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Like A West Texas Sandstorm"

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School board renews local teacher contracts and appoints officials

Members of the Morton independent school board of trustees voted to renew existing contracts of all teachers in the system, Monday night as they met in a short business session, for their regular monthly meeting.

Superintendent of Schools Ray Lanier said the board approved all the contracts of current teachers with the exception of one teacher who will reach the mandatory retirement age before the new term, and another instructor who was hired for only this school year.

The approval of the contracts highlighted a meeting which, among other items included the naming of election officials to oversee the coming school board elections. Appointed as Election Judge for the absentee balloting, which opened last week at the school tax office, was Dub Hodge, Assessor-Collector for the school system. Absentee balloting in the election will be conducted in the school tax office through April 2.

J. C. Reynolds was named election judge for the regular balloting to be conducted in the High School Library, Saturday, April 6, Reynolds will be assisted by Mrs. Dorothy Barker and Dean Weathers.

Candidates for the three vacancies on the school board are: John Fincannon, Sierra Marina, Don Lynskey, Owen Egger and Robert Yearly.

The board will meet in a special session on Monday April 8 to canvass the returns and certify the election.

In other action the board accepted the resignation of High School Counselor, Paul Davis who resigned to accept another teaching post, at end of the current school year.

In final action of the night the board met with W. L. "Teener" Hancock, in regard to taxes on property which he had purchased at a tax sale in 1963. Hancock, who met with the city council last week (regarding a like matter) to state that he did not feel that he was responsible for all the taxes for which he had been billed. Hancock told the board that he had not

received a writ of possession on the property he had purchased, and requested that the school district adjust his taxes to only the time he has been owner of the property. Superintendent Lanier said that a check with the schools' tax attorney showed that Hancock had acquired the property in February 1963 and as a result of the transfer of ownership was not liable for taxes in the first two months of the year. He was however, according to the tax attorney liable for all taxes after February 1963.

The board did not take any formal action on the other requests of Hancock, but indicated they would study the requests for possible action at a later date.

MHS junior play opens with Friday afternoon performance

The UCLA-Houston Basketball game will be on television at 11 p.m. Friday night, so there is no longer an excuse for missing the most spectacular show of the year.

Curtains will go up in the MHS Junior Class' version of "If A Body Meet A Body," a mystery-comedy in three acts, Friday afternoon at 1:30 for a matinee performance, and again at 7:30 for the evening performance. The play was written by Patricia Clapp and was copyrighted by The Art Craft Play Company, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Admission will be 75 cents for students and \$1.25 for adults. Ticket may be purchased in advance from any Junior, or may be purchased at the door.

The time of the action is the present; the setting is the living room of an apartment in a remodeled city brownstone, where three young career girls reside.

Sue Ann Kendall, portrayed by Sharon Irwin, opens the play. She is about twenty, is very pretty, very feminine and very

southern, the "flirt" of the play. Her beau is Byron Willis as Owen Barnes. He is about twenty-six or seven, attractive, well-groomed, pleasant, friendly, the "play-boy" in the play.

Priscilla Jones (Deborah Miller), who is a librarian, is about twenty, plain but not unattractive, conservative, sweet, loyal, and intelligent. During the play she falls in love with the nephew of her downstairs neighbor, Mrs. Reilly, played by Karen Rozell. Mrs. Reilly is about fifty-five, a good-natured chatterbox, apt to flutter when upset, forgetful and easily rattled, but she isn't a complete fool.

Her nephew, Henry Reilly, portrayed by Rusty Rowden, is a twenty-five year old science teacher. He is nice-looking, very serious, and a little shy.

The third roommate is Cam Crawford, played by Vivian McDaniel, who moves in with the other girls in the opening scenes of the play.

The girls' pleasant apartment life is clouded by the grippy and somewhat mysterious Mr. Harcher, their landlord, played by Joel Coker. An even stranger atmosphere is added with a visit to the girls' apartment by their "hippie" neigh-

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County Historical Museum to get antique

Representatives of the General Telephone Company of the Southwest will be in Morton Friday at 1 p.m. to present to the County Historical Museum, one of the first telephone switchboards that was put in service.

Mrs. Gayle DeBusk, who along with other members of the group interested in the Historical Museum, spearheaded the search for an antique switchboard to complement the first telephone office, told the Tribune that the presentation would be made by Jim Parrish, manager of the Greenfield Division of General Tel, and Jimmy Bennett, communication consultant for the company.

Mrs. DeBusk said the switchboard, which was located after over a year of searching, would be formerly presented to representatives of Museum board, and to representatives of the various clubs that have taken a leading role in establishing a Cochran County Museum.

The ceremony, which is open to the public will be held in the Museum building at 1 p.m. Friday afternoon.



Basketball performers . . .
CHARLES CARTER, senior, left, and Byron Willis, junior, right, were recognized for their outstanding performances on the basketball court in the 1967-68 season, as they picked up awards for the top free thrower performer and the top rebounder. Carter led the team in free throws, while Willis was the team leader on the boards.
(Photo by Byron Willis)

Would you believe . . .
... the first spring day?



REGARDLESS OF WHAT the calendar might say, residents of the Cochran County area know better . . . it's still winter, as evidenced by the five to six inches of snow which blanketed the county Wednesday, closing schools and making driving hazardous. The snow, which put the "icing on the

cake" as far as the farmers of the area are concerned began to fall Tuesday night and by mid-morning Wednesday had produced over one-and-a-half inches of moisture. So, while the weatherman says it's Spring the conditions indicate otherwise and to prove produced the heaviest snow since 1961.

New Tribune manager announced

Gene Snyder, publisher of the Morton Tribune, this week announced the appointment of David Kucifer, formerly publisher of the Lamesa Reporter, as general manager of the Morton Tribune. Mr. Kucifer, who began his duties on Monday, is a veteran of 14 years experience in the newspaper industry and has managed newspapers in Lamesa and Littlefield, Texas. The new general manager has been a resident of the West Texas area since 1964.

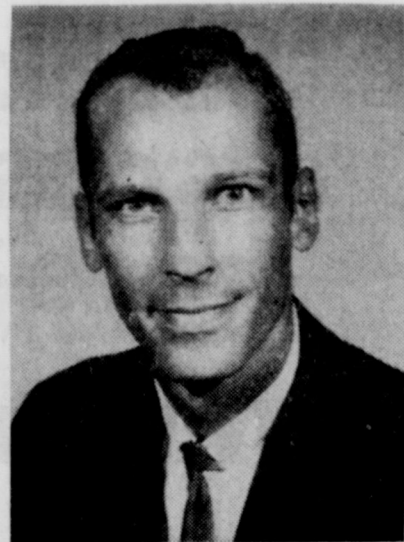
In making the announcement of the managerial change Mr. Snyder said, "Mr. Kucifer comes to Morton to assume the responsibilities of managing the Tribune and we feel will be a valued asset to the community, his qualifications will enable us to give the advertisers and subscribers the type of home town newspaper of which they can be proud. The Kucifer's, Dave, Shirley and sons, Keith, 9, Kenneth, 7, and Kevin, 3, are members of the Baptist Church.

When he assumed his new duties the new manager stated that he hoped to receive the same cooperation that was

given Mr. Tuck when he was managing the newspaper. "We realize that a newspaper belongs to the readers which it serves, and feel that Morton has a truly fine publication, due mainly to the cooperation of the citizens of the area. It is our desire to enter into this new association with the thought of creating a harmonious relationship, between staff and community. We plan to make some changes in the overall operation of the Tribune and Tribune Office Supply, which

we feel will enable us to be of greater service to the community. The first change will be in the office hours, with the new schedule being from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 8 to 12 on Saturday." Kucifer stated.

There will, from time to time, be other changes in the operation procedure of the Tribune which hopefully will meet with the approval of the readers and advertisers.



Dave Kucifer

Capacity crowd honors Morton athletes at Friday banquet

A capacity crowd of Morton High School Indian fans, along with the athletes of MHS turned out for the annual Athletic banquet Friday night, to salute the school athletic program and to hear an inspirational address from Grant Teaff, assistant football coach at Texas Tech.

The banquet, sponsored by the Indian Booster Club was highlighted by the presentation of awards to the outstanding athletes in football, basketball and track, as well as the recognition of each young man who participated in the schools' sports program.

The award for the outstanding football player went to Billy Smart. Danny "Moose" McCasland received the Senior award; outstanding basketball player award was picked up by Willis Moore while the Neal Rose Sportsmanship award went to Charles Joyce and the Morton Tribune award for the Hustlingest Indian was bestowed on Donnie Harvey.

Other participants singled out for particular mention included Charles Carter, as

the top free throw performer and Byron Willis as the top rebounder from the recently completed basketball season.

Coach Teaff's address, which concluded the meeting illustrated three areas which are vitally important in the lives of an athlete, by listing personal experiences he had encountered in his life.

The points stressed by former All-Conference football player were: Do the best you can with what you have; Learn to have a will to win instead of a wish to win. Learn to take God with you. In making his remarks Coach Teaff did not place the three points in any certain order, other than to say that they were all important and vital to the composition of a young life. The well accepted young speaker pointed out the rules outlined, could be applied to any phase of a young persons' life. Taken one-at-a-time the rules are important, but when you put them all together and follow them without fail then you are on the road to success and respect.



Speaker and grid star . . .
GRANT TEAFF, left, Assistant Football coach at Texas Tech, and Billy Smart, right, look over the trophy for the outstanding Indian football performer, which was received by Smart. The presentation of the various awards highlighted the annual Morton Athletic banquet held last Friday in the High School Cafeteria.
(Photo by Byron Willis)

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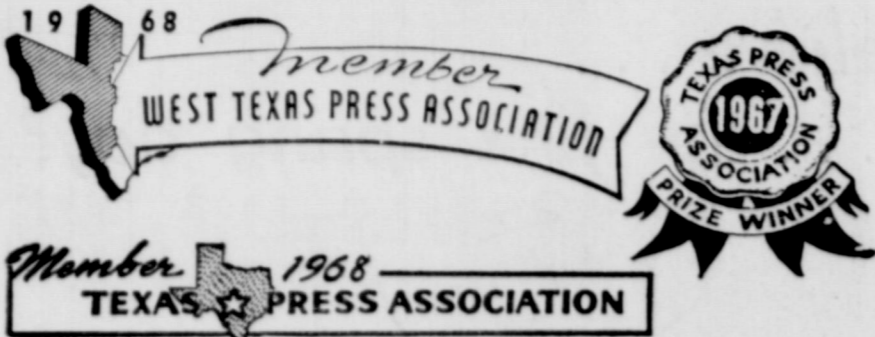
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POLITICAL CALENDAR

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

For County Commissioner, Precinct 1:

CALVIN "BUDDY" FRANKS
LEONARD COLEMAN (Incumbent)
H. L. COON
WELDON NEWSOM
L. T. "SHORT" LEMONS

For County Commissioner, Precinct 3:

HARRAL RAWLS (Incumbent)
M. C. "LEFTY" HALL
BENTON C. (CLEON) DAVIS

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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More Indian stars . . .

DANNY "MOOSE" McCASLAND, left, Donnie Harvey, center, and Charles Joyce, right, were among MHS athletes singled out for special recognitions at the annual banquet Friday night as they picked up awards for their performances. McCasland received the Senior award, Harvey was named to receive the Morton Tribune "Hustlingest Indian" award, while the Neil Rose Sportsmanship award went to Joyce.

Pvt. Rector completes Marine combat course

Marine Private Roy J. Rector, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rector of Whiteface, completed two weeks of training under simulated combat conditions in the fundamentals of day and night patrolling, employment of infantry weapons, survival methods and assault tactics at the Marine Corps base in Camp Pendleton, Calif.

This individual combat training is given every Marine after his graduation from recruit training. Taught by combat experienced non-commissioned officers of the infantry training regiment here, it prepares the young Leatherneck to become part of the Marine air-ground combat team.

While in the field he was taught how to use hand grenades, a compass and the principles of map reading and land navigation. He learned how to detect and

disarm mines and booby traps and, while being exposed to live machine gun fire, he learned to advance safely from one point to another.

From this course, he is scheduled to go on to more advanced training before being assigned to his permanent unit.

Pam Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, and a student at Howard Payne College visited in the home of her parents over the weekend. Also visiting with Pam was Norma Taylor, a student at Howard Payne College.

CARD OF THANKS —

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We wish to express our heartfelt thanks for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our beloved husband, father, and grandfather, W. A. Corder. Especially do we thank the doctors and nurses of Cochran Memorial Hospital for their love and devoted service. We would like to express special thanks to Rev. Hobson and Rev. Mauldin for their consoling words of comfort. Also, our special thanks to those who brought and served food; for the lovely floral contributions, and to those who assisted in various ways. May God richly bless each of you.

Mrs. W. A. Corder and Beverly Criswell
The Otis Woolam family
Lawrence Corder family
O. D. McKnight family
Robbie Key family
Jessie Clayton family
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clayton

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Three Way Schools presents junior play last Friday night

(Last Week's News)

By MRS. H. W. GARVIN

The Three Way Junior class had their play in the school cafeteria Friday night. It was a good performance, and several people attended.

Mrs. Johnnie Wheeler and Mrs. A. E. Robinson were in Clovis Tuesday visiting. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Emerson from Wilcox, Ariz., spent the weekend visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kelley and other relatives.

Jake Wheeler and daughter Mrs. June Beadle from Lynwood, Calif., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Wheeler. Jake and Johnnie are brothers. The family spent Sunday visiting with their mother in a Clovis hospital.

Mrs. Jack Hodnett was in Lubbock Friday.

Several in the community were fishing at Falcon Lake last week.

There was a baby shower given for the little Sides, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Sides. It was given in the home of the baby's great-grandmother Mrs. George Fines. The shower was Thursday afternoon.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Wittner Saturday, were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Emerson from Pecos, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Young of Portales, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Ed Neutzler and children Sharon and Kathy Wittner, and the hosts Mr. and Mrs. Wittner.

Three Way senior high played in the volleyball tournament at Pep Friday, Saturday. On Thursday evening, the football class enjoyed a skating party at the Morton skating rink.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wittner spent the weekend in Temple for Mrs. Wittner's check up and went to Waco to visit relatives.

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L'Allegro Study club has program "Beauty of freedom"

The L'Allegro Study Club held its regular meeting Thursday, March 7 in the home of Mrs. W. B. McSpadden. The opening program was given by Mrs. W. B. McSpadden.

Mrs. Jack Russell, President, presided over the business meeting at which time Mrs. H. D. (Lucille) Griffith was accepted as a new member.

Ten members volunteered to help keep the museum open on Saturdays, and Sundays of each week.

Seven members offered to help with the April Cancer Crusade.

Members were reminded of the Caprock District Convention to be held in Lamesa, Tex. March 23.

Mrs. Jack Wallace, program chairman, introduced Mrs. Eddie Irwin who presented the program entitled "The Beauty of Freedom" on Texas churches and missions. The early day Missions were organized for the purpose of trying to Christianize and civilize the Indians. The sites of most of the missions are now indicated

by markers which were erected during the Texas Centennial. Since the East Texas Missions were made of logs, nothing remains of the original buildings, but the missions in San Antonio were built of stone and their majestic remains stand afire more than two centuries. A visit either to the San Antonio mission or to the Fort at Goliad will cause one to have great respect for the friars who built such beautiful buildings and spent their lives working for the spiritual and physical welfare of the Indians. Some of the missions Mrs. Irwin told about in detail were: The San Saba Mission, San Jose Mission, San Juan Capistrano, La Villita, "The little village", The Spanish Governor's Palace and San Fernando Cathedral. She pointed out that the mission era is an important and interesting period in the history of Texas.

Lovely refreshments were served by the hostess to the following members: Mesdames H. B. Barker, R. L. DeBusk, Harold Drennan, Eddie Irwin, James Mc-

Bula-Enochs news

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Greer proud parents of baby girl

Mr. Loren Cox and Mrs. Arnold Archer were in a two car accident in Lubbock, last Wednesday. Diana Cox, was bringing her mother, Mrs. Cox and her aunt Mrs. Archer home and the fuel pump went out on the car between Anton and Littlefield.

Greg Austin was a patient in the Medical Arts Hospital from Thursday until Saturday. He almost had pneumonia.

The temperature dropped to a low 18 degrees last Tuesday night after a bad storm Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hall were guests in the home of their daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burris at Wellman last

Clure, Al Mullinrax, J. C. Reynolds, Jack Russell, M. A. Silvers, Inez Swicegood, Bud Thomas, Bobby Travis, Jack Wallace, and Mrs. E. O. Willingham.

Sunday. They also went to the fat stock show to see their grandson Jackie show his stock.

Mrs. Jerome Cash and Mrs. John Blackman visited in the home of their son and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Cash and family in Portales, N.M., last Saturday.

Mrs. Terry Turner and children from Las Cruces, N.M. have been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ray Seagler.

Dick Bryant was sick with a cold Sunday and wasn't able to attend church.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Pearson received word last Wednesday night that their daughter-in-law Mrs. James Pearson of Belton died in the Scott and White Hospital in Temple. Mrs. Pearson had been ill for years. Funeral services for Mrs. Pearson were at 2 p.m. Friday in the funeral chapel at Graham. Burial was in the Graham cemetery. Those attending the funeral were James' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Pearson and children, J. C. of the home, Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Don Henderdon, Muleshoe, Mrs. Don Hall, of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pearson of Clovis, N.M. Mrs. Linda Wilson of Muleshoe, his uncle Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hill of Levelland, an aunt, Mrs. Lois Lewis from San Antonio, a cousin, Mrs. Loid Hill of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Greer are the proud parents of a baby girl Kiberely D'Ann. She was born March 6 at 12:35 a.m. at the Littlefield hospital and weighed 7 lbs. We wish to say congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Fred. This is their first grandchild. It is also the first child for Mr. and Mrs. Greer. Mrs. Greer is the former Phillis Fred.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Price Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Day and daughter of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Layton, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Layton and sons, Jarol and Keith visited in Lubbock Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ellison.

A. P. Fred hasn't been feeling well for some time and he has been a patient in Littlefield.

F. L. Simmons has spent some time in the Littlefield hospital. We hope he is feeling much better now.

Mrs. Earl Shields and children Roslyn and Kenneth of Lelia Lake, spent several days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Jones. Other guests in the home were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones of Whitharrell and a son Roger. He is a senior student at WTSU.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Miller and family drove to Truth or Consequences on Friday afternoon. On their return home last Sunday afternoon, they were snowbound near Montainair, N.M., along with other motorists. The family spent the night in the car.

Dusty Bogard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bogard has accepted a position with the city police of Littlefield. Dusty is a graduate of Bula High School and has been doing roadwork.

Bobbie Adams has been on the sick list for some time with thyroid trouble. His parents Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Adams have been spending a lot of time trying to help out while Bobbie was confined to his bed.

Jackie Sharp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sharp, had the misfortune of getting a sewing needle in her knee with a portion going under the kneecap and will necessitate surgery to remove it. Jackie, with her sisters, was sitting on the floor sewing a doll dress and Jackie happened to let her knee down on a needle with the point up. The needle was buried in the rug. She was confined in the Medical Arts hospital in Littlefield, but later transferred to Methodist Hospital, where a specialist will do knee surgery to remove the portion of the needle.

Honor roll students for the Bula school for the second semester are: Lynn Robertson, Eleta Bushur, Clifford Fleming, Jarroll Layton, and Richard Nichols.

Second grade: Sherri Clauch, Gary Austin, Shannye Autry and Nanette Hall.

Third grade: A Carolyn Stroud and Janice Tiler; B Scott Hanson.

Fourth grade: Sam Flemings; Randy Hall.

Fifth grade: James Snitkner, Jackie Tharp, Lisa Risinger, and Rhonda Hall.

Sixth grade: Edward Clawson, Debbie Hansen, and Craig McDaniel.

Seventh grade: Kenny Clauch.

Eighth grade: Iva Clawson, Judy Snitkner and Donna Crume.

Juniors: Elaine Tiller, and Patricia Grusendorf; Seniors, Phillip Fleming, Glen Salyer, Mike Richardson, Dennis Newton, Linda McCamish, Sheryl Modin, Joyce Sowder, and Barbara Clawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Cash visited his sister Mrs. Vergie Wade in Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Waltrip and children left Wednesday for Talagah, Okla., to attend the funeral of Dean's grandfather at 10 a.m. Friday.



Outstanding cager . . .
FREDDY THOMAS, left, presents the outstanding basketball award to Willie Moore, the outstanding Indian on the hard wood court for the year 1967-68. Moore was selected on his consistent outstanding performance throughout the entire campaign.

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County Cancer Crusade plans near completion

The Cochran County Unit of the American Cancer Society met March 19 at noon at the Wig Wam Cafe for the regular monthly meeting.

Mrs. John L. McGee, President, presided over the meeting.

Mrs. Gary Willingham, Crusade Chairman, reported that plans for the April Crusade are almost completed. The business crusade will be held on April, with the door to door crusade to be on April 9.

Mrs. Elwood Harris reported that memorials had been contributed during the past month, and anyone wishing to make memorials to the American Cancer Society could do so through her office at the First State Bank.

Mrs. Willard Henry reported that films had been received and were being shown to the Jaycees, Lions Clubs, Biology students and some Study Clubs. Book markers have been distributed to the Junior High Students and Comic editions concerning cancer have been distributed. Pamphlets have been distributed to the different men's and women's social groups.

Mr. Jack Hardison of the District Office was present in the absence of Mr. Dale Bryley, who is in the hospital following surgery.

Local student receives recognition at Tech

On Sunday, March 24, Joey Newsom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Newsom will be recognized at the annual All-College recognition service for this year. This service is the occasion on which the college pays tribute to those of its students who during the preceding two regular semesters have contributed with distinction to the college in the fields of scholarship and leadership.

Present for the meeting were: Mrs. McGee, Mrs. Henry, Mrs. H. B. Barker, Mrs. Willingham, Mrs. James Walker, Mrs. Dexter Nebhut, Mrs. Harris and Mr. Hardison.

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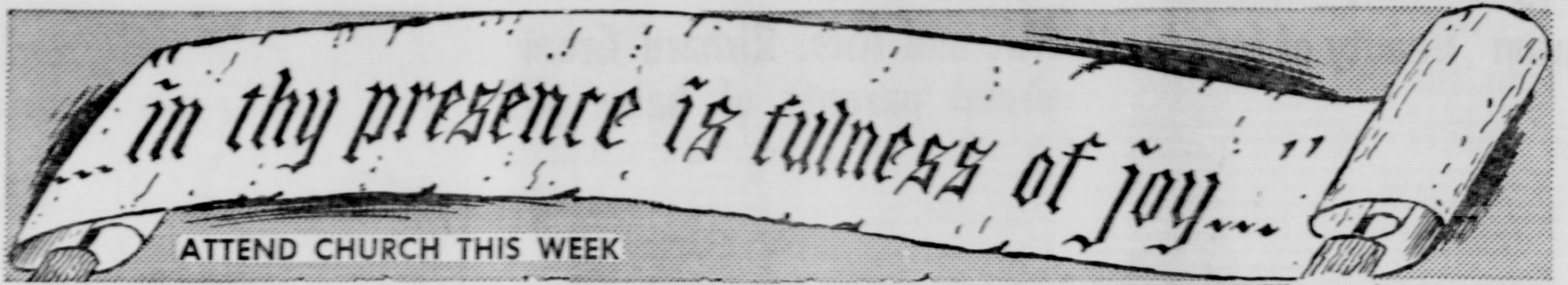
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Six candidates file

Six candidates have filed for three positions in the Bledsoe School Board election which will be held April 6.

Candidates include incumbents V. H. Funk, Ernest Trull and Buford Webb. Hopefuls include Dale Thoms, Douglas Dunn and Harlie Adams.

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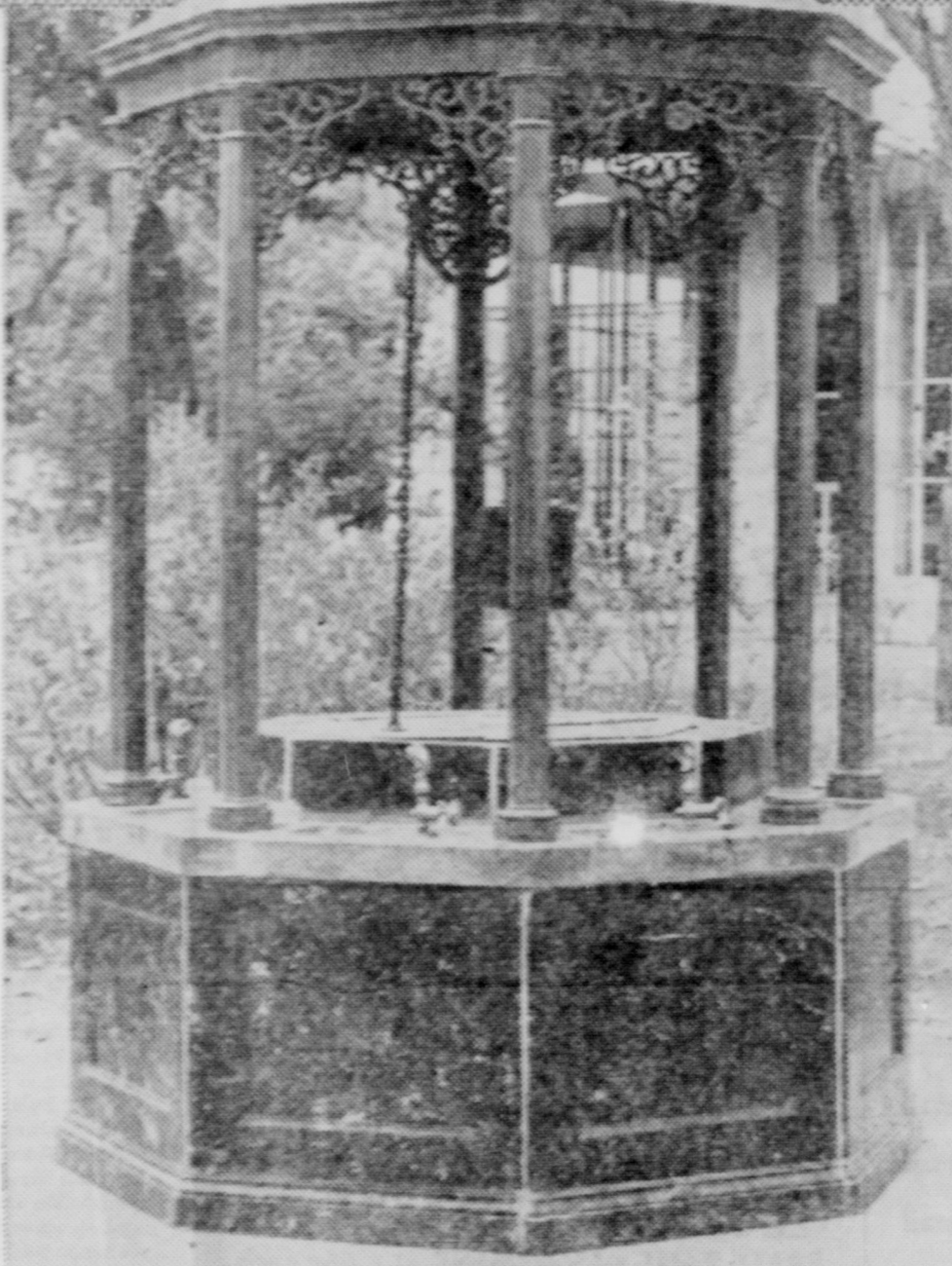


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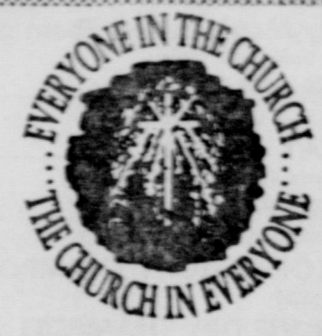
Many important events have taken place at the well. In days long ago it was a meeting place, where all came because of the necessity to obtain life-sustaining water.

Jacob met his beloved Rachel at the well. Moses met the daughters of his future father-in-law at the well in Midian. Much later Jesus Christ met a woman of Samaria at the well and said, "Whosoever drinketh of the water that I shall give him shall never thirst: but the water that I shall give him shall be in him a well of water springing up into everlasting life."

The church of God today is a meeting place where many come to obtain this life-giving and life-sustaining water of which Jesus spoke.



The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.



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Morning
Worship Service — 10:55 a.m.
Evening
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Evangelism — 8:00 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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Fred Thomas, Pastor
302 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 Chorus — 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Service — 7:30 p.m.
Church Choir Rehearsal 8:30 p.m.

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Sunday School — 10:00 a.m.
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.

EAST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST
Cecil Williams, Minister
704 East Taylor

Sundays—
Bible Study — 10:00 a.m.
Worship — 10:45 a.m.
Song Practice — 6:30 p.m.
Worship — 7:00 p.m.
Monday—
Ladies Bible Class — 4:15 p.m.
Wednesdays—
Midweek Service — 7:30 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Rev. Perry L. Shuffield
Jefferson and Third

Sundays—
Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.
Evening
Evangelist Service — 7:00 p.m.
Wednesdays—
Night Prayer Meeting and
Christ's Ambassadors
Convene Together — 7:30 p.m.
Thursdays—
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Missionary Council — 2:30 p.m.
Every 2nd and 4th, Girls'
Missionette Club — 4:30 p.m.

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Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship — 10:45 a.m.
Training Service — 7:00 p.m.
Evening Worship — 8:00 p.m.
Monday—
Mary Martha Circle — 2:30 p.m.
Edna Bullard Circle — 2:00 p.m.
GMA and LMB — 4:00 p.m.
Sunbeams — 7:00 p.m.
Wednesdays—
Mid-Week Worship — 8:00 p.m.

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Tuesday — 7:30 a.m.
Wednesday — 7:30 p.m.
Thursday — 7:30 a.m.
Friday (1st of Month) 7:30 p.m.
Friday (2nd, 3rd & 4th) 7:30 a.m.
Saturday — 8:00 a.m.
Sunday—Catechism Class,
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Confessions—Sunday
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Training Union — 4:30 p.m.
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Wednesdays — 7:30 p.m.

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Morning Worship Second
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Wednesdays—
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Elma L. Slaughter study club has regular meeting

The Elma L. Slaughter Study Club met Thursday, March 7, at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. John L. McGee. The president, Mrs. Leonard O. Coleman presided. The Gold Bond Stamp project was discussed and points brought up to date. It will take 90,000 points and we now have 40 for a bedlight for the Roberts Nursing home. Anyone wanting to give Gold Bond Stamps or books of stamps to help this project will be appreciated.

The program, "A hand in Texas Progress" was presented by Mrs. Horace Gardner and Mrs. Elra Oden. Mrs. Horace Gardner gave us a little history of "Our Heritage" Six Flags of Texas, one being the flags of Spain, France, Mexico, Texas, Independence, Confederation and the U.S.A. Mrs. Elra Oden presented a book "Indians of Texas" by W. W. Newcome, Jr.

Beginning with "The Beginnings" most anthropologists and archeologists agree that people of the Monogoloid type crossed the Bering Straits, from Siberia to Alaska, during the Ice-Age. These early Americans are known as Ice-age or Paleo-Americans. These people left little evidence of their lives, a few projectile points, a few bones or a few man-made items on bison bone. From a method called Carbon 14, it has been found these people lived about 9,000 to 12,000 years ago. Some of these findings were found in Yellow House Canyon near Lubbock, near Clovis, N.M., Midland, Plainview, and Alamo, N.M.

From the Ice Age, Culture we went to the Archaic age. Most of these people were hunters but a few were farmers and built small homes. Some of the crops produced were corn, beans, potatoes and cotton. From the Archaic age we went on to the 1500 or the Foot to Horse age. The Spanish and French brought the first horses to America. The Indians soon became expert horsemen, as we all know. The Tonkawa, Apache, and Comanche

were the principal tribes of the Plains area at the coming of the White man. The Tonkawas lived from the South Plains to the Gulf Plains. The Apaches came to Texas from the far northwestern U.S. and Canada. The Comache came from North of Wyoming. He is believed to have appeared in this area around 1700.

New officers elected were Mrs. C. E. Dolle, President, Mrs. Iva Williams, 1st vice pres., 2nd vice pres. Mrs. Horace Gardner, Mrs. Dean Jackson, Corresponding sec., Mrs. Willie Taylor, recording secretary, Mrs. Elzie Browne, Treasurer, Mrs. Roy Gunnels, Parliamentary Reporter, Mrs. W. M. Butler Jr., Mrs. Elra Oden, Historian, and Mrs. Lorena Cadenhead, Auditor.

Those present at the meeting were Mesdames: Earl Brownlow, Elra Oden, Elmer Gardner, Dean Jackson, Lorena Cadenhead, Roy Brown, Hessie B. Spotts, Horace Gardner, Willie Taylor, Leonard Coleman, C. E. Dolle, and Hostess Mrs. John L. McGee.

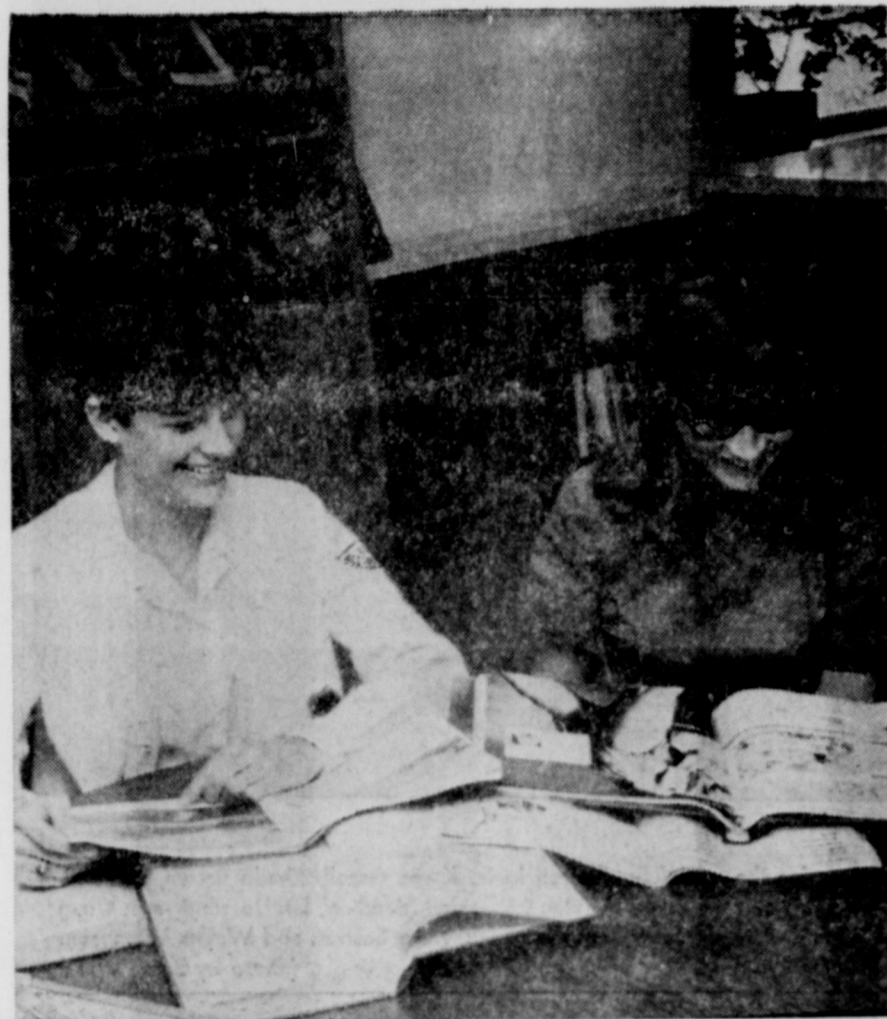
DPS reports minor damages in February

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

These crashes resulted in an estimated property damage of \$610.00. The rural traffic accidents for this county during the first two months of 1968 shows a total of four accidents resulting in no persons killed, one persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$1,110.00.

"With the April 15 deadline for obtaining inspection stickers drawing near, only 48 per cent of the registered vehicles in this county have been inspected," stated the Patrol Supervisor.

In order to avoid the inconvenience of the last minute rush and the possible shortage of seat belts, motorists are urged to get their vehicles inspected promptly. Any driver operating a vehicle registered in Texas, that is required to be inspected, on public roads after April 15



One of two debate entries . . .

DONNA HOFMAN, left, and Janella Nebbut, right, prepare for their entry in the District 4-AA UIL meet to be held in Morton this Saturday. The other debate team consists of Billy Baker and Lynn Fred. (Photo by Byron Willis)

MHS to host 4-AA UIL literary meet Saturday

Activity in the literary circles of Morton High School reached fever pitch this week, as members of various teams prepared to host the District 4-AA UIL literary meet, at the high school, Saturday.

The meet, held each spring, pits competing schools against one another in the field of debate, speaking, math reading, science and typing, as well as various

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other scholastic subjects.

Representing Morton in the events will be 30 students who have been preparing for the meet.

Participants are: Boys Debate Team, Billy Baker and Lynn Fred with Loy Daniels as alternate; Girls Debate Team, Janella Nebbut and Donna Hofman, with Rheda Brown as alternate; Informative Speaking, J. Wayne McDermott and Peggy Thomas; Persuasive Speaking, Wayne Thompson and Helen Lynch; Poetry Interpretation, Mike Bryan and Donna Williams; Prose Reading, Mike Proctor and Delores McCall; Ready Writing, Patsy Collings and Bobby Coombs; Spelling and Plain Writing, Zodie Ledbetter and Cindy Kuehler; Typing, Carolyn Jones, Rheda Brown, and Jeannie McMinn, with Trizell Hill as alternate; Shorthand, Alice Black and LaNelda Romans with Janice DeLeon as alternate; Sience, Rheda Brown, Randy Kelly, Dale Green with Donna Hofman, alternate; Slide rule, Curtis Griffith, Donna Hofman and Dan McCasland.

The competition will begin early Saturday morning and continue throughout the day.

Brackets drawn for Bledsoe volley ball tournament

The first step in the staging of the Bledsoe High School and Elementary volleyball tournament was completed last week when the schedule was drawn.

The tourney, slated to be played in the Bledsoe Gymnasium on April 1, will get underway at 3 p.m., with Bula facing Pep, in the girls' round. The Three Way girls meet Bledsoe at 4:15, with Whitharral taking on the winner of the Bula-Pep game at 5:30. Finals in the girls' round will be at 8:00 p.m.

Action in the boys' contest will start at 3:30 with Bula meeting Pep. Three Way takes on Bledsoe boys at 4:45, and Whitharral tangles with the Bula-Pep winner at 6:00. Finals in the boys' round will be at either 7:30 or 8:30 that evening.

Sewing Club meets in home of Mrs. Lindsey

The Busy Finger Sewing Club met in the home of Mrs. A. R. Lindsey on Thursday, March 7, at 2:30 p.m.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. W. L. Miller. Minutes were read and approved. A motion was made and second to donate \$5.00 to the March of Dimes. There was no other business. The meeting was adjourned.

The next meeting will be Thursday, March 21, in the home of Mrs. Clayton Stokes.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames G. F. Cooper, Henry Bedwell, Walter Taylor, Roy Hill, C. W. Howard, W. E. Childs, J. J. Baker, C. C. Benham and W. L. Miller.

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Junior play

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bor, Sonia, played by Rheda Brown, who has a morbid taste for red paint and blood. Not long after Cam moves in with the girls, and immediately after Henry Reilly comes to visit his aunt, a startling and bizarre murder occurs in the apartment house, and the finger of suspicion quickly swings toward the three roommates, Cam, Sue Ann, and Priscilla. The police are called in to investigate. Lieutenant DeVillie, played by Wayne Thompson, initiates an investigation, but is hampered by the constant questions and interference from the girls. DeVillie is assisted by Officer Connelly, played by Mike Sullivan. Clues are scarce in the investigation, but the rapid moving events make up for the lack of evidence. Cam disappears, then Mrs. Reilly, Counterfeit money picked up in the apartment house hallway adds still more mystery to the plot. A delivery man, played by Doug Scott, delivers a bundle to the girls' apartment that creates even more excitement.

"If A Body Meet A Body" presents a challenge to detectives of all ages. For good mystery, comedy, excitement, and just plain thrills, don't you dare miss this year's production of the Junior play.

Serving as directors and sponsors for the play are David Murrain, Lane Tanne-Hill, and Mrs. George Tuck. Student directors are Janella Nebhut and Patsy Collins. The stage crew consists of Travis Rowland, Tommy DeBusk, Mike Stevens, and Tommy Waters.

Furniture and props for this year's play are being furnished by Taylor Furniture Co. and General Telephone Co.



Entire cast . . .

LISTENING INTENTLY to last minute instructions for the Junior play, "If A Body Meet A Body," is the entire cast which will perform the mystery-comedy at 1:30 and 7:30 p.m. Friday. Aspiring actors seated left to right are: Byron

Willis, Sharon Irwin, Karen Rozell, Rheda Brown, Deborah Millen, Vivian McDaniel. Standing, left to right, are: Doug Scott, Rusty Rowden, Mike Sullivan and Wayne Thompson. (Photo by Byron Willis)

Mrs. Scott Hawkins spent a few days in Beaumont with her daughter and family, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Hall.

GARDEN CLUB

LeFleur Club hears report of convention at meeting

Mrs. Jack Baker was hostess to the Le Fleur Garden Club members on March 14. A Saint Patrick theme prevailed throughout the house by flower arrangements and presentation of a shamrock pin to each arrival.

Due to the absence of the president, Mrs. L. Z. Scoggins, vice president, presided over the meeting. Mrs. Dan Samford reported on the recent District 1 Garden Clubs convention in Hereford. Honors received by the club entries were: 1st place for Standard Club Pressbook, 2nd place for yearbook, Honorable mention for Scrapbook and the entry for the Sear's Community Improvement Project at the Museum was one of six sent to the State Chairman for judging.

Some members brought plants ready for taking to the rest home and after the meeting, others went to the nursery to select and prepare the remainder needed for each patient to be given a plant. This is the Club's garden therapy project.

Mrs. W. B. McSpadden, a student judge from the Cochran County Garden Club, presented the program on "Creativity in Arrangements". She stated that "creativity is imagination made visible. It comes

from minds and hearts of the designer, is never copied and is an expression of "you". All creative efforts, whether making a dress, decorating a home or designing a building, must be guided by design principles.

In a flower show, the materials used are the designer's choice, but some fresh plant material must be used. The design must be scored at 95 or more and "Personal Expression" be one of the qualities scored to be eligible for the Creativity Award.

At the conclusion of the program, the members were reminded to attend State Convention in Corpus Christi, Texas on March 26-28.

Eleven members and one guest, Mrs. Elmer Gardener, were present.

The next meeting will be on March 28 with Mrs. E. R. Fincher as hostess.

Morton 4-H club to have meeting Monday

Eight Cochran County 4-H members exhibited animals at the Levelland Area Junior Livestock Show held March 7, 8, and 9 in Levelland.

Representing Cochran County 4-H in the swine division were Jimmy Jones, Marilyn Cade and Larry Hale. Cochran 4-H'ers placed their pigs as follows: First place in the Heavy Poland China division went to Jimmy Jones, fourth place light Duroc and seventh place medium Hampshire went to Marilyn Cade and Larry Hale exhibited the fourth place medium weight Duroc barrow.

In the Sheep Division 4-H'ers placing lambs were: Christy Cade had the third place heavy Southdown and Donna Allison exhibited the sixth place heavy southdown. Other Cochran 4-H'ers exhibiting lambs were Joann Whitehead, Carla Swanson and Phyllis Archer. Parents and 4-H Adult Leaders attending the Levelland Show were Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hale, Mr. and Mrs. James Jones, Mr. and Mrs. James Whitehead, and A. E. Cade and Cochran County Agent Roy McClung, Jr.

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National Campfire Girls Week to be observed here

The week March 10 through March 18 has been designated as National Campfire Girls Week. The Morton Campfire Girls will observe this week with many different activities.

One of the highlights of the week will be the annual Dad and Daughter Dinner to be held Saturday, March 16, at 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. At this meeting the girls will honor their dads with a dinner and a program.

Bula Future Farmers hold annual banquet

On Friday, March 15, Mr. Horace McQueen, public relations director for the Plains Cotton Co-operative and noted farm editor filled every ear present at the Bula FFA Chapter parent-son banquet with humor, agriculture, and shocking facts concerning the real values of Americanism.

The speaker who recently returned from an extended visit to Australia compared the governmental policies of the United States to the policies of Australia and New Zealand and his conclusion . . . America is still at the top of the heap in spite of the hippies, treasonous politicians, and weak kneed patrons who are afraid to stand up for the principles which have time and again snatched our great country from the fires of apathy and shame. He concluded his oration with a challenging appeal to each person present to take stock of his personal attitudes and then move into the firing line in the defense of the land of the free and the home of the brave.

Honored guests at the banquet were Littlefield District President Rodney Bowling of Sudan and Mr. Blankinship, advisor and Mike Lynskey, president of the Three-Way FFA chapter. Mr. A. C. Archer of Enochs was presented the honorary Chapter Farmer Degree by the FFA. The FFA organization served a barbecue meal to about 60 parents and guests.

The national week will close out with Campfire Sunday in local churches. Each girl will be urged to wear her full dress costume to the church of her choice.

The Campfire program is designed to help prepare girls to be better women. It is open to all girls from the second grade through high school. In Morton the work is carried out completely by volunteers who are interested in developing the personality of the girls.

The youngest group in the organization are in the second grade and are called Bluebirds. There are 20 girls in the group and their leaders are Mrs. Royce Fred and Mrs. Roy Davis.

The third grade group are also called Bluebirds and there are 19 girls in the group led by Mrs. Herman Brown and Mrs. Douglas Ayers.

The 22 girls in the fourth grade group, called Campfire Girls, are led by Mrs. Ira Brown. The fifth grade Campfire Girls, numbering eight, are led by Mrs. W. C. Benham. The seven girls in the sixth grade Junior High Campfire Girls are led by Mrs. E. L. Reeder.

The eight girls in the seventh and eighth grade Junior High Campfire Girls have Mrs. C. E. Dolle as their leader. Mrs. Dan Rozell and Mrs. M. C. Lebetter are the leaders for the 25 high school Horizon Club girls.

Mike Eggar, a student at Colorado College, in Colorado Springs is visiting at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Owen Eggar during the spring break.

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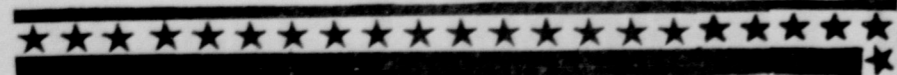


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PCG pushes for sign-up extension

The Texas Association of Cotton Producer Organizations (TACPO) met March 13 and 14 in Dallas, appointed a standing labor committee, proposed an extension of the sign-up deadline for the 1968 cotton program and unanimously adopted a position on future cotton legislation almost

identical to the preliminary stand taken by the legislative committee of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

PCG's legislative committee has recently announced that it will recommend to the PCG Board that the organization work for an extension of the current cotton program with refinements or modifications. The policy adopted by TACPO also favors extension of the current program and also recommends changes in some of the program's features.

Joe B. Pate, Jr., of Lubbock, TACPO Chairman, reported that "This was the first meeting of TACPO at which we really got into the business at hand and I was greatly encouraged by the degree of harmony achieved on virtually all matters discussed."

TACPO was officially organized only last month.

First function of the newly appointed labor committee, according to Pate, will be to work with PCG and other interested individuals and organizations toward the defeat of H.R. 4769 and S-9, companion bills that would bring agricultural labor under the National Labor Relations Act.

If enacted these bills would be a big step in the direction of unionized labor in agriculture, leaders believe.

The House Bill, H. R. 4769, was reported out last week by the House Education and Labor Committee. The 16 Democrats on the committee voted "yes" and the 12 Republicans "no".

Appointed to the TACPO labor committee were J. B. Kirkin, Pecos, Chairman; C. B. Ray, El Paso, and Ed Dean of Lubbock. Dean is Director of Field Services for Plains Cotton Growers.

On the sign-up deadline extension for this year's cotton program, TACPO sent telegrams to about a dozen Congressmen, Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman and others.

Secretary Freeman's telegram read "Because of the unusually heavy rainfall over Texas in the past several months, Texas farmers are not in a position at this time to designate acres available for the planting of cotton. We respectfully submit that the present deadline (March 15) to sign an agreement to participate in the cotton diversion program should be extended to May 15."

PCG since January has been urging USDA to allow producers more time to make planting decisions, and Pate said "We feel this request from TACPO, representing virtually every cotton producer in

the State, will add weight to the requests already filed with the Secretary and will give us a better chance for favorable action."

Hearings on new cotton legislation to succeed the present program, which expires with the 1969 crop, will begin in the Senate Committee on Agriculture April 3 and are tentatively slated in the House Committee around April 22.

Based on the legislative position taken last week, TACPO will draft testimony for both hearings featuring 11 major points the organization feels should be covered in new legislation.

The 11 are: (1) Increased net producer income, (2) 16 million acre minimum allotment, (3) Loan at 90 per cent of world market price, (4) No differentiation in payments or supports on "domestic" acreage and acreage grown for export, (5) Additional guarantees against program benefit limitations, (6) 1968 skip-row regulations,

(7) Removal of 100 acre limit on allotment transfers by sale or lease, (8) Correction of inequities in "small farm" provisions, (9) More equitable procedure for determining projected yields, (10) Retention of the "Ellender amendment," and (11) Better methods of setting premiums and discounts on qualities above and below Middling 1 inch.

The Ellender amendment referred to is the part of the present program which guarantees producers 65 per cent of parity on the maximum permissible planted acreage.

County 4-H saddle club has regular playday

The Cochran County 4-H Saddle Club met Saturday, March 16, in the Farm Bureau Building in Morton. The meeting was called to order by the President, Jimmy Jones. The club made last minute plans for the ABC rodeo parade in Lubbock. Members needing saddle blankets may contact Roy McClung at the Activities Building.

Deborah Whitehead and Bill McClure gave a demonstration on training a horse for barrel racing. JoAnn Whitehead and Mickie Dewbre gave a demonstration on Western Pleasure.

After the meeting the members had their regular playday at the rodeo grounds. Three events were run including barrels, flag race, and pole bending. The ribbon race was called off due to the high winds. Members present were: Bill McClure, Jimmy Jones, Sherita Fluit, Debra Whitehead, Emlea Smith, Mickie Dewbre, JoAnn Whitehead, Morton Smith, David Palmer, Ronnie, Rickie and Kelly Hill, Lynn French, Sammy Burnett, Mary Smith, Kenneth Jones, W. C. and Jerry Dawson, Martie Dewbre. New members who have recently joined are Jeannie Pugh, Ronnie and Donnie Campbell, Karen Clark, Rayma Hall, and Jimmy Sealey.

The first district playday, for the year, for the American Association members will be April 7 beginning at 9:00 a.m. This will be at Lubbock.

The next regular 4-H Saddle Club meeting will be April 6 at 2:00 p.m. in the Farm Bureau Building.



Future Farmers . . .

BULA FUTURE FARMERS, from left to right, Dennis Newton, Bula FFA president; Mr. A. A. Archer of Enochs, Honorary Chapter Farmer, and Rodney Bowling, Littlefield district president.



Carla McCarty

Dewbre-McCarty vows to be read in May

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. McCarty, 703 E. Grant announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Carla, to Donnie Dewbre, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Z. Dewbre, Rt. 1, Morton. They plan to marry May 30, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Doss.

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Personals

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

Mrs. Gladys Campbell of Detroit, Michigan, has just returned from nearly one month's visit with her sister Mrs. E. L. Cox of Morton.

Texas has more camping and cookout facilities in state parks this year than ever before.

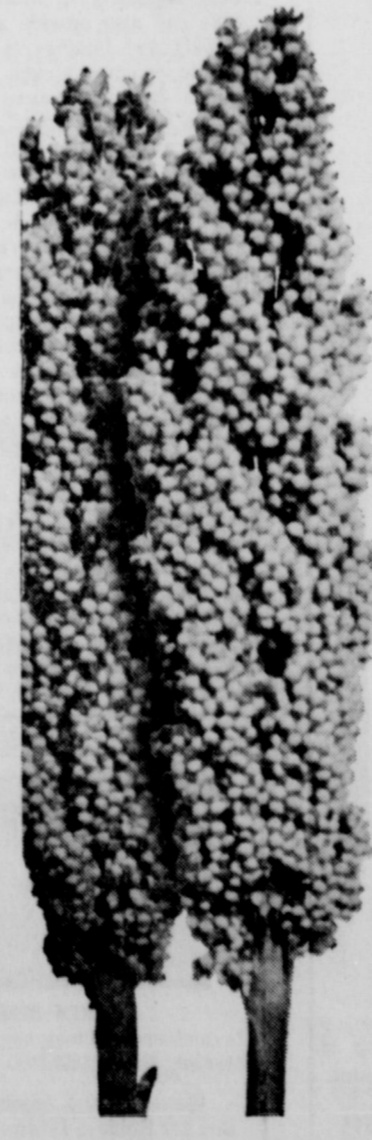
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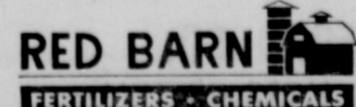
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Mrs. Clark gives program on pioneer days in Texas

The Y. M. Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Ray Lanier on Thursday, March 7.

Officers for the coming year were selected. They are: Mrs. Max Clark, president; Mrs. Deryl Bennett, first vice president; Mrs. Don Davies, second vice president; Mrs. Billy Weems, secretary-reporter; Mrs. Bob Robinson, treasurer; Mrs. George Hargrove, historian; Mrs. Herman Bedwell, auditor and Mrs. Robbie Key, parliamentarian.

Other business included members volunteering to serve as guides at the Cochran County Museum and to help with the Cancer Drive. Also the members agreed to join the Friends of the Library.

The Texas Heritage program was given by Mrs. Max Clark, who reviewed the book "Fiddle Dust", by Ross Edwards, who was an early Texas pioneer and settled in Lubbock.

He told of an incident when he and a

friend journeyed to the Cochran County sandhills in the pioneer days to watch the antelopes. They were unable to return for three days because they became stuck in the sand, but were finally found on the Johnny Roberson ranch.

An interesting story related was that Big Spring in those days was the largest town in three hundred miles. It had eight saloons, one Chinese laundry, one gambling house, school courthouse, three churches and a depot. He said it looked like a place where the devil cleared out a place to take care of the overflow.

Mrs. Clark closed with comments on the early pioneering days of this section of the country.

Refreshments were served to sixteen members.

The next meeting will be on March 21, at 7 p.m. at Kate's Kitchen for a dutch treat. The program will be on great American documents.



IRIS HAYES
Missionary feted

Missionary feted at Monday tea

Miss Iris Hayes, 23 year old Missionary to Nigeria, was the guest of honor at a tea held Monday night in the home of Mrs. Maurice Lewallen.

Miss Hayes, who is currently working to raise funds for a return trip to Africa spoke to the gathering about her experiences in Nigeria and illustrated her remarks with a variety of slides and picture presentations.

In talking with the group of ladies, Miss Hayes spoke of the many hardships endured by the natives and by the missionaries and listed the mortality rate, from birth to one year as 50 per cent, due mainly to the poor living conditions and inadequate facilities available.

Miss Hayes, who in April will take her missionary work to Camaroon, on the West Coast of Africa is sponsored by the Sunrise Church of Christ of Lubbock.

Serving as a medical missionary to the people in Africa Miss Hayes has assisted in training nurses and has worked closely with the other medical personnel in Africa in an effort to improve the conditions that exist.

She will be making her second two year trip, when she returns, and is presently working to earn her passage.

Easter Seal Chairman Lists County Service

The Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas offers a variety of services to the physically disabled citizen of Cochran County, according to Mr. Glen W. Thompson, the Easter Seal Representative for the county.

"The Texas Easter Seal Society can provide services to people and families who cannot afford to pay all or part of the cost involved. We can assist in paying for physical, occupational and speech and hearing therapy when it is prescribed by a medical doctor," he said.

"Should a family or individual have to travel to another town for therapy we can help defray traveling expenses when the family is unable to meet them."

"We can also provide assistance to individuals and families in purchasing orthopedic equipment such as wheelchairs, walkers, crutches, braces when prescribed by a medical doctor."

"We can provide help to families in reaching the right person or agencies to receive help that the East Seal Society does not provide. This is very important when special testing, evaluation or hospitalization might be necessary. Also people are often eligible for services from public or private agencies but do not know the person, requirements, or place to get the help, perhaps the Easter Seal Society can help," he added.

Mr. Thompson urged anyone who might be able to benefit from the help provided by the Easter Seal Society to contact him at First State Bank, Box 355, Morton, Texas 79346.

Easter Seal Services are available to any adult or child with a physical handicap. The 1968 Easter Seal Appeal will provide funds for a wide variety of educational projects and treatment services for Texans. The campaign will run through Easter Sunday, April 14.



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Three Way News

Pink and blue shower honors Mrs. Bill Welch, Thursday

The Three Way Lions Club will meet Tuesday night in the school cafeteria for the regular meeting and to elect a Queen for the convention later.

Seven of the high school basketball team attended the state basketball tournament at Austin the past week. Those attending were Betty Julian, Joyce Boyce, Joy Eabanks, Lanita Powell, Rhinda Dupler, Treva Kelley, Kathy Wittner. The girls were accompanied by their coach Mrs. Tom Alvis. The girls toured the State Capital

and other interesting things.

The Three Way volleyball team called Sues' Team, entered the volleyball tournament at Causey the past week.

The Boy Scouts went on a camping trip Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Kerby were in Lovington, New Mexico Saturday visiting the Jimmy Wheelers.

Mr. O. A. Warren is in a Levelland hospital. Mr. Warren fell at his home west of Goodland Tuesday and has several broken ribs.

Wayne Harris from Pecos spent the weekend visiting his parents the C. F. Harrises.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Garvin visited his cousin the L. T. Smiths in Earth Sunday.

The Dutch Powell home was the scene of a pink and blue shower Thursday honoring Mrs. Bill Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee from Morton spent Wednesday evening visiting their son and family the Elmer Lees.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Toombs spent the weekend fishing close to San Angelo.

Rev. and Mrs. James Gillentine visited with her parents the H. W. Garvins Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Terrell from Canyon spent the weekend with their parents the T. D. Davis family and the D. V. Terrell families.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Warren spent the weekend in Ft. Worth visiting his mother.

Kay King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Spot King and a student at South Plains College spent the weekend in the home of her parents.

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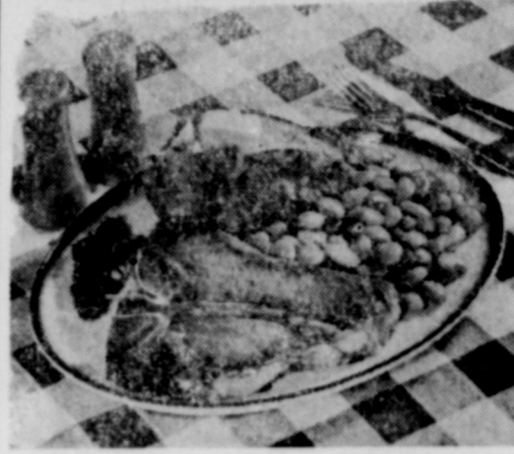
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