also others attending were Dennis Newton of Enochs and Miss Vina Tugman from Cache, Okla. Mrs. Nettie Blackman of Bula has been



Now the other side can watch . . .

BUSINESS FIRMS ON THE east side of the square in Morton have almost had a monopoly on being able to watch the courthouse addition and remodeling operations. Now the west side of the square is privileged to watch what is

going on. Solar tile and porcelain panels are being installed at a rapid clip and will give the building a new look on the outside. Interior work is also progressing rapidly. (Staff Photo)



a last minute panic tonight, because all science projects are due tomorrow. The projects, to be exhibited at the local fair during open house, include research papers, posters, and exhibits; each on a different subject. The projects take a lot of hard work, so I'd like to wish everyone good luck!

Several band members are busy trying to get ready for the regional solo and ensemble contest in Lubbock, March 2. Several groups from the band will be going, to compete with groups from throughout the region.

Band members received their letter jackets last week. The jackets are not awarded on the basis of merit, but are simply purchased by the band members. However, the jackets are still something to be proud of, because they are a symbol of the MHS band!

If by chance you visited Mr. Murrah's English III classes this week you would have seen an un-rehearsed version of Thornton Wilder's "Our Town."

The play, which was meant to be about any average town in the U.S., was written to be acted out with such scenery as tables and chairs for houses, and merely a cleared spot for Main Street. The classes tried to relate the characters in the play to some of our own townspeople. I think they really enjoyed it, and are much more interested in this kind of learning than in the old cut and dried lecture type!

Well, that's about all the news around the "Teen Scene" for now, so until next week . . . everybody GROOVE!!

### Club honors husbands with Valentine party

The Fellowship hall of the Methodist Church was the scene of the annual husband's night of the Y. M. Study Club on Thursday Feb. 15. A Valentine motif was carried out, as members and their husbands enjoyed a buffet dinner under the direction of Mrs. Deryl Bennett. Others assisting her were Mesdames: Max Clark, Don Davies, Robbie Key, and Pete Pierce.

Afterwards, the couples enjoyed a surprise treasure hunt. Then several games of Bingo were played with the winners receiving various, amusing White Elephant prizes.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bedwell, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Winder, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. George Hargrove, Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Nebhut, Mr. and

### ★ Club to meet

The Friendly Circle Hobby Club will meet with Mrs. L. Z. Scoggins instead of Mrs. Horace Gardner as planned on Friday, Feb. 23, at 2:30 p.m.

### Chamber will support airport improvement

Directors of the Morton Area Chamber of Commerce voted Tuesday night to increase efforts to improve the county airport. A motion was passed to send a delegation to talk with the County Commission at its next regular meeting in regard to funds which have been earmarked by the state for use in improving the local airport.

Bill Gray reported on a retail trade committee promotion which will begin in Morton very soon. He outlined costs and probable benefits from the 13-week promotion.

Leon Kessler made a report on a Chamber delegation's trip to Austin last month for a one-day Industrial Development Conference. He said that Texas Industrial Development leaders pointed out the five steps needed to get new industry and the order in which they should be approached. These are: community development aimed at making the town more attractive; use of research and analysis to determine labor market, raw materials, tax rates and other information which will be needed; location of possible industrial sites and buildings; locations of industrial financing; and, finally, locating industrial prospects.

Roy Hickman talked with the board about possible changes in financing of the annual junior livestock show and ways the Chamber could help.

Manager Kessler reported that the Texas Education Agency would offer a sales school in this area in July or August. The board voted not to participate, since a similar session was held here this fall. The Chamber is seeking to get a Public Relations course taught.

John Tucker, a student at Texas Tech visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Tucker over the weekend.

Mrs. Max Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wams, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Groves, Mrs. Deryl Bennett, Mrs. Robbie Key and Mrs. Don Davies.

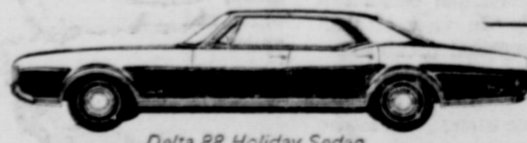
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CANDIDATE FOR TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR COCHRAN COUNTY

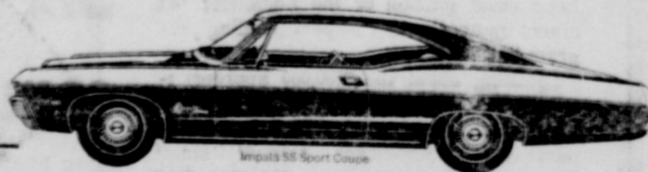
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# Morton ends season with a 5-7 district outing mark

Morton's basketball season, begun with high hopes, ended on a dismal note. The Indians lost their last two outings and four of the last six. In road games, they fell to Stanton 50-54 and to Post 60-67.

Final standings gave Morton a 21-13 season mark and 5-7 in district action. Midland Carver raced through the title race with only an overtime loss to Stanton Tuesday and will face Dimmitt in bi-district action. The rest of the district games ended this way: Stanton, Slaton, Denver City, Morton, Post and Frenship.

Against Stanton, Morton showed well using two sophomores and a freshman along with four regulars. Not until the final quarter was Stanton able to pull in front. Morton led 11-10, 27-23 and 38-37. But the Buffaloes finally rallied to put out a 54-50 victory.

Byron Willis led the scoring with 18 points. Charles Carter, Donnie Harvey and Willie Moore had eight each, Bob Hawkins and M. C. Collins had four each. Also playing with the varsity was Jerry Steed. David Jones got 17 and Tommy Glynn 13 for the Buffs.

Tuesday's finale at Post was another

battle down to the wire. Morton trailed 14-18 after one period, then pulled into a 41-38 lead at halftime. The Indians and the Antelopes were tied after three periods, 52-52. Post pulled away for a 67-62 victory.

Charles Carter and freshman M. C. Collins were high for the night. Carter poured in 19 and Collins added 12. Four of Post's five players were in double figures. Norman Tanner had 24, Ray Harper 14, Dennis Altman 12 and Nick Pantoja 10.

In the B game, Morton used a strong second half to win, 53-46. Morton trailed 6-8, then got a 17-16 lead at halftime. Going into the last quarter, Morton led 36-30. The Indians outscored their opponents by one point in the final period.

Ray King led the scorers with 20 points. Freshman Stan Coffman netted 14.

### TOURNAMENT AHEAD

Morton's three youngest teams will be in action this weekend in Denver City. A two-day tourney will have the seventh, eighth and freshman teams competing against Denver City, Plains, Seagraves, Seminole and Levelland.

Morton's seventh graders will open ac-

tion Friday at 4:30 p.m. when they play Denver City. Winner will advance to the semi-finals against Plains at 8:15 a.m. Saturday. Loser will go into the consolation finals at 1 p.m. Saturday. Finals are set for 5:45 p.m. Saturday.

The Morton eighth grade will play Denver City at 5:45 p.m. Friday in the boys' gym. Winner will play Plains at 9:30 a.m. Saturday. Finals will be held at 7 p.m. Saturday. First round loser will advance to the consolation finals at 2:15 p.m. Saturday.

The freshmen from Morton will go against Seminole at 7 p.m. Friday in the girls' gym. Winner will play Levelland at 10:45 a.m. Saturday. Loser will advance to the consolation finals at 3:30 p.m. Saturday. Finals for the frosh are set for 8:15 p.m. Saturday.

This weekend's tournament will conclude cage action for the Morton schools.

## TOPS Club has regular meeting February 14

Ten members attended the "Lighter Later" TOPS club meeting, Feb. 14, and Nellie Fincher had lost the most weight.

Bill Hill gave an interesting program from the book "The Human Body", which was written by a doctor.

## ★ Emla Smith

The Emla Smith Junior Study Club will hold its next meeting Thursday, Feb. 22, at 7:45 p.m., in the home of Mrs. James Walker, with Mrs. Gary Willingham and Mrs. Doug Reed serving as hostesses. The program will be on the subject, home safety tips and how you can avoid being gyped and will be presented by Mrs. Tommy Hawkins.

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### Tree planting . . .

MRS. ROY HILL AND MRS. E. R. Fincher are shown at the Cochran County Museum following the planting of a Honey Locust on the museum grounds. The tree, sponsored by Le Fleur Garden Club, was planted for Arbor Day. Mrs. Fincher is chairman of the club's museum landscaping committee and Mrs. Hill is a member of the committee. Mrs. S. E. Williams, president of the club, is not shown. (Staff Photo)

## ★ Auxiliary meets

First orientation meeting of the Cochran Memorial Hospital Auxiliary will be held on Friday, Feb. 23. The meeting is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. in the teachers' lounge at Morton High School.

## Future Farmers focus attention on farming

Vocational agriculture students in Morton High School will join Future Farmers of America members throughout the nation in activities to focus attention on the importance of agriculture during National FFA Week, February 17-24.

"Challenging Youth in Agriculture" is this year's FFA Week theme. The message that these young agriculturists are trying to impart to the nation is simple. They seek to inform the public of the importance of the agricultural industry to America and to the world, the value of good citizenship development, and the role of Future Farmers of America in helping meet the challenges in world food production that faces America today.

"Because of the many predictions of world hunger in the future, many people have stopped listening," said Owen Young, vocational agriculture teacher and FFA advisor. "Now suddenly, the future is here! For the past seven years, our world has not been able to grow as much food as it has eaten. And, finally, the bottomless U. S. surpluses have melted away."

"Let us also point out," he added, "that it is estimated that the world as a whole will need 40 percent more food just two decades from now. Meeting these challenges will be in the hands of young agriculturists being trained and developed in such an organization as the FFA."

Membership in the FFA is made up of students of vocational agriculture in high school. The organization's activities are designed to help develop rural leadership and good citizenship and to stimulate the students to better achievement in their study and work toward successful establishment in farming and other agricultural occupations.

The Morton FFA Chapter has 46 members.

The national FFA organization has approximately 450,000 members, with 9,000 local chapters in the 50 states and Puerto Rico. Membership in Texas is about 4600.

The week of George Washington's Birthday is chosen each year for the observance of National FFA Week. Although usually recognized as a Revolutionary War General and our first President, Washington's first love was the farm. He was one of the first in the nation to practice contour planting, crop rotations, fertilization, and other soil conservation and improvement methods.

## ★ Park donations

An account has been opened at the First State Bank for donations for park improvements. Known as the Strickland Memorial Park fund, donations will be used for purchasing trees, shrubs, benches, tables and play ground equipment. Memorial trees will cost about \$5 each according to Mrs. Bobby Travis, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce park improvement committee.

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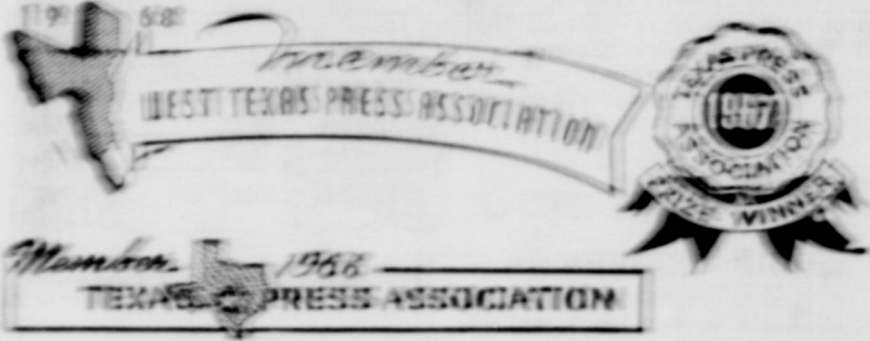
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MORTON, TEXAS, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1968

Museum dedication culminates dream for county residents

A long-time dream for some dedicated Cochran County residents will take place next week with the dedication of a museum. Scheduled for Thursday, Feb. 29, (not an unusual day, the dedication ceremonies will climax devoted efforts by a few folk.

It takes time for people to realize that they are living in history and even longer for others to realize they should preserve the heritage of the area.

West Texans have a sense of history about them. Many helped settle this country less than 50 or 75 years ago. They were primarily concerned with existing in this land of hard contrasts; most of them haven't realized that their tools, their furniture, their possessions and papers would ever have any historical significance.

"Today's junk is tomorrow's antique" is often quoted. Yet history is preserved for future generations through the collection of such things. Who would have ever thought a George Jackson or a Butter Corn or a 1925 Ford would be of interest to another age?

It has taken a lot of work and a lot of patience to make a Cochran County Historical Society Museum a reality, but it has come true. The building is small, but has been repaired well. Historical society members have their eyes on another building now, and likely will get it before too long. Now the museum is ready to accept items, which will continue to belong to the donor.

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It is our hope that pioneers in this area will go through their possessions and offer older items for use in the museum. This would help pass their experiences and background on to the future. . . and today's school children don't even remember as far back as the Korean Conflict, much less back to World War II, the Great Depression or the time immediately after World War I.

We are proud to salute the dedicated members of the Cochran County Historical Museum Association as they prepare to dedicate their building. They are working to preserve our past for the future. . . and they deserve your help and support.

Hooray for the FFA!

This week is observed nationally as Future Farmers of America week and the Tribune would like to add its salute to this fine organization.

Some claim that farming is dying out as an occupation for the future. What is really dying out is inefficient farming. Farms of the future will be larger, more businesslike, employing the latest advances of science, economics, communications and industry.

It becomes increasingly evident that the farmer of the future must be well educated, efficient, able to cope with quick technological changes.

Deplorable as it might seem to some, the day of the small family farm is growing to a close. Farms of the future will be large, operated by corporations of large land-owners with almost perfect control over weeds, pests and even weather. Crops will be planted, cultivated and harvested by machines that will dwarf and outperform anything in use today.

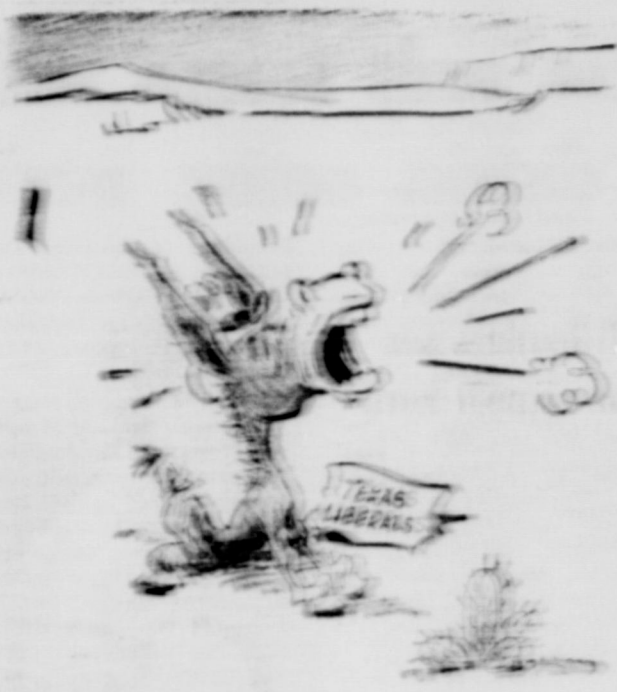
And these farms are going to be owned, managed and operated by today's youngsters. They are getting a solid foundation through their FFA program in modern agri-business operations. While the family farm will disappear, the future looks extremely bright for young men who will get a good education and devote themselves to modern farming operations.

The Future Farmers of America is training tomorrow's agri-business leaders. . . and doing a good job. This area, the nation, and the world will depend upon them very soon.

West Point, Miss., Times Leader: "Speaking of billions," we're all accustomed in this inflated age to reading about "millions" and "billions." But do you appreciate the difference? Try this one on for size: If the lady of the house goes shopping for 40 hours a week, spending \$1,000 an hour, it will take her 25 weeks to spend a million dollars. If she followed the same schedule, spending a billion dollars would take her 481 years! That's one way to tell the difference between a million and a billion. Using her charge-plate, at the rate suggested, it would take her 158,009 years to spend the equivalent of the U. S. national debt!"

Eston, Colo., Herald: "By the way, they report Medicare isn't working out the way they thought it would. Maybe this is a case where Congress should take a second look. It would seem now that they have a couple of years experience, they could come through with a better bill. Some are recommending the government change the \$3 payment idea and allow the Elders an amount on Social Security to purchase private insurance to use with Medicare. Seems to me that I heard that idea before the existing bill ever passed."

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"TAKE ME TO A LEADER, ANY LEADER!"

Views of other editors

Talks won't stop bombing

United Nations Secretary General U. Thant is convinced that if the United States would just stop the bombing of North Vietnam, the North would be willing to start talking. We hear this from first one and then another source that really is contending that the United States ought to give up and get out of Vietnam and let the Communists have the place. We hear it also from the naive sort who would like to withdraw but see that the South Vietnamese are protected from the Communists. They don't say how this protection is to be arranged.

U. Thant and many others are skipping something, knowingly or not, in their attempt to show that the United States could have what it has been proposing all along — talks — simply by stopping the bombing.

It is true that President Johnson has said the United States would open its talks with Hanoi at any time. We have heard also to stop bombing North Vietnam. But talking and cessation of bombing do not go together just like that. A promise from Hanoi to talk is not enough. If we are to stop bombing, they are expected to stop something in the way of hostilities. They could talk for years without doing that.

It would be pretty silly to promise the enemy any kind of relief from military activities while at the same time that the enemy is threatened by hostile troops which appear ready to strike from Laos and the Vietnam demilitarized zone. Our troops are not allowed to attack them in those areas. Yet the enemy can use them freely. Would it be too much of a concession on the part of the Communists to make by agreement they already have made?

Fort Worth Star-Telegram

Garbage know-how needed

The Japanese do it better. Handling garbage we mean. A company in Yokosuka has announced that it is ready to start garbage, dust, bottles and old clothes, tin snips which can be used for construction purposes. How Mayor Lindsay would have sighed, had he seen this announcement.

This Japanese invention is further proof of how far man's intelligence and ingenuity can go in meeting the mounting problems of his physical environment. Only a short while ago farmers were started at the announcement that Pennsylvania

agricultural research station had proven that cows could thrive on a diet of old newspapers and magazines.

What can be done with newspapers, old, dust and old clothes can surely be done with the rest of the refuse and pollution to be seen on all sides. While traversing the waters of Lake Erie (now considered "dead" because of its delinquency) may be a mighty task (in terms of filling out a return), the latter can be taken as proof that man's intelligence is equal to whatever task is imposed upon it. What is needed now is to use that intelligence.

Citizen Science Monitor

Advertising and free press

No country has a press equal to that of the United States. The 18,000 smaller newspapers scattered over the length and breadth of the land represent a body of independent thought that is indispensable to the preservation of our economic and political liberty.

When the suggestion was made recently that the best interests of consumers might be served by more stringent regulation of advertising, no great imagination was needed to see the dangers of restricted advertising.

The close relationship between advertising and the free press was presented recently by C. B. Koye, writing in the Fairmount (N.D.) Star. In his words, the home-town newspaper reader "wants his paper to tell him about his friends, gangs and comings, births, weddings, all sorts of local happenings. . . . But he also wants to see what the local merchants have to offer in advertisements. . . ."

It costs money to put out a newspaper. Just like it costs money to run a grocery store, service station, garage or cafe. . . . The major income is derived from advertisers. . . . Everyone knows that "Brown" has a store in town, but they also like to see what he has to offer in his ad. . . .

Active advertisers are the foundation of the free press. That is why freedom of the press, freedom of enterprise and the unrestricted right to advertise will all sink or swim together.

Nashua (N.H.) Telegraph

Forests contribute to the regularity of stream flow by reducing the rate and amount of runoff, and allowing rain water to soak into the ground.

Everyone into act as LCB continues to be embattled

AUSTIN, Tex. — State attention continues to center on the embattled Texas Liquor Control Board.

Speaker Ben Barnes appointed a special subcommittee from the House State Affairs Committee to study possible changes in the election laws. Rep. Calk Croy of Victoria, committee chairman, also heads the subcommittee. Other members are Reps. James Sider of Naples, Bill Clayton of Springlake, James O'Kara of Houston and Rhy Garswood of San Antonio.

Croy stressed that the committee will not investigate Board operations. It will look into the cumbersome liquor laws which have not been amended since they were first adopted in 1935. Chairman Croy says the panel will be ready with its recommendations (which conceivably could include legalization of liquor-by-the-drink sales) "whenever Governor Connally calls a special session of the Legislature."

LCB ITSELF HAS drafted a set of recommendations which include the provision that no private club, veterans or fraternal organization can serve liquor over the bar in dry areas without local option election approval.

A veteran lawmaker, O. N. (Newt) Humphreys, Jr., was chosen by the Board to take the vacant job as assistant to Administrative Calk Stevenson Jr. Humphreys, 46, is a native of Breunham. His father was chief of police there. The new LCB assistant chief has been with the Texas Department of Public Safety since 1947 and for 11 years has been head of its intelligence division.

This selection led to speculation that the LCB might in a few months move Humphreys up to administrator. But Stevenson said that he has no intention of resigning while the agency is under fire.

IN AN UNUSUAL way, the LCB situation got involved in the governor's race. Gov. Preston Smith was critical of the decision by Barnes to name a special committee. Then Eugene Locke of Dallas, one of Smith's opponents in the Governor's race, said the liquor laws obviously need revision and that Smith should have provided leadership toward that end.

Gov. John Connally's declaration that state legislators have been involved in "influence peddling" efforts with Stevenson, and his refusal to grant special treatment kept his salary down, led to some checking.

A study of the appropriations law for the past 10 years shows that Stevenson's salary was generally held to about \$4,000 less than those of comparable department heads. It was only last Sept. 1 that his salary was brought to within \$1,000 of two other agency heads.

SPECIAL SESSION TALKS — With all the 1968 candidates now on the line and campaigns still in low gear, favorite-captain speculation is the date of the upcoming special legislative session.

Governor Connally must call one in order to pass a 1969 budget and a new tax bill. This has to be done before September 1, start of the next fiscal year. Otherwise, there will be no money for continuation of state services.

Big question is when? It has been widely assumed that Connally will wait until around June 1 when the primary elections will be over.

Since the governor said that he may ask legislators to consider liquor-by-the-drink legalization and conflict-of-interests curbs, speculation on the session's date has flared anew. It is felt that he may have an earlier date in mind, like maybe March 4. Senate Secretary Charles Schnabel "predicted" this starting time in a Valentine Day letter to senators. Later he said he

wants with "finger-in-cheek" and "really serious."

Arguments run something like this: FOR JUNE — Legislators want to fix a big tax bill with elections starting then in the fall, and will resist any campaign interruptions. Early session would pre-empt as well as lose in scope and might result in defeat of some lawmakers who are reluctant to vote for measures until the last minute, anyway, and along about July and August they can't put it off any longer.

FOR MARCH — After three lame-duck legislatures would be rebelling toward any tax program or other controversial measures submitted by the governor. More time might be needed to get a major tax bill that would be allowed by a June session. New Democrats and one the governor will be known by Jan. and the legislators may be inclined to look to him for leadership and support. Connally's proposals.

Only one really in position to name John Connally. He says he hasn't made up his mind — and might not for several weeks. But adds: "Any date is a possibility."

APPOINTMENTS — Governor Connally named Consumer Credit Commissioner Francis A. Minked as a member of the Constitutional Revision Commission.

Sen. Ralph Hall of Rockwall, state president pro-tem, has been designated state campaign manager for gubernatorial candidate John Bell.

William P. (Bibi) Carter, press secretary to the governor, will return to his old job as DPS public information officer on March 1.

James J. Kelly will serve as acting executive director of the Texas Industry Commission.

Kyle Thompson, capital bureau head of United Press International, is heading press relations for gubernatorial candidate Eugene Locke.

COURTS SPEAK — Texas Supreme Court has held that Clites should not license door-to-door insurance salesmen in a case originating in Hill County. Clites of Beaumont and his music company are not responsible for injuries to a woman who fell while attempting to return to her seat at a concert in the city and returned Henderson County district court must consider a land vacancy claim. A jury trial must be held in an Amarillo man's suit against a railroad after he drove a car in which he was a passenger, crashed while trying to avoid hitting a train.

High court also agreed to hear arguments on March 27 in a San Antonio case involving a father's right to prevent a divorced wife from legally changing the name of their child.

Court of Criminal Appeals affirmed to death penalty assessed 19-year-old Johnny Rudy Enriquez for the murder of a Beeville nurse — one of five persons he was accused of slaying, within one hour April 23, 1966. Trial of death extended from Corpus Christi, through Beville and to Wilson County.

OIL DEMAND — Continued blockage of the Suez Canal and the TAP pipeline in the Middle East again has zoomed demand for Texas oil.

Railroad Commission increased February oil production allowable from 4.6 to 4.85 per cent of potential, retroactive to February 1.

Commission set March factor at the same level, responding to demand by producers.

New allowable will permit maximum production of 3,372,485 barrels a day, compared with 3,088,058 under 4 per cent factor.

ATTORNEY, GEN. RULES — State Department of Public Welfare is required to make "medicaid" payments direct to doctors and hospitals for medical care of welfare recipients, says Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin.

In other recent opinions, Martin held that: Public junior colleges are local educational agencies, providing "public free" secondary education at public expense and subject to public supervision and direction; and the State Insurance Commissioner does not have authority to approve amendment to an insurance company's charter which, in effect, transforms it into a commercial corporation required to have a charter from the Secretary of State.

DRAFT QUOTA UP — Texas draft boards next month must furnish the latest monthly quota of young men for military service in nearly two years.

Col. Morris S. Schwartz, state Selective Service director, said the local boards have been called on to provide 1,948 men — most since the 2,012-man quota of November, 1966. Low point in the interim was 674 men last February.

This year's monthly quotas have been 1,160 men in February and 1,659 in January.

National call for March induction is 29,000 men. All are for the Army.

SHORT SNORTS — Carl V. Remert of Yoakum has been appointed District Engineer by State Highway Engineer J. C. Dingwall. . . . Texas Industrial Commission named James J. Kelly as acting executive director. . . . Texas Committee on Natural Resources vigorously protested the lease of Meridian State Park property for a nine-hole public golf course.

COW POKES

By Ace Reid



"On this farm you don't even hafta rotate the crops, the wind rotates the soil for you!"

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Cheryl McDaniel, a student at South Plains College visited in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Gene McDaniel over the weekend.

## POLITICAL CALENDAR

Democratic Primary  
May 4, 1968  
General Election  
Nov. 5, 1968

**For County Commissioner, Precinct 1:**

GALVIN "BUDDY" FRANKS  
LEONARD COLEMAN (Incumbent)

B. L. COON

WELDON NEWSOM

L. T. "SHORT" LEMONS

**For County Commissioner, Precinct 3:**

HARRAL RAWLS (Incumbent)

B. C. "LEFTY" HALL

**For Sheriff:**

HAZEL HANCOCK (Incumbent)

FRANK DAVIDSON

DON LAMAR

**For Tax Assessor-Collector:**

LEONARD GROVES (Incumbent)

MRS. OTHA DENNY

**For County Attorney:**

JAMES K. WALKER (Incumbent)

**For State Representative, 72nd District:**

BILL CLAYTON (Incumbent)

J. FRANK FORD (Republican)

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**HANNAH'S** husband Hector hates hard work so he cleans the rugs with B's Lustre. Rent electric shampooer \$1. Taylor and Son Furniture. 1t-2-c

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## CARD OF THANKS —

### CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our thanks for the kindness and sympathy shown to us during the illness and at the time of our mother's death. To the doctors and staff at Memorial Hospital, for their wonderful services; to our friends and neighbors for many beautiful flowers, cards, letters, phone calls and visits; and to the church for the wonderful luncheon and the beautiful service, we are truly grateful. May God's richest blessings be with you all.

Mr. and Mrs. I. U. Chaddick  
Floyd Chaddick  
Mrs. Ann Chaddick  
Mrs. Viola Chaddick  
Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lebow  
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Selman

### CARD OF THANKS

The family of M. A. Barnes wishes to take this opportunity to say thank you to each and every one for the kindness done during the loss of our loved one. May God bless each and every one of you.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their kindnesses, prayers, visits, cards, flowers, food and everything that was done for us while Neal was in the hospital at Lubbock. It is a blessing to have friends that are willing to make our stay in the hospital more pleasant. Neal is improved and at home now. May God bless each and everyone is our prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Smith  
Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Avery and family

Mr. and Mrs. Van Greene have just returned from a visit to Cozmel Island, Mexico, Merida, Yucatan, Mexico and to Kerrville to attend the board of directors meeting of the Lions Club camp for crippled children.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Burnes and children of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carter and children of Levelland, and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Exline of Portales, N.M. visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Smith over the weekend.

## CITY PATROLMAN WANTED

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CITY OF MORTON

## ★ Pot luck dinner

There will be a "pot luck" dinner Thursday, Feb. 22, from 11:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. at Roberts Memorial Nursing Home.

Friends and relatives of the aged residents are invited and may bring a covered dish if desired.

## 4-H adult leaders see extension expert here

About 25 county 4-H adult leaders heard tips on how to improve their work and make 4-H better during a meeting Monday evening in the Farm Bureau meeting.

Guest speaker was Ed Shoup, 4-H adult leader expert from the Texas A&M extension service in College Station.

"Always remember the program is for the boys and girls," he stressed, "and the goal of the program is to 'learn by doing'."

He explained that 4-H teaches youngsters today for today. "People don't start being citizens ten years from now. They learn right now."

Shoup pointed out that 4-H Club members learn through three basic parts of the 4-H program: their 4-H project work; monthly club meetings; and activities and demonstrations.

He urged that selection of a 4-H project be made a family affair to insure better cooperation from members' families.

Organization leaders were encouraged to make sure members know what they are going to do . . . then let them do it. The same basic procedure was stressed for project leaders; help the youngsters, but don't do it for them.

Shoup's talk was followed by a question-and-answer session for specific problems.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Graves from Lubbock were in Morton over the weekend visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Marina and Ms. and Mrs. O. A. Graves.

## Legal Notices

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals for Furniture & Furnishings for Cochran County Courthouse, Morton, Texas, addressed to Honorable J. A. Love, County Judge, Cochran County, Morton, Texas will be received by the Architects and the Commissioners Court in the Commissioners' Courtroom in the Cochran County Courthouse, Morton, Texas until 10:00 A.M. Central Standard Time, March 11, 1968 at which time they will be opened publicly and read aloud.

Separate proposals will be received for (a) Office Furniture, (b) Courtroom Benches and (c) Library Furniture as outlined in the specifications.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by a cashier's or certified check or an acceptable proposal bond in the amount of five percent (5%) of the greatest amount of the proposals submitted, payable without recourse to the order of J. A. Love, County Judge.

Copies of specifications may be procured from Stiles, Roberts and Messersmith, Architects and Engineers, 3307 Avenue X, Lubbock, Texas upon a deposit of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) as a guarantee of their safe return before the expiration of ten days (10) after receipt of bids. This deposit will be returned to each bidder upon return of said documents in good condition.

No bid may be withdrawn for at least fifteen (15) days after the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids.

The Commissioners Court of Cochran County, Texas, reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive any formalities. Commissioners Court Cochran County, Texas By: J. A. Love County Judge Published in the Morton Tribune Feb. 22, Feb. 29, and March 7, 1968.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
O. CLEMENINA GALAN, Defendant,  
Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 121st District Court of Cochran County at the Courthouse thereof, in Morton, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 26 day of January A.D. 1968, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 6 day of December A. D. 1967, in this cause, numbered 1740 on the docket of said court and styled ALEX R. GALAN, Plaintiff, vs. CLEMENINA GALAN, DEFENDANT.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: DIVORCE as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Morton, Texas, this 26 day of January A.D. 1968.

Attest: Lessye Silvers, Clerk,  
District Court  
Cochran County, Texas.

Published in the Morton Tribune Feb. 8, 15, 22, 1968.



The three Q's . . .

WHEN YOU HOLLER at one of Morton's sanitation workers, chances are all three will answer. All three of the workers have names that begin with the letter Q and all sound about the same. Their names are Quinton Hill, Quelly Garrett and Quincy Standmire.

Garrett, who has been with the city operation four years, said they are about to get used to the problems of their names but there still is some confusion. (Staff Photo)

The Morton (Tex.) Tribune, Thursday, Feb. 22, 1968

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## Three Way news

# Mr. and Mrs. Glen Harris were honored with shower

By MRS. H. W. GARVIN

Mrs. C. B. Hightower underwent surgery in Methodist Hospital Wednesday.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ferguson was the scene of a bridal shower on Wednesday afternoon honoring Mr. and Mrs. Glen Harris. Many nice and useful gifts were received by the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Garvin were in Lubbock Thursday on business.

The Three Way FFA boys and 4-H girls and boys showed stock the past weekend at the Muleshoe Fat stock show.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hodnett were in Lubbock Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Basel Richardson from Lubbock took his mother, Mattie Richardson, to Trinidad, Colo. last week to visit

her brother and his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Garvin spent Sunday in Littlefield visiting their daughter and family the James Gilentine.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Wheeler attended the basketball games in Muleshoe Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Williams and son from Sudan spent Sunday with her parents, the George Tysons.

Mattie Richardson received word Sunday that her sister-in-law, Mrs. Enoch Phipps of Trinidad, Colo. had died.

Three Way Junior High was host to a basketball tournament at the Three Way Gym starting last Thursday and ending Saturday night.

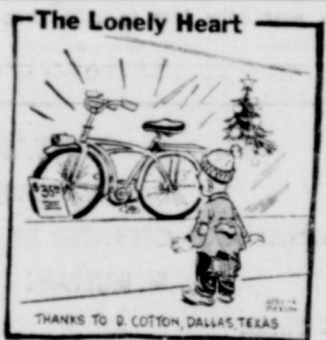
Lions Club of Three Way had a chili supper Saturday night at the Three Way Cafeteria.

## 4-H girls have noon luncheon meeting

The Unit 3 girls of the 4-H Food project met Saturday, Feb. 17 at Kate's Kitchen for a luncheon.

They had completed a course in nutrition, food buying and preparing food. The Saturday luncheon was a special treat for the girls because of the work they had done.

Those attending the luncheon were: Vicki Hall, Joann Whitehead, Julie Cooper, Sheritta Fluitt, Deborah Whitehead, Vicki Cooper, and each girl brought her mother as their guest.



## County teachers hold meeting in Whiteface

The Cochran County Teachers Assn. met Thursday evening, Feb. 15, at Whiteface. Delegates were named to the House of Delegates for the District Convention, March 1, in Lubbock.

Delegates include: Morton, Bill Ed Igo and Ray Lanier; Bledsoe, Ted Bryant; and Whiteface, Miss Fredda Bourland.

The evening's speaker, Neal Dillman, District XIII president, discussed the district meeting program.

The nominating committee for 1968-69 officers includes Paul Davis, Mrs. Naomi Thompson and Mrs. Mildred Ward of Morton; Royce Elam of Whiteface and A. A. Chandler of Bledsoe. The committee is supposed to report to the president before the April meeting.

The county association voted to give service pins to persons every five years beginning in April. The pins will represent service from five to 35 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clayton from Lubbock visited Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Corder, and niece, Miss Beverly Criswell. The Claytons and Beverly went to Lingo, N.M., to visit with their grandmother and great-grandmother, Mrs. Josie Boteler on her 92nd birthday.

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## L'Allegro club has program on famous women of Texas

L'Allegro Study Club members elected officers Thursday to serve during the 1968-69 club year. They include: Mrs. Jack Wallace, president; Mrs. Bud Thomas, first vice president; Mrs. Van Greene, second vice president; Mrs. James McClure, secretary; Mrs. M. A. Silvers, treasurer; Mrs. Eddie Irwin, reporter; Mrs. R. L. DeBusk, historian; and Mrs. Al Mullinax, parliamentarian.

Mrs. Irwin served as hostess for the meeting, which she opened with a prayer.

Mrs. Elwood Harris presented the program on "Women Who Helped Make Texas." She discussed women, both famous and infamous, who left their mark on Texas history.

Among those mentioned were Ma Ferguson, only woman governor of the state; Claudia Alta Taylor, now Lady Bird Johnson; Wallis Warfield Spencer Simpson, the Duchess of Windsor, for whom a king gave up his throne; and actress Adah Isaacs Mencken of Nacodoches, New York, and Europe. The movie "Heller in Pink Tights," play by Sophia Loren,

is the story of Adah Isaacs Mencken's life. Celebrities of the 20th century from Texas are Hollywood's Linda Darnell, Ann Sheridan, Martha Hyer, Ginger Rodgers, Joan Crawford, Carol Burnett, Carolyn Jones, Cyd Charise, and Mary Martin.

Texas Women have made many and various contributions to their state. They have added spice to our heritage and have done much to achieve for Texas what Rebecca West described as a ideal nation. "A shelter where all talents are generously recognized — all viciousness quietly forgiven — all viciousness quietly frustrated — and those who lack talent honored for equivalent contributions of graciousness."

In a business session following the program, Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, Finance Chairman, announced that the annual Marathon Bridge Tournament is now in progress and that forty-six couples had entered. Mrs. H. D. Barker, reports Chairman, announced that all Club reports had been mailed to the proper District Chairman.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to the following members, Mesdames H. B. Barker, E. O. Willingham, R. L. DeBusk, Jack Wallace, Harold Drenan, Bud Thomas, Elwood Harris, Inez Swicgood, Jack Russell, James McClure, Al Mullinax and J. C. Reynolds.

## Two accidents worked in county in January

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated two accidents on rural highways in Cochran County during the month of January according to Sergeant A. E. Roberts, Highway Patrol Supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in one person injured, and an estimated property damage of \$300.00.

April 15 is the deadline to have your motor vehicle inspected. During the past five and one-half months approximately 2,000,000 or 10% of the approximately 4,750,000 registered vehicles in Texas have been inspected. This leaves 1,750,000 vehicles to be inspected in approximately two months.

The Sergeant reminded car owners that under new provisions of the law there will be additional inspection this year including: steering, wheels and rims, and front seat belts and the anchorages are part of the manufacturer's original equipment.

Motorists who wait until the last weeks of the inspection period may find that they will need to install seat belts. With the last minute rush, there may not be enough seat belts kits to take care of the demand.

## Services held for long-time Cochran resident

Services were at 2:30 p.m. Friday in the First Baptist Church, here for Harvey A. Barnes, 78, long-time resident of Cochran County who died Wednesday morning in the Methodist Hospital of Lubbock.

The Rev. Fred Thomas, pastor officiated. Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park in Lubbock, directed by Singleton Funeral Home of Morton.

Barnes, a resident of Ray's hospitality home in Lubbock, prior to being hospitalized, resided in Cochran County and had farmed in the Morton area for more than 30 years.

Survivors include his wife, Cora; three daughters, Lotis Tanner of Morton, Mrs. Marlene Dawdy of Port Lavaca, Mrs. Berna Carpenter of Ft. Worth; two sisters, Mrs. Jennie West of Austin, and Mrs. Reba McCallum of California; three brothers, W. H. of Cleburne, and E. R. and Sam, both of Dallas; eight grandchildren and a great-grandchild.



Electric co-op directors . . .

DIRECTORS OF BAILEY COUNTY Electric Cooperative are shown following the annual meeting of the co-op in Morton's County Activity Building Auditorium Saturday

afternoon. Seated are Leslie Watson, C. G. Lewis, Virgil Nowell and Clarence Mason. Standing are Johnnie Wheel- ar, Dewitt Tiller and Vernon Blackley.

(Staff Photo by Byron Willis)

## Thru the telescope by luck

Man, didn't that cold front rattle the windows when it came through Wednesday morning? We came up and out of bed, wondering if it was hailing or if someone was throwing rocks at our house. But it had all stopped before daylight. All the moisture ended between Morton and Plains.

Most everyone is talking about how much moisture we've gotten this winter and how nicely it has come . . . a few days of wet weather, then a warm-dry spell so farmers could work a while. This moisture has been most valuable and we've already gotten a lot more than all last year.

After seeing some rehearsals of the 1968 Indian Capers production, we think Friday night's show will be a dandy. The choir has done a lot of work on this year's show and the results will be a delightful evening of entertainment. When the choir numbers are enhanced by some stage band music, you'll more than get your money's worth. Curtain time is 8 p.m. in the county auditorium. Ticket price is \$1.25 for adults and 75 cents for children.

The Morton School Board will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday. The meeting was scheduled for this time, since superintendent Ray Lanier was out of town at the time of the regular meeting.

Also meeting on Thursday night at 7:30 p.m. will be directors of the Cochran Memorial Hospital District. They will meet in the Haggard accounting office.

Morton's varsity basketball season ended Tuesday night in Post as the Antelopes edged the Indians. It gave the Tribe a 21-13 record, two wins better than last year, with the same number of losses. The 5-7 district mark is not as good as last year's 5-5. However coach Ted Whillock moved up some sophomores and freshmen for the last couple of games to give them experience and to get a preview of next year's squad.

But basketball has two more days for the seventh, eighth and ninth graders. They will compete in the Denver City Invitational tourney Friday and Saturday. Other teams entered are Denver City, Seagraves, Seminole, Levelland and Plains.

Van and Betty Greene returned Sunday from a 10-day trip to Mexico. They were both a little disappointed, since the

weather was generally cool and damp. "And, for the first time, I felt like they were gouging me on prices," Van said. He backed this up with some experiences he had had. I wonder if those who cater to tourists in Mexican aren't getting in practice for the Olympic crowds this coming October.

Mrs. Lois St. Clair underwent surgery in Lubbock Tuesday and is reported to be recovering nicely. And we also learned that H. J. Cox of San Francisco, Calif., a brother of Mrs. L. B. Childs, is feeling much better now after having been ill and hospitalized for much of the winter.

Painting and trim crews have begun working in the courthouse, although there is still more work to be done on the outside. Courthouse employees are beginning to feel a bit put-upon as they are shunted from room to room, then returned to their original places, but waited off from windows. Patience, folks, it is looking much better and will be finished one of these days.

Temperatures reach for winter highs just before storms cloud the skies, and the mercury starts to plummet. I really do wish it would stop it!

## Credit association to hold annual meeting

The 34th stockholders meeting of the Lubbock Production Credit Association expects to attract about 1,000 persons from a nine county area on Thursday, Feb. 29, in the Fair Park Coliseum, Lubbock.

C. E. Hicks, Chairman of the Board, said that registration will start at 9:00 a.m. and the business meeting will start promptly at 10:00 a.m.

Speakers will include Dr. C. L. Kay, Assistant President of Lubbock Christian College, Lubbock and Mr. J. F. McCullar, Treasurer of the Federal Intermediary Credit Bank of Houston.

The annual report of the board will be given by Dewey E. Wells Jr., Ralls, a Director of the Association.

One director will be elected. The term of C. E. Hicks is expiring. Other board members of the association are: A. B. Roberts, Levelland, W. H. Griffith, Seminole, Alton Strickland is President and Jack Condra is 1st Vice President of the Association. Billy Weems is Vice President and in charge of the local Field Office.

The Lubbock Association has approximately 1,400 stockholders in Cochran, Crosby, Gaines, Garza, Hockley, Lubbock, Lynn, Terry and Yoakum Counties and Strickland said that this past year the association set a new record by lending almost \$28,000,000.00 in the nine county area.

The noon meal will be served by Vann's Catering Service of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hargrove were in Del Rio for a weekend visit recently.



Miss Jeanetta Rowden

## Dowling-Rowden vows set for April 13

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Montgomery Rowden, 409 E. Grant, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jeanetta Louise, to Martin P. Dowling III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin P. Dowling Jr. of Hyde Park, New York.

Miss Rowden attended South Plains College, and is employed as a reservationist by National Airlines in New Orleans, La.

Mr. Dowling has recently been discharged from the U. S. Navy where he served abroad the U.S.S. Lexington. He is presently employed in Houston.

They will be married April 13, in the First Methodist Church of Morton.

## Look who's new!

Sgt. and Mrs. Billy Charles Cunningham announce the birth of a daughter, Vickie Lynne, on Wednesday, Feb. 7, at 3:45 a.m. at University Hospital in Lubbock.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Butler of Morton and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cunningham of Baileyboro.

Sgt. Cunningham is stationed in Vietnam and is due to return home in May.

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## ★ Gun safety

The Home Demonstration Club, Yoakum County are sponsoring gun safety program which will be held Tuesday, Feb. 27, in the Public School Auditorium. Two exhibits will be held that day, one at 10 a.m. and another at 7:30 p.m. The exhibits will be presented by representatives of the Texas Department of Public Safety. The public cordially invited to attend.

## Three Way stock show winners are announced

The Three Way FFA livestock show was held Feb. 18 at the Maple Cooperative Gin. Judging the show was E. G. Weston, agricultural teacher from Lake.

Showmanship awards went to Mike Aberts, sheep; Charlie Abbe, swine; and Shorty Hale, steer.

Boyd Gibbs had both the grand champion and reserve champion sheep. J. Hutcheson received first second and third places in the lamb division with a medium wool and two fine wools. Boyd Gibbs first, second and third in Southdowns.

Joe Partlow and Lynn Kelley had grand champion and reserve champion swine, respectively.

Winners in the swine division include Light weight cross swine, Mike Lynn; first: Michael Sowder, second and third Heavy weight cross swine: first, The Way FFA Chapter; second, Ygnacio Alvarez; and third, Francisco Torres.

Light weight Duroc swine: first, John Pruitt; second, Charlie Abbe; third, John Pruitt. Heavy weight Duroc: first, John Partlow; second, Terry Pollard; third, Bruce Pruitt. Light weight Hampshire and others: first and second, Lynn Kelley; third, Geno Abbe.

Heavy weight Hampshire and other first, second and third, Lynn Kelley. The grand champion and reserve champion female swine award was won by Lynn Kelley.

Johnny Ferguson had the grand champion steer while Allan Davis had the reserve champion.

In the steer division, all breeds at weight, first place went to Johnny Ferguson while second and third were won by Allan Davis and Craig Kirby.

## Easter Seal appeal to begin March 1 here

The 1968 Easter Seal Appeal will begin March 1 and continue until April 14. Easter Sunday, it was announced by Glenn Thompson, the Easter Seal Representative for Cochran County.

During those weeks a state-wide appeal for funds will be made by the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults to finance treatment and rehabilitation for crippled children and adults in Texas.

Last year, 17,622 handicapped persons received help from the Texas Easter Seal Society explained Thompson. But the needs of the handicapped and cost of providing expert professional care are rising and more money than ever before will be needed to serve the handicapped during 1968.

The Easter Seal Appeal mail will be delivered in Cochran County about March 1 Thompson stated.

Funds raised in the Easter Seal Appeal help support 21 Easter Seal centers in Texas where crippled children and adults are provided services regardless of ability to pay.

"The people of Texas have always responded to our needs and I feel certain that they will make it possible to increase the Easter Seal services to the crippled during the coming year," said Thompson. The Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults is an affiliate of the National Society for Crippled Children and Adults which last year provided services for almost a quarter of a million handicapped persons.

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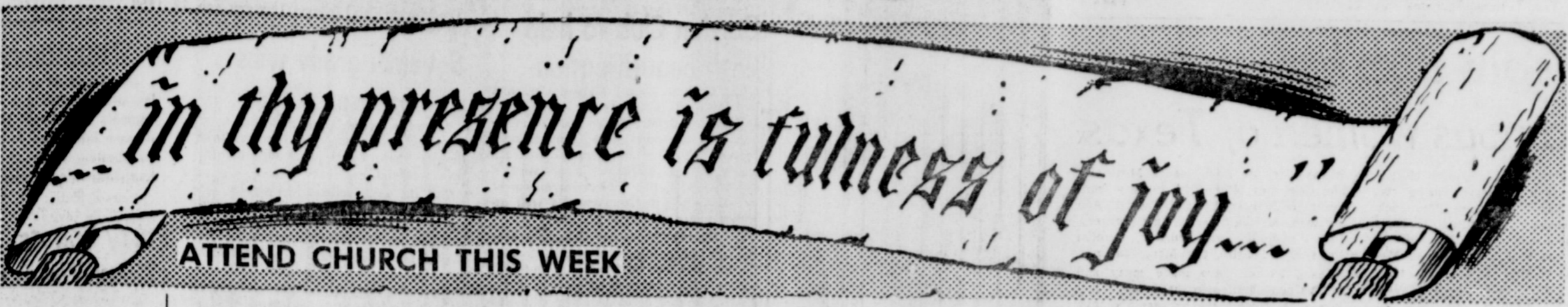
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 Wednesdays—  
 Midweek Bible Class — 8:00 p.m.

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**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
**Rex Mauldin, Minister**  
**411 West Taylor**

Sundays—  
 Church School Session — 9:45 a.m.  
 Morning —  
 Worship Service — 10:55 a.m.  
 Evening —  
 Fellowship Program — 5:00 p.m.  
 Evangelism — 6:00 p.m.  
 Mondays—  
 Each First Monday, Official Board Meeting — 8:00 p.m.  
 Each First Monday Commission Membership on Evangelism — 7:00 p.m.  
 Second and Fourth Monday Wesleyan Service Guild 8:00 p.m.  
 Tuesdays—  
 Women's Society of Christian Service — 9:30 a.m.  
 Each Second Saturday, Methodist Men's Breakfast — 7:00 a.m.

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**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
**Fred Thomas, Pastor**  
**202 S.E. First**

Sundays—  
 Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.  
 Morning Worship — 10:55 a.m.  
 Morning Service KRAN at 11:00  
 Youth Choir — 5:00 p.m.  
 Training Union — 6:00 p.m.  
 Evening Worship — 7:00 p.m.  
 Tuesdays—  
 Helen Nixon W.M.U. — 9:30 a.m.  
 Wednesdays—  
 Graded Chords — 7:30 p.m.  
 Prayer Service — 7:30 p.m.  
 Church Choir Rehearsal 8:30 p.m.

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 Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.  
 Evening —  
 Evangelistic Service — 7:30 p.m.  
 Tuesdays—  
 Evening Bible Study — 8 p.m.  
 Thursdays—  
 Evening Prayer Meet — 8:00 p.m.

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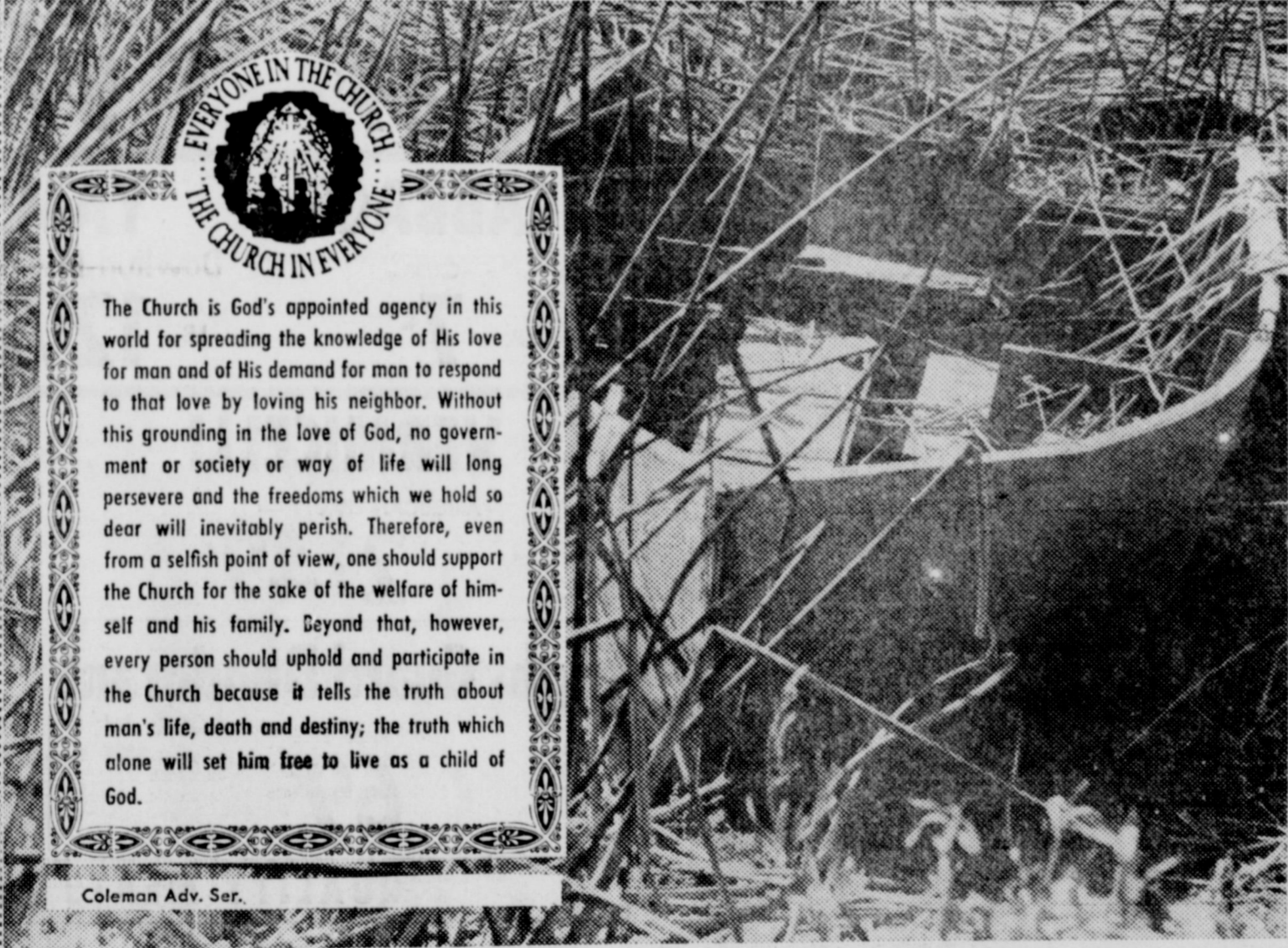
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 Bible Study — 10:00 a.m.  
 Worship — 10:45 a.m.  
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 Worship — 7:00 p.m.  
 Monday—  
 Ladies Bible Class — 4:15 p.m.  
 Wednesdays—  
 Midweek Service — 7:30 p.m.

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 Evening —  
 Evangelist Service — 7:00 p.m.  
 Wednesdays—  
 Night Prayer Meeting and Christ's Ambassadors Convene Together — 7:30 p.m.  
 Thursdays—  
 Every 1st and 3rd, Women's Missionary Council — 2:30 p.m.  
 Every 2nd and 4th, Girls' Missionette Club — 4:30 p.m.

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 Training Service — 7:00 p.m.  
 Evening Worship — 6:00 p.m.  
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 Mary Martha Circle — 2:30 p.m.  
 Edna Bullard Circle — 3:00 p.m.  
 GMA and LMB — 4:00 p.m.  
 Sunbeams — 3:00 p.m.  
 Wednesdays—  
 Mid-Week Worship — 8:00 p.m.

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 Wednesdays — 7:30 p.m.

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**God grants a mother's prayer . . .**

FOR THE FIRST TIME IN her life, Mrs. Ella T. Pledger of Morton saw her 11 children together. For years she had prayed to see them together and finally at the age of 80 her prayer was answered. She is seated in the center of the front row. Seated with her are Evelyn Rott of Kalamazoo, Mich.; Lonnie Doyle Oxford, Plains; J. R. (Bud) Pledger, Harrison, Mich.; and Grace Rhyne, Las Cruces, N.M.

Standing are: Mark Kirk and Juanice Ellis of Morton; Velma Champion, Medford, Ore.; Reber (Catfish) Pledger, Morton; Sally Hester, Plant City, Fla.; Carl Pledger, El Paso; and Lou Mallow, Pensacola, Fla. Of 33 grandchildren, 21 were present for the reunion and of the 27 great-grandchildren, 15 were present. The reunion was held in Mrs. Pledger's home. (Design Studio Photo)

**Garden Club to help with beautification**

The Cochran County Garden Club met Monday night, February 19, in the home of Mrs. W. B. McSpadden with 10 members and one guest, Mrs. John Holden, present. The Treasurer reported that the club's fall and Christmas shops were a success. Also the Flower arrangement workshop held in January was well attended and a successful project.

The Morton Chamber of Commerce sent a letter asking that the club help with the beautification of Morton in the Blue Ribbon City Contest which they have entered. The club decided to help with this project.

The District 1 Spring Convention will be held in Hereford, Texas February 26 and 27. Mrs. E. O. Barton, State President of Texas Garden Clubs, will attend this convention.

Cochran County Garden Club voted to endorse Mrs. O. R. Littell as a nominee for President of the Texas Garden Clubs for the coming year.

A Strickland Park Memorial Fund for the purpose of landscaping Strickland Park was officially established. People wishing to make memorials may make their deposit at the First State Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tuck were in Lubbock over the weekend visiting with friends and relatives.

**Seventh grade wins game; loses player**

Morton's seventh grade basketball team won its first outing, then lost the next two in Three Way's junior high tourney last weekend.

But the most serious loss was in the first game, when big Phil Graves received a broken arm. The 6-0 redhead was dumped on his shoulder and came out with a broken bone just below his shoulder.

Morton opened against Bula and raced to a 19-1 margin after one period. It was 21-12 at halftime and 25-16 going into the last quarter. Morton won 35-22.

Whiteface's eighth graders knocked off Morton in the second round, 40-32. Morton led 5-4, 14-13, then trailed 21-24 going into the last quarter.

Morton and Bledsoe's junior high squad had a crowd-thriller in the game for third place Saturday night. Morton led 6-2 after one quarter, had a 15-15 tie at halftime and led 24-23 going into the last period. Morton failed to score. Bledsoe won 32-24.

Miss Susan Blackley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Blackley has returned home from Hendricks hospital in Abilene. Susan is recuperating from injuries received in an accident on Jan. 27.

**★ Tournament**

The Three Way High School students are sponsoring a volleyball tournament on March 14, 15 and 16. Anyone interested in entering should call Lester Driver at 927-3454. The tournament is for men and women.

**Party honors husbands of study club members**

The Town and Country Study Club honored their husbands with a Valentine supper and forty-two party last week.

The party was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Yeary. Weldon Newsome gave the invocation and guests drew numbers for supper and game partners.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hill; Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Harris; Mr. and Mrs. Willard Henry; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Spence; Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Frazer; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Seagler; Mr. and Mrs. Connie Gray; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Sanderson; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Newsome; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Foust; Mrs. Bill Hovey; Mrs. Cheryl Ingles and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Yeary.

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**Food Show to feature tasting party Feb. 24**

The Cochran County 4-H Food Show will be Saturday, February 24, in the County Activity Building Banquet Room. Judging of exhibits will begin at 9:30 a.m. Following judging, the exhibits will be on display to the public and there will be a tasting party. Girls will enter exhibits in one of four groups — milk, meat, fruit-vegetable or bread — cereal. All entrants will receive a blue, red or white ribbon and be eligible for county awards. Top scores in each group will represent Cochran County at the District Food Show in March.

4-H Food Records, recipes and day's menus will be judged Friday, February 23, and are due in the Extension office by 9 a.m. the 23rd.

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**Track team to enter five invitationals**

Morton High School's track team will enter five invitationals this year prior to the District 4-AA contest. Coach Lane Tannehill is in charge of the team.

He said Morton would enter the following meets, all of them on Saturday: March 2, Idalou; March 9, Abernathy; March 16, Hale Center; March 23, Springlake; and March 30, Kress.

The District 4-AA track competition will be held on Saturday, April 6, at Frenship.

Tannehill said that he had a number of boys working out for track competition and that the team would be enlarged by basketball players who reported Wednesday.

"It will be the middle of next week before we really decide what events many of the boys will be running," he said. Midland Carver, Denver City and Slaton

**Two men plead guilty here to theft charges**

Two men pleaded guilty to misdemeanor theft Tuesday afternoon in Cochran County Court and received a fine and jail sentence.

Pleading guilty were Auther Covos Davila Jr., of Box 514, Levelland and Dick Mike Chavez, Box 144, Bledsoe. They each received a fine of \$250, \$39 in court costs and 30-day jail sentences.

They pleaded guilty to an alleged incident in which a lock was sawed off a tractor gas tank and the fuel stolen. The incident occurred near Bledsoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Benham were in Levelland Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs. C. C. Benham, who is in the Levelland Nursing Home.

likely will be fighting for top honors in the district meet.

**WERE TOPS** *In thrifty food shopping*

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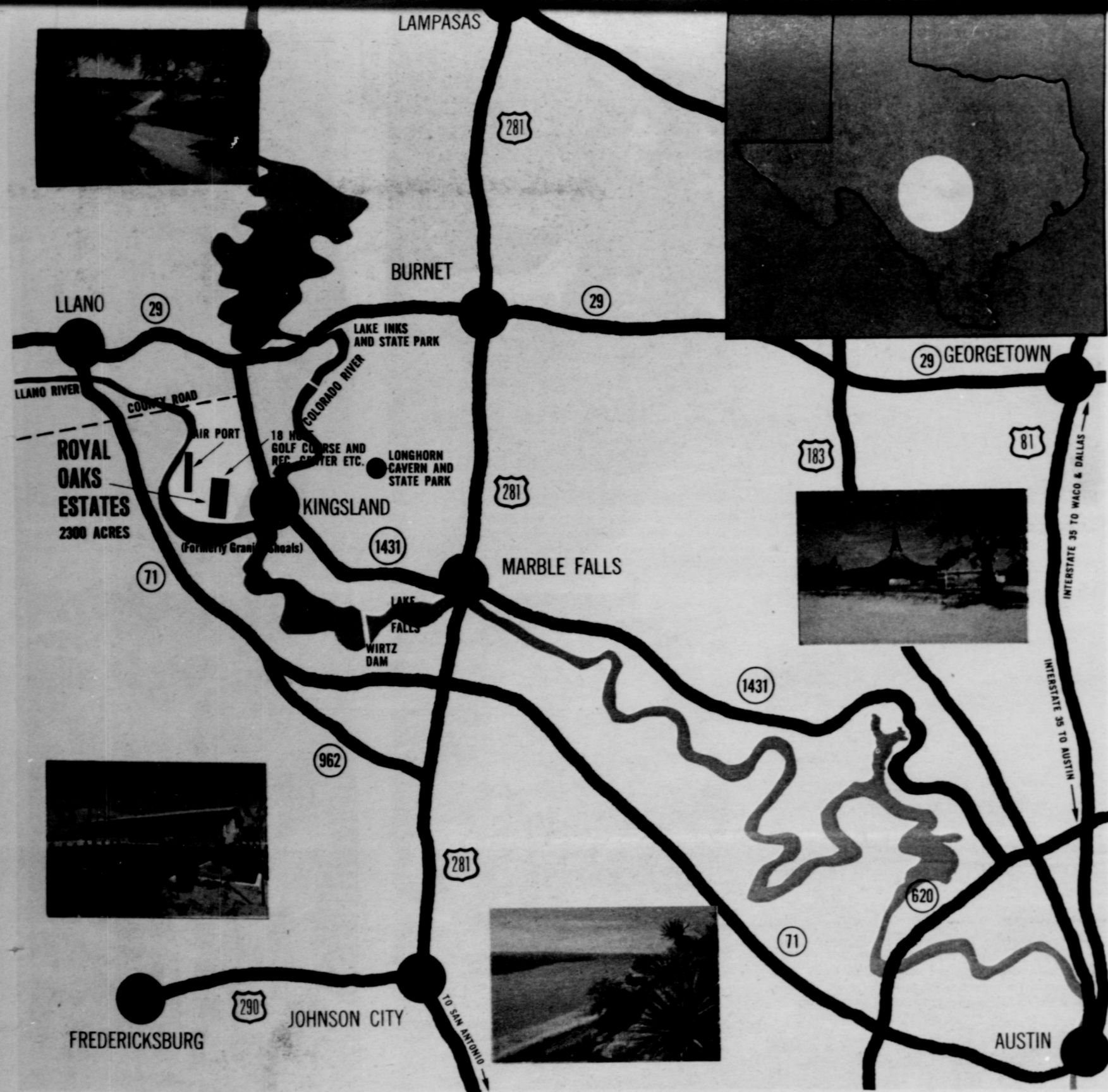
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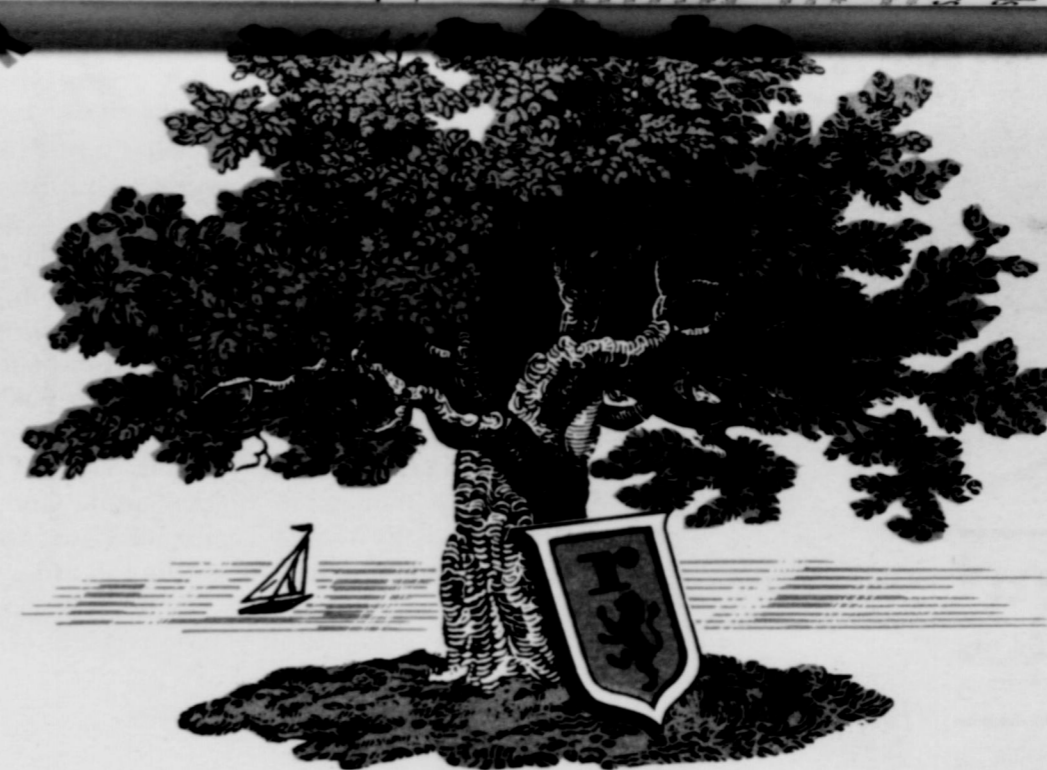
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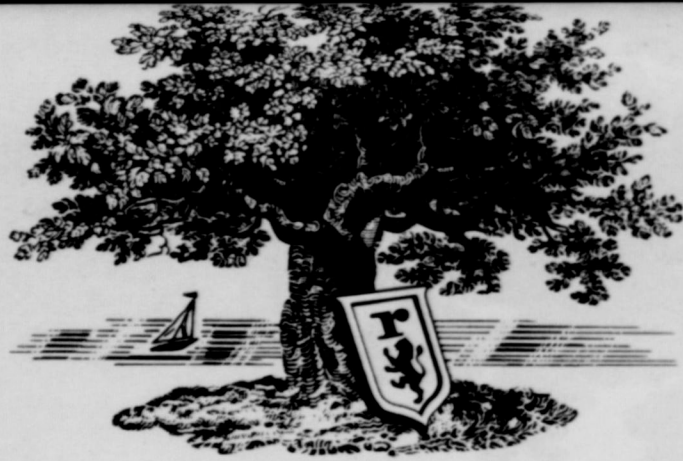
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This is the story of a very special area of land—ROYAL OAKS ESTATES. It is land of natural beauty—with rolling hills and royal oaks—situated in the very heart of the Highland Lakes region of Central Texas, widely known as the Fun-tier Capitol of the Lone Star State. Royal Oaks Estates, designed and being developed by the Galaxie Land Corporation, is situated at Kingsland on the upper arm of the Llano River, where the Llano and the mighty Colorado join to flow into Lake Lyndon B. Johnson. Formerly Granite Shoals Lake, the name of this constant level lake was changed in 1965 in honor of our nation's 36th President, who loves this country so much that he built his own vacation home in the shadows of Pack Saddle and Backbone Mountains which also frame the scenic beauty of Royal Oaks Estates. One of the largest single developments along the 150 miles of vacationland in the Highland Lakes area, Royal Oaks Estates was created for a single purpose: To offer the ultimate in resort, residential and retirement living.



Royal Oaks Estates is located at Kingsland in Llano County. Its 2300 acres of natural wonderland are being subdivided into tracts of all sizes ranging from an individual lot to a ranchette of three acres or more. Regardless of the location of any home or investment site, owners have access to full lake facilities including boat ramp and launching privileges.

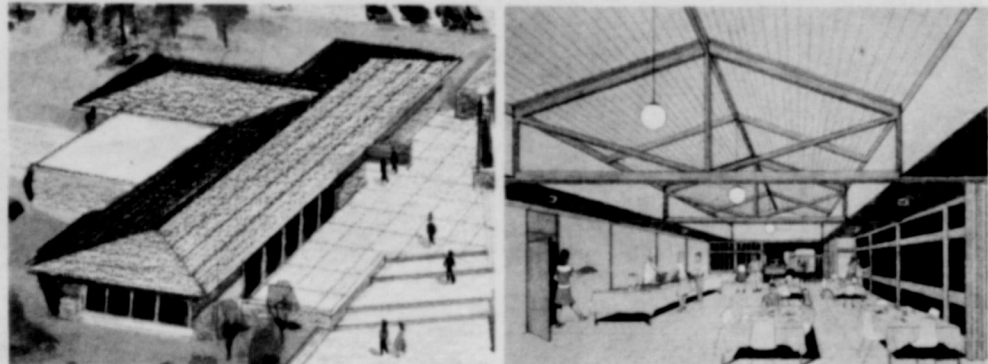


The serenity which is evident in this picturesque setting is prevalent throughout the lake region.

Anyone who comes to this territory, as a resident, weekend water enthusiast, retiree or casual sight-seer, will find bountiful recreational facilities in the three-county Highland Lakes region. Because of its proximity to Austin, The Capitol of Texas, to colorful San Antonio and its world famed Alamo, to progressive Houston and its world famed Astrodome or to the Dallas-Fort Worth area and the fun-filled Six Flags Over Texas amusement park, suburbanites are attracted to the Highland Lakes area for the ultimate in casual living.



The Highland Lakes Recreation Center, being built at a cost of almost three quarters of a million dollars, is the center of outdoor recreation and family fun. Its country club facilities include an 18-hole championship golf course and an Olympic size swimming pool.



Facilities for all types of social gatherings, regardless of size, were provided for in the design and planning of the clubhouse. Homesite owners will be able to enjoy all club privileges... golf, water skiing, hunting, horseback riding, boating, fishing, tennis and swimming, to name a few.

Recreation and relaxation, two of the prime components of the good life in this community, include activities at the Highland Lakes Recreation Center. The center covers 250 acres on which virtually every conceivable recreational facility is being made available. Financed through a long-term loan from the Farmers Home Administration, membership will ultimately boast 1500 families from the Central Texas area, particularly the Highland Lakes region centering around Lake LBJ, and all homesite owners in Royal Oaks. The Texas Highway Department is to build a \$700,000 bridge across the lake in 1968, connecting various subdivisions to the fast-growing town of Kingsland, and naturally, this will have a profitable effect on property values. Already the State has built Highway 2233, a 5.4 mile, two-lane ranch road which connects with State Highway 71, and has plans to build an additional five miles of connecting roads.

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Living is easy in the wonderfully relaxing climate of the Highland Lakes. Tensions quickly fade when one is relaxing on the lakeshore or river bank. And, for the real fisherman, this is paradise land. Countless species of fresh water fish, including black bass, white bass, crappie, yellow cats, blue cats, channel cats and appaloosa cats are available to the experienced angler.



Dude ranches are found throughout Central Texas and vacationers as well as Royal Oaks Estates residents enjoy such true Texas sports as rodeos and Quarter Horse races.



Time out for sunbathing and snacks on the banks of the lakes and rivers enhances the pleasure of an afternoon spent skiing and boating.



Scenic trips to nearby spots of interest offer enjoyment for an entire family. Only minutes away are these: The LBJ Ranch—The Texas White House; Longhorn Cavern State Park, third largest in the world which features guided tours through two miles of skillfully lighted underground formations; Inks Lake State Park, a 1200-acre park which boasts outstanding facilities for camping and fishing; Buchanan Dam, longest multiple-arch dam in the world; and the Pioneer Museum at Burnet, a public exhibit of Indian artifacts and items of historical interest.



There's time for everything. Yes, thanks to an atmosphere of carefree, effortless living, fathers have time to spend with their youngsters and appreciate the joys of parenthood.



This is happy hunting ground for the outdoorsman. In this region, hunters find one of the heaviest deer populations in the whole of Texas, particularly of white tail deer. Leases and day hunting are available.

Whether you come to the Kingsland area to stake your claim at Royal Oaks Estates or "just for fun" as the good people of this community warmly invite you to do, you're sure to find something to suit your every need and fancy. All residents—whether part time or full time, call heavily on the recreational facilities, both natural and man created. There's fishing... just cast a line and haul 'em in. There's boating... Lake Lyndon B. Johnson is 22 miles long and has a constant level of 825 feet above sea level, and there's almost 10 square miles of water offering plenty of elbow room for the ski set. Too, an

inland marina is now in the planning for the convenience of boat owners. There's golf... an 18-hole championship course is almost completed. There's swimming... and a Texas sun in which to bask to a golden hue. There's wild game and waterfowl... this is paradise for the outdoorsman. There's bountiful beauty on the mountain tops and the hillsides, in the valleys and across the prairies. And there's excitement and adventure and history. Royal Oaks Estates is carefully created in this fantastic setting on a foundation as solid as the granite rock of the mountains which surround it.

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Although the waters are generally serene, there's enough of that Hill Country breeze to fill a sail for even the most experienced yachtsman. Regattas are good sport in the Highland Lakes and LBJ Country.



The swim and sun set will spend many enjoyable hours around the Olympic size swimming pool at the Recreation Center. And, nearby, there's a wading pool so parents can keep an eye on their tiniest children.



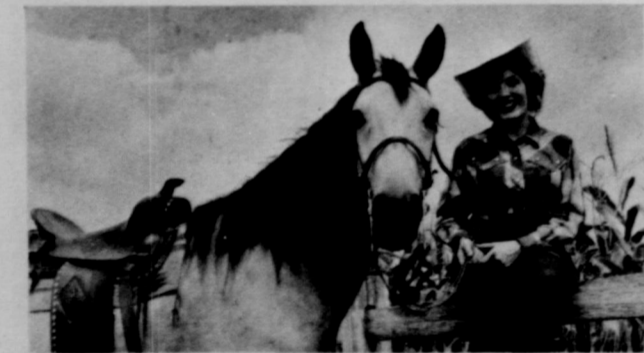
Baseball is included in the well-rounded recreational program. There are two regulation Little League fields and a Pony League field. These baseball parks will be under constant supervision and serviced to keep them in top playing condition.



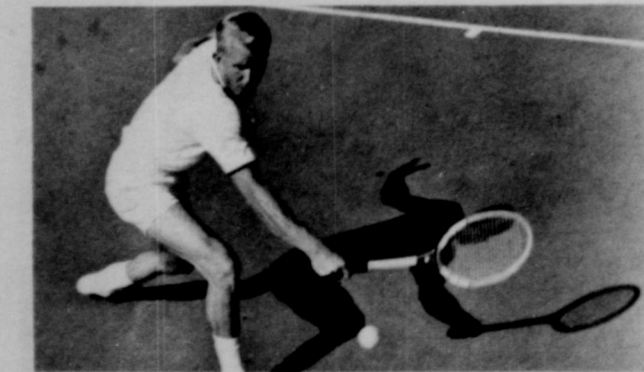
A natural wonderland for Resort-Residential-Retirement Living...



Water skiing is one of the most popular of the water sports enjoyed in this great vacationland. Boat owners will enjoy the conveniences of an inland marina which is now being planned.



Horse lovers are attracted by the total facilities at the Highland Lakes Recreation Center which will provide for a riding club with stables, parking, food storage and loading chutes.



You'll find a lot of folks for tennis. Two regulation courts with adequate backstops are being completed. These will be lighted for night games.



Golfdom's immortal, Ben Hogan, was consultant on the 18-hole championship golf course which Leon Howard of Austin designed. There'll be a pro shop, locker rooms, golf carts and—as you would want it—the popular 19th hole refreshment club.



There's an abundance of waterfowl and birds for hunters to draw a bead on. Wild turkey and quail also are plentiful.

"Every person who invests in well selected real estate in a growing section of a prosperous community adopts the surest method of becoming independent, for real estate is the basis for all wealth."

—Theodore Roosevelt

U. S. News & World Report, one of the most respected of national news magazines, surveyed, researched and wrote about the Royal Oaks Estates area and in its February 20th issue, called this area "a potential source of great wealth... a Texas land boom!" The developers of Royal Oaks Estates are advocates of Mr. Roosevelt's business philosophy and on the basis of similar research, they established Royal Oaks Estates as a place for investors to build for a financially sound future. They subscribe to the belief that an investment in real estate is the safest of all investments because it is permanent, indestructible and always marketable. Knowing of the great potential of the area, they have already invested over \$1 million in the development of roads, the recreation center, championship golf course and more... to further establish a progressive community where families can be assured of a secure life filled with happiness and fun.



Mother Nature presents her most beautiful self in Royal Oaks Estates. Where ever the eye may roam, it focuses on picturesque mountains and sloping hills, stately oaks, flowering shrubs and other natural wonders that make Central Texas a land more enchanting than even the most imaginative mind may envision.



Comfortable homes for gracious living are being built in Royal Oaks Estates where parents may raise their families with confidence thanks to the wholesome environment. Restrictions are sensible for protection of all property owners. And the school bus stops right at your front door!



Do you want to buy a mountain? Then you've come to the right place. For the developers have decided to simply sub-divide one of their mountains in an effort to offer any kind of terrain one's heart might desire.



For private plane owners, a 3800-foot landing strip is incorporated into the comprehensive layout, and in nearby Llano, there are two 5000-foot all weather runways for larger aircraft.



A new imposing bank, offering complete banking services, is located in Kingsland. The bank's colorful mural, which depicts the Highland Lakes-Royal Oaks Estates area, is already a landmark.



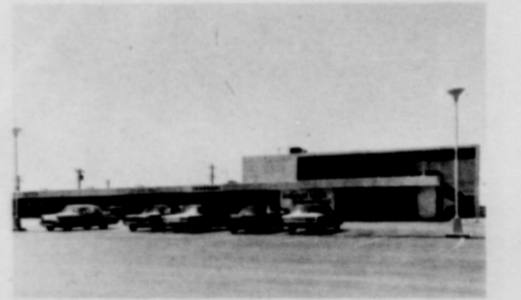
When you go boating on Lake Lyndon B. Johnson, one of your playmates may be the President of the United States. President and Mrs. Johnson have their vacation home just across the lake from Royal Oaks Estates and whenever the pressing responsibilities of the Presidency permit, the man from Johnson City and his guests enjoy the pleasure of an outing on this 6300-surface acre lake.



Here is one of the unusual churches of all faiths you'll find in Kingsland.



Weekend cottage owners will return to their work-a-day world completely refreshed after a relaxing weekend in the Hill Country. Complete utilities are available. Hard-surfaced and paved streets are now being laid to all residential areas.



The new shopping center in Kingsland, a stone's throw away from Royal Oaks Estates, is joined to the residential area by a new paved street. Centered here are shops and stores offering consumer goods and professional services to suit every need. And the property in Royal Oaks Estates allotted to business is already being developed.

All conveniences of a modern residential community are provided to owners of Royal Oaks Estates property whether they are buying land for a permanent home, a weekend cottage or as an investment. In Kingsland there are churches, a modern shopping center where consumer goods may be obtained, medical and dental facilities, a new bank which offers complete banking services, drug and automotive supply stores, several motels and good restaurants. A sleepy little settlement of 150 persons six short years ago, Kingsland is a growing community of 5000 citizens today, and, according to a prediction by the bureau of business research of the University of Texas, there will be 50,000 people living in the Highland Lakes area by 1975.

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  - 3- Open, Size Swimming Pool
  - 4- Children's Pool
  - 5- Pool Locker Room & Teen Club
  - 6- Mountain View Restaurant & Terrace
  - 7- Enclosed Fountain
  - 8- Tennis Courts
  - 9- Pro Shop & Locker Rooms
  - 10- Driving Range
  - 11- Putting Green
  - 12- 18 Hole Championship Golf Course
  - 13- Maintenance Building & Golf Cart Storage
  - 14- Paved Murals
  - 15- Little League Fields
  - 16- Pony League Field
  - 17- Little League & Pony League Paved Parking
  - 18- South Entrance & Boat Ramp
  - 19- 181 Lakeside Home
  - 20- Pick Saddle Mountain
  - 21- Paved Metal Sign
  - 22- 3800' Foot Airstrip
  - 23- General High Recreational Park & Lake
  - 24- Swimming Pool & Park
  - 25- Paved Ring Club & Stable
  - 26- Royal Oaks Estates Sales Office
  - 27- Buckhorn Mountain
  - 28- Kingdome Shopping Center One-Half Mile

Designers of the "reappearing frontier" are F. D. Glass of Austin, O. E. Almsworth and Cliff Awt of Kingsland and Lucy Cox of Austin. The 2300 acres but now it has become a place for the enjoyment of a select few, life for many. Together, Messrs. Glass, Awt and Almsworth established Gal-ase Land Corporation... and appointed one of Mr. Glass' trusted friends and business associates, Mr. Cox, as vice president and sales manager of Royal Oaks Estates.



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