

Ledbetter, Lemons are honored by Chamber

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Chesshir top conservationist; special honor to Tennie Wall

M. C. Ledbetter, judge of the 121st Judicial District, was named Cochran County's Outstanding Citizen for 1967. The honor was revealed during the sixth annual banquet of the Morton Area Chamber of Commerce Friday night. More than 170 persons attended the affair in the County Activity Building banquet room.

Farm Family of the Year honors went to the L. T. "Short" Lemons family, while J. H. Chesshir was honored as the outstanding Conservation Farmer for 1967. A special presentation was made to Mrs. Art Wall for her services to the Chamber.

Guest speaker was Arthur B. Watkins of Lubbock.

Judge Ledbetter was introduced by Neal Rose, a college classmate and longtime friend. Judge Ledbetter was born Sept. 14, 1914 in Wellington. He attended school there and was graduated at Olton. He attended Baylor University and received his LL.B. degree in 1938. He came to Morton in 1939 to practice law. Elected County Attorney in 1964, he took a leave of absence to serve in the Army in 1945, then continued as County Attorney until September, 1959. He was appointed Judge of the new 121st Judicial District at that time, serving Cochran, Hockley, Yoakum and Terry Counties.

He served 20 years on the Morton Volunteer Fire Department and has been a long-time member of the Lions Club, serving in both local and district offices.

He has been active in Boy Scout work in all phases from Cubmaster to District Committeeman, helped organized the local Camp Fire Girls and served on its board of directors.

When Little League baseball came to Morton, he helped organize the program, worked at building the park and even planted the grass.

"Led" also has worked for many years in the Morton Athletic Boosters, sodding the football field, helping to build the bleachers and offering encouragement to the players.

For many years he has served as home service chairman for the American Red Cross. In the Methodist Church, he has served as everything from Superintendent of the Sunday School to Conference Trustee. He also serves as a teacher, speaker and lay leader.

He also has been a member of the Chamber of Commerce since he helped to organize it.

"In times of crisis," Rose said, "be it city, school, county, hospital or political Judge Ledbetter has reminded us we could 'disagree without being disagreeable and object without being objectionable' as he worked for what he thought was the best for the most people."

Four of Judge and Mrs. Ledbetter's six children were present for the presentation. They were Zodie, a high school freshman; Margaret, a junior; Mrs. Clyde Brownlow of Amherst and Mrs. Loy Kern of Morton. The other two are Betty, a student nurse in Galveston, and Charles a pre-law student at Baylor.

Budd Fountain, office manager for the SCS, presented the Soil Conservation Farmer award, which will be entered in the Fort Worth Press statewide contest. He cited J. H. Chesshir for his 20 years as a cooperater in the soil conservation program. Chesshir has managed his crop residue properly, Fountain said, and has also used pipelines and inversion terraces to get more production from his land.

Making the presentation of the Farm Family of the Year, Tommy Hawkins commented that L. T. "Short" Lemons fulfilled all the qualifications for the honor. "He has been a successful farmer, he has worked faithfully in his church and he has raised his five children with a sense of duty and responsibility," Hawkins said.

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Bill Clayton seeks re-election as 72nd state representative

State Representative Bill Clayton of Springlake announced Monday his candidacy for re-election to the office of State Representative, District 72, consisting of Bailey, Castro, Cochran, Deaf Smith, Lamb and Parmer Counties.

Clayton has received many honors while serving this District as State Representative. He was one of the few men in Texas history to become a Chairman of a Committee during his first term. In the past five years, Clayton has been Chairman of four committees, two of which were Water Committees. It is reported by the Speaker of the House, Ben Barnes, and other key people that Clayton is probably



Bill Clayton

the most knowledgeable man in the Texas House of Representatives on water and water-related problems of the State.

This past year Clayton was presented an award for out-standing service to the citizens of Texas by the State Soil and Water Conservation Districts.

Clayton said "In seeking re-election I feel we can play an important role in water development and water importation to this area of the State and I pledge my continued influence and efforts to that end. Your past support and influence have been greatly appreciated and we ask for your continued support in the coming elections."

Clayton filed on the Democratic ticket for Primary Election to be held May 4, 1968.

Clayton explained that Cochran County became part of the 72nd District as a result of legislative re-districting during the last session of the Legislature. Both Cochran and Bailey Counties became part of his district. Hockley and Terry were placed in the district with Lubbock County, while Yoakum County was added into the southern district served by Rep. Randy Pendleton of Andrews.

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Raise, contract extension given school superintendent

Morton school superintendent Ray Lanier was given a contract extension and a slight pay raise during a relatively short meeting of trustees Monday evening.

Lanier, who served three years as high school principal before being named superintendent four years ago, was unanimously approved for a one-year contract extension for the 1968-69 school year. Board members also concurred on a \$800 salary increase. With the state salary increment of \$195 per year for experience, Lanier will draw a total salary of \$13,690 for the coming school term.

Board members also called the trustee election for Saturday, April 8. Those whose terms on the board will expire include L. T. "Short" Lemons, Francis Shiflett and Weldon Newsom. All three said they would not seek re-election.

About half of the board session was devoted to the regular monthly review of those families which are seeking free lunches at school. Board members frequently were puzzled by those who appeared and said they were not receiving, or had not sought, county commodity for Many of those who appeared were strongly urged to apply for such food assistance as is available through the county.

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PO seeks bids for building

The Post Office Department is seeking competitive bids to build and lease the new post office building at Morton, Postmaster General Lawrence F. O'Brien announced recently.

The purpose of competitive bidding, Mr. O'Brien said, is to encourage the most attractive and economical offer to the Government in line with President Johnson's economy program to achieve the best possible postal service at the least possible cost.

Under the Department's Lease Construction Program, the site selected at the southeast corner intersection of West First Street and Taylor Avenue will be assigned to the successful bidder, who will purchase the property, construct the building according to Departmental specifications and lease it to the Post Office Department for a basic period of ten years, with options to renew the lease for an additional twenty years.

The Department's capital investment will be limited substantially to postal equipment. The building will remain under private ownership with the owner paying local real estate taxes. Postal space in the present unit will be made available for other purposes.

Bidding documents will be available on or about February 5, 1968 and may be obtained from V. E. Bell, Regional Real Estate Officer, Room 202 Main Post Office Bldg., 1515 Avenue G., Lubbock, Texas. The Real Estate Officer will supply bidding forms, building specifications, lease provisions and other information. Bids must be submitted to the Real Estate Officer by 2 p.m. March 6, 1968.

Hospital Auxiliary organization meet slated for Thursday

An organizational meeting for a Hospital Auxiliary will be held at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 18, in the County Activity Building. The proposed organization would serve both Cochran Memorial Hospital and Roberts Memorial Nursing Home.

Morton Jaycee-Ettes are serving as the steering committee for the initial session. Among those slated to be present will be the president and vice president of the Texas Association of Hospital Auxiliaries, Mrs. Clyde Sylvester of Fort Worth and Mrs. J. H. Mail of Abilene, respectively.

Also on hand will be a group from the Seminole Memorial Hospital, including: Ed Rogers, hospital administrator; Mrs. Ed Rogers, Auxiliary member; Mrs. Fred Farar, president of the Seminole Auxiliary. Agenda for the meeting includes the election of officers and adoption of a constitution. Everyone is invited to attend and become a charter member of the Morton Auxiliary.

Planning seminar set in Austin, January 24

Leon Kessler, manager of the Morton Area Chamber of Commerce, reports that six people have indicated they will attend a Texas Industrial Planning Seminar for Morton in Austin Jan. 24.

The one-day meeting in the Sam Houston State Office Building will feature speakers from the Industrial Commission staff, Bureau of Business Research from the University of Texas, Texas Tourist Development Agency and the Texas Employment Commission.

Kessler said the meeting is sponsored by the Morton Area Chamber of Commerce and will cover every phase of community and economic development.

People desiring to attend the seminar are asked to contact Kessler at the chamber office, 266-5200 or Jack Russell, 266-5061.

The meeting, one of 20 such programs held each year by the Commission, is designed specifically for Morton. It will be



Citizen of the year . . .

DISTRICT JUDGE M. C. LEDBETTER was named Citizen of the Year for 1967. He received a plaque following announcement of the honor during the Chamber of Commerce banquet. Four of their six children were on hand for the presentation by Neal Rose. Top row, from left: Mrs. Clyde

Brownlow and Mr. Brownlow of Amherst; Mrs. Loy Kern and Mr. Kern of Morton; bottom row: Judge and Mrs. Ledbetter and daughters Margaret and Zodie. Betty and Charles were away in college and unable to attend.

(Staff Photo)

Voter registration drive begins

This week marked the opening of a statewide newspaper campaign organized by Secretary of State John L. Hill to promote voter registration in Texas. One feature of the registration drive is the publication of an application form which voters may cut out and mail to the county tax assessor-collector, who acts as the registrar of voters.

The deadline for registration is January 31.

Hill has organized the registration drive in his capacity as chief election officer of the state, a title which the Texas legislature conferred on the Secretary of State last year, along with placing upon him important new responsibilities in the administration of the state's election laws. In commenting on the drive, Hill said that one of his purposes is to publicize new laws affecting voting rights, which otherwise might go unnoticed by the average

citizen. ONE OF THE NEW laws enacted in 1967 makes registration necessary, for the first time in Texas history, for persons over 60 years old who live in rural communities and towns under 10,000 population. Heretofore, persons older than 60 were required to register only if they lived in a city having more than 10,000 inhabitants. Many tax assessor-collectors have expressed a fear that lack of information concerning this new requirement will bring about disfranchisement of many elderly voters through their failure to register.

In order to vote in statewide elections, a person must meet the following qualifications on the day of the election: he must be 21 years-old, or older, and must be a citizen of the United States; he must have resided in Texas for one year immediately preceding the election; and he must have registered for the voting year in which the election is held. In order to vote in local elections (county, school district, etc.), he also must have resided in the county for six months immediately preceding the election. Residence in the city for six months is required for voting in a city election.

A NEW LAW ENACTED in 1967 permits voters who move from one Texas county to another within the period of six months preceding an election to vote on statewide offices and issues if they have lived in the state for a year. Formerly, a voter was totally disfranchised for a six-month period following removal to another county unless the county from which he moved was in the same congressional, legislative or judicial district as the county to which he moved. A constitutional amendment adopted in 1966 authorized enactment of the new legislation.

The Texas Election Code enumerates "idiots and lunatics, and all persons convicted of any felony except those restored to full citizenship and right of suffrage or pardoned" as classes of persons who are not qualified to vote.

TEXAS VOTERS must register annually. The 1968 voting year will begin on March 1, 1968, and will end on February 28, 1969. The registration period for the 1968 voting year began last October 1 and will end on January 31, 1968. Any citizen of Texas who now possesses the necessary quali-

cations for voting or who will attain them by February 28, 1969, may register during the current registration period.

Except for three limited classes of voters, all persons wishing to vote at any time during the 1968 voting year must register by the January 31 deadline, even though they may not yet possess full qualifications for voting.

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City talks purchase of a posting machine

Part of the Morton City Council met Friday afternoon in a called meeting to discuss the possibility of purchasing a posting machine for use in posting gas and water accounts.

No decision was reached at the meeting about purchasing a machine, but city water superintendent Roy Hill and gas superintendent Maurice Lewallen, together with city secretary Elra Oden are expected to visit the City of Denver City and view their gas and water posting operations.

Mrs. Dot Irwin, city office manager, said the machine would probably save her time in billing out gas and water accounts. Currently these accounts are made out on two separate post cards while only one card would be used with the posting machine.

It was estimated that the city would save at least \$60 per month in postage alone by using the machine. R. C. Taylor, representative from Burroughs Machine Co., said the cost of a new machine would be \$5,685 which will include a year's free service on the machine.

The city has been contemplating purchasing a Burroughs posting machine for the county for a cost of \$2,500. Taylor said it would take approximately \$1,500 to clean, repair and program the new machine plus instructing the office staff in the use of it.

Present at the meeting were Mayor Jack Russell, City Secretary Elra Oden and Council men Donnie Simpson and Earl Stowe. Meeting with the council were Lewallen, Hill and Mrs. Irwin.

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Ledbetter, Lemons

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Lemons farms 600 acres east of Morton, has lived in Cochran County all of his life, and is active in the County Line Baptist Church. He is currently serving as a trustee on the Morton school board. Making surprise appearances at the banquet were the couple's five children: Daie, Treva, Donnie, Ricky and Dennis.

Mrs. Art "Tennie" Wall was presented a special award from the Chamber of Commerce for her unpaid service through the years. "This person sells tickets, answers the phone, greets visitors and provides more information than any other Chamber member," master of ceremonies H. A. Tuck told the audience before making the award. Mrs. Wall is manager of the Morton Retail Credit Association, with offices next to the Chamber office.

Outgoing president Tommy Hawkins and incoming president O. L. Tilger both made comments about the activities, goals and accomplishments of the Chamber. Tilger introduced the outgoing officers and directors and those who will be serving during 1968.

The guest speaker, Arthur B. Watkins,

is office manager of Hemphill-Wells Company in Lubbock, an active civic and church worker and a recognized speaker. His topic, "Business on the square" was concerned with the Four-Way Test, how it came into being and how it had helped one company on the verge of bankruptcy become solvent and progressive.

Four questions comprise the Four-Way Test: Is it the truth? Is it fair to all concerned? Will it be beneficial to all concerned? Will it build friendship and good will?

The Morton High School choir, directed by Mrs. George Tuck, presented three numbers for entertainment during the program. Rheda Jane Brown provided piano dinner music.

Rev. Rex Mauldin, pastor of the First Methodist Church, gave the invocation. H. A. Tuck served as master of ceremonies.

The table centerpieces were arrangements by members of the Cochran County Garden Club depicting the occupations of their husbands.

Dinner was catered by the Wig Wam.

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ifications for voting. The only registration permitted after January 31 is (1) by persons who move into Texas after October 1, 1967, (2) by persons who become 21 years old after January 31, 1968, and (3) by former aliens who are naturalized after January 31, 1968. The first and second classes may also register during the regular period. Registration certificates issued to persons not yet qualified to vote are marked to show the date on which they will become qualified.

ANY PERSON ELIGIBLE to register may apply for registration by mailing an application form to the county tax assessor-collector of the county of his residence. Registration certificates will be mailed before the beginning of the voting year on March 1 to persons who apply by mail.

Voters also may register by applying in person at the county tax assessor-collector's office or at a registration substitution.

The husband, wife, father, mother, son, or daughter of a voter may act as the voter's agent in applying for registration if the relative is qualified voter in the same county. Except for these listed relatives, which do not include those related by marriage, no one may act as agent for another in applying for registration.

Voters who have not applied for registration may cut out the application form which appears on Page 5, fill in the blanks, and mail it to the county tax assessor-collector without delay.



New Chamber board . . .

OFFICIALLY INSTALLED for 1968 were new officers of the Morton Area Chamber of Commerce during the group's annual banquet Friday. From left are: Vic Jack-

son, treasurer; Mrs. Luke Hargrove, secretary; Mrs. Lois St. Clair; O. L. Tilger, president; Mrs. Rob Richards; Ray Griffith, James K. Walker and H. A. Tuck, directors.

(Staff Photo)

Hospital Board takes furniture bids, gets Medicare approval

Officially just beginning their duties, the members of the Cochran Memorial Hospital District Board have been meeting almost weekly to get the organization moving.

The district was authorized in an election last fall but just officially took control of the hospital, since the enabling legislation made Jan. 1, 1968 the effective date.

In a recent meeting, the board accepted bids on 18 rooms of furniture for the hospital wing now under construction. The board finally agreed to accept the bid submitted by Hunter-Terrell Company for a total of \$8,181. This is for Simmons brand hospital furniture.

The board also has received an opinion from the Attorney General of Texas regarding care of indigent patients outside the hospital district boundaries. The question posed was whether Cochran County has the authority to pay public owned hospitals outside the county for hospital and medical services rendered to indigent inhabitants of the county after the establishment of a hospital district in the county.

The six-page opinion received by County Attorney James K. Walker determines that such hospital bills must be paid by the hospital district rather than by the county.

In other business, the hospital district board received a letter from the regional

office of the U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare stating that the hospital still is approved for Medicare services and payment, following the change in ownership from a county-owned corporation to a hospital district.

Hospital District president Glenn Thompson said that the board was meeting on the second and fourth Thursdays at 7:30 p.m. in the former office of John P. Haggard, CPA, which is located between Russell Insurance and Jeter Hardware. The meetings are open to the public.

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Bill Clayton

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"I am pleased with the addition of both Cochran and Bailey to my district, since I feel quite close to these areas," Clayton said. "Prior to the election, I hope to visit with all of you. If elected to serve as your State Representative, you can be assured that I shall endeavor to serve all of this area faithfully and to best of my ability."

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Childs, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Huggins were in Anson over the weekend to attend the funeral of Vernon Blackley's mother Mrs. R. P. Blackley, who died Friday.

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school. He pays only utilities and passes on a car given him by a relative. The request was denied.

A farm laborer with nine children, in school, appeared. He is making \$25 payments, plus utilities. He is not working and does not receive commodities. He refused.

Another farm laborer with eight children, five in school, was refused. He pays \$25 per month rent, plus utilities, and has payments due on a 1954 car. He is not receiving commodities.

A divorcee with four children, three in school, appeared. She receives child support payments occasionally. She pays on utilities, and is not receiving commodities. The three children were approved for 30 days.

A woman whose husband is incarcerated appeared. She has give children in school and receives only \$135 per month in state welfare. The children were approved for 30 days.

Written request by a woman who recently moved to Morton was denied. She had sought free lunches for four children. Further investigation was asked by the board.

Next meeting was changed to Thursday, Feb. 22, at 7:30 p.m.

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Planning meet

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Community Promotion Programs," "Developing Strong Civic Leadership" and "Finding Industrial Prospects."

A question, answer and comment session will close out the seminar.

One of the seminar speakers is William L. Davis, a native of McAllen where he attended McAllen Public Schools.

He majored in Business Administration at Pan American College, Edinburg, and Trinity University, San Antonio, where he served as a class officer and business manager for the student yearbook. He is a graduate of the Institute for Chamber of Commerce Organization Management at the University of Houston.

Prior to joining the staff of the Texas Industrial Commission, Davis served as Assistant Manager of the Edinburg, Texas Chamber of Commerce and as manager of the Community Development Department of the South Texas Chamber of Commerce. While on the staff of the South Texas Chamber, Davis also served as editor of the chamber's monthly South Texan Magazine.

Davis moved to his present Commission post as Industrial Development Consultant for South Texas from Beeville, where he served as Executive Vice-President of the Beeville and Bee County Chamber of Commerce.

He is a member of the Texas Chamber of Commerce Managers Association, the Texas Industrial Development Council and a former director of the Chambers of Commerce Managers and Secretaries Association of South Texas.

Davis is married and resides in Austin.



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Farm Family of the Year . . .

THE L. T. LEMONS FAMILY was honored Friday night by the Morton Area Chamber of Commerce after having

been selected as the top farm family for 1967. At top are Ricky, Dale and Dennis; second row are Mrs. Lemons, Mr. Lemons and Treva. At the bottom is Donnie. (Staff Photo)

Bobby McCarver takes part in Navy exercise

Machinist Mate Fireman Bobby J. McCarver, USN, of Morton participated in "Bead Stringer" as a crewmember aboard the guided missile light cruiser USS Oklahoma City.

"Bead Stringer," a U. S. First Fleet training exercise, was held off the coast of Southern California and lasted from January 4 through the 13th. It was planned to prepare the 23 ships and nine air units that participated, for conditions prevailing in Southeast Asia.

The exercise included advanced training in surface warfare tactics, anti-submarine, air and PT boat warfare operations, and shore bombardment. It was highlighted by surface-to-air missiles fired against drone aerial targets, live rocket and bombing attacks against targets in the San Clemente and Chocolate Mountain impact ranges, surface gunnery and air strikes to sink the target ship Ex-USS Abercrombie.

Peggy Cheek, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cheek, and a senior student at Wayland College visited in the home of her parents over the weekend.

Judy White who is a student at LCC and a friend from Memphis, Tenn., visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. Nell White, over the weekend.



Chamber speakers . . .

TALKING SHOP are Tommy Hawkins, left, outgoing Chamber president who made a brief talk at the C-C banquet on the past year's activities, and Arthur B. Watkins of Lubbock, principal speaker. (Staff Photo)



Miss Opal Bogard

Mrs. Richard Houston TOPS guest speaker

Guest speaker at the "Lighter Later" TOPS Club Jan. 10 was Mrs. Richard Houston, a local beautician who demonstrated the proper application of make-up to 13 members.

Her model was Rita Thomas. Pat Clayton, club president announced that Gene Bridges had won the \$10.00 prize for losing the most weight during the last six weeks. The club's next contest will include

a gift for the best loser and also for the KOPS that stays nearest her goal. This week's best weight loss was recorded for Dorothy Jerden.

Secret Pals will be revealed at the Jan. 17 meeting which will be held in Wilma Dolle's home. It will be a low calorie luncheon honoring the queen of the year.

Phone your NEWS to 266-5377

Roberts-Bogard plans for wedding revealed

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Edward of Bula announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Opal, to Delbert Roberts, son of Mrs. C. C. Roberts of McCamey. The couple will be married at 4 p.m., January 21 at the Bula Methodist Church.

Relatives and close friends of the couple are to attend the ceremony. Following the wedding, there will be a reception in the fellowship hall of the church. The bride-elect is a graduate of the Bula High School and Wayland College, Plainview. The prospective bridegroom graduated from McCamey High School and is currently employed by the Texas Department of Public Safety in Houston.

Billy Weems is named PCA vice president

Changes in titles of employees and officers of the Lubbock Production Credit Association, has been announced by C. E. Hicks of Meadow, Chairman of the Board.

Hicks said the changes are under a re-organizational structure which has been approved by the Farm Credit Administration. The revised set up, Hicks said, is optional to the Production Credit Associations. He said that Texas is the first of the 12 Districts to adopt such a system.

Billy Weems who was previously Field Officer Manager of the Morton Field Office is now Vice President.

Alton Strickland, previously general manager, now is President and Jack Condra

is 1st Vice President.

Cleve Littlepage of Tahoka is Vice Chairman of the Board. Other Board members are Dewey E. Wells, Ralls, A. B. Roberts, Levelland and W. H. Griffith, Seminole.

Benny Martin is Secretary and Asst. Treasurer and Eloise Maynard is Treasurer and Asst. Secretary. Vice Presidents in charge of field offices other than Weems are: Jesse Dorman, Levelland; Dave Sooter, Seminole, John Ball, Brownfield; Dwain Lusk, Tahoka; Forrest Burnham, Ralls, and Edwin Althof, Lubbock.

Assistant Vice Presidents are Arnold Brown, Levelland, Lynn Strickland, Brownfield, and Lester Ericson, Seminole.

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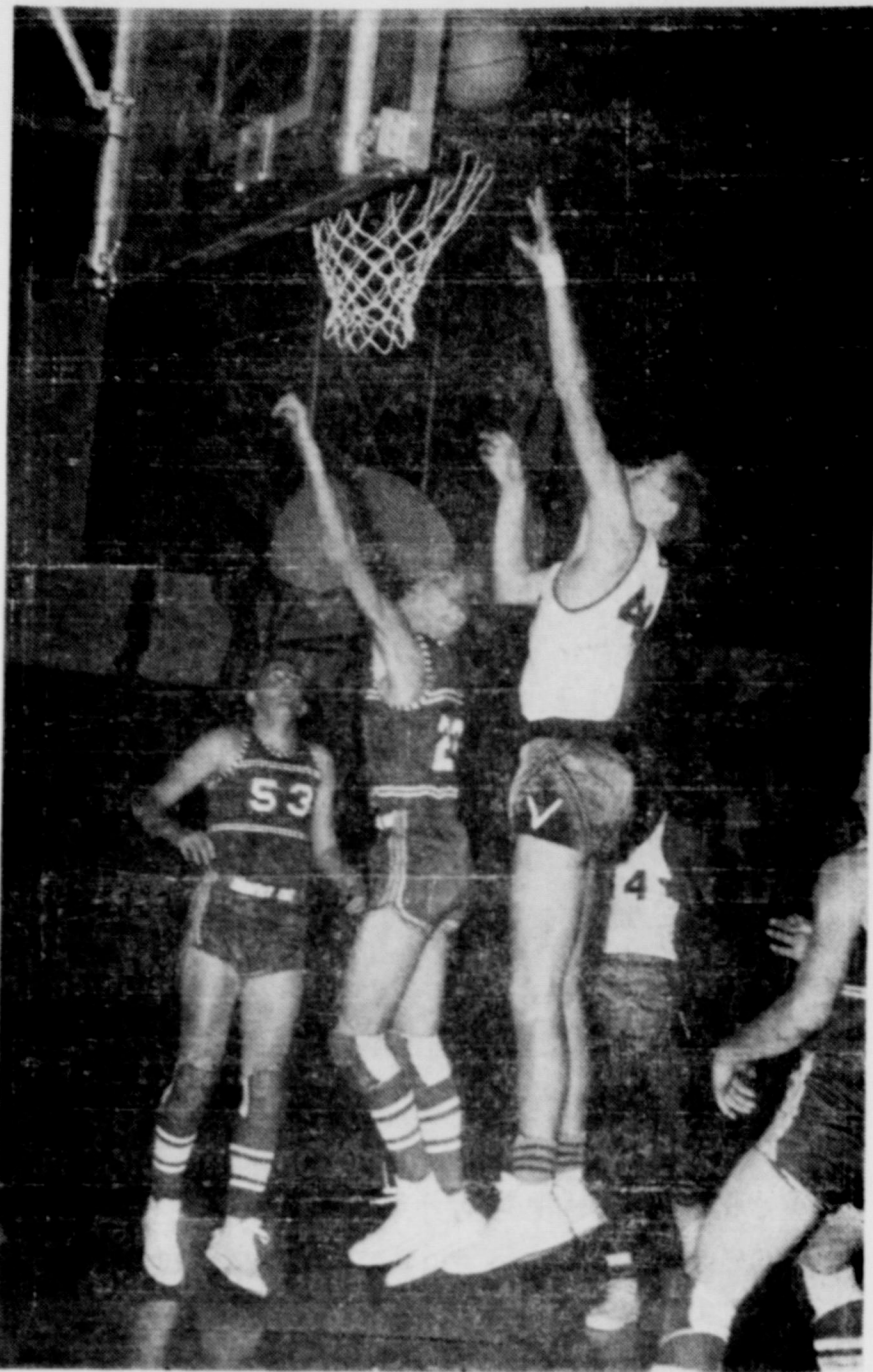
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From the left . . .

RUSTY ROWDEN, who shoots equally well with either hand, puts this one up left-handed as he finds he has a height advantage over his defending Denver City Mustang. Rowden, a 61 junior, hit for 21 points and Byron Willis got 28 to pace Morton to a 62-50 win. (Staff Photo)

T hru he telescope by uck

About the only good thing I can say about some of the weeks I've experienced lately is that they made for good column material. And this has been a real dandy.

Younger son isn't wounded again, just ill. He got the flu last week and hasn't been able to shake it. Our sister-in-law, Mrs. George Tuck, was ill the latter part of the week and just kept getting worse. By Saturday she was in bed and just able to whisper. She missed her grandparents' 50th wedding anniversary, but was consoled somewhat when one of her brothers came by with his new bride to spend the night.

Come Monday morning and brother George was sick. The bridegroom took both of them to the doctor. George was immediately given a room in the hospital and told to stay there to recover from flu and severe bronchial congestion. Mary Lynn should have been in the hospital, but wouldn't hear of it. So she came to stay with us. Meanwhile, our older son had come down with the flu.

Wife Jennie was feeling kinda puny, but not bad enough to go to bed. It was a bit frantic scurrying around trying to gather news, take pictures, get ads, print pictures, write heads, lay-out ads and keep tabs on the sick.

Came Monday evening . . . and the hot water heater developed a leak. There was no cut-off valve for the tank and the drain spout for the \$4?! thing was rusted shut. No plumbers were available that night . . . so we filled up pots, pans and other assorted containers, and turned off the water outside. That situation lasted all night, with the minutes punctuated by the "Drip! Drip!" of water into a pan. Bill Harris, bless his heart, arrived at 7:30 a.m. Tuesday, looked at all the sick bodies scattered throughout the house, and bravely set about installing a new water heater.

We are happy to report that all the sick folks are improving Wednesday and hope that this will soon fade into the memory of trials endured along life's primrose path. Personally, I'm ready to get loose from the thorns and start smelling the roses again.

My, hasn't the weather been pretty the last few days? The weekend and on through Tuesday were just beautiful and more usual than the weeks and weeks of cold weather that came in December and early January. But the winter is just really getting started and we should have a lot

more cold and wet days before spring makes an appearance. We really expect this will be a wet winter before it is done . . . and we could use one.

It's nice to hear that a Hospital Auxiliary will be formed in Morton Thursday night. The meeting is set for 7:30 p.m. in the County Activity Building, and everyone is invited to be present.

The annual Chamber of Commerce banquet last Friday night was a dandy. There was a big crowd on hand and everything seemed to go well. We know that most of those present would like to have heard more from Arthur B. Watkins, the guest speaker. What most of them didn't realize was that he spoke about 20 minutes. When a speaker sits down while the audience wants more, it's the sign of a good speaker. It was also nice to hear that the banquet didn't lose money this year; in fact, it made a little for a change.

Morton's seventh and eighth grade teams played twice during the past week. The seventh grade lost both their outings, 32-43 to Brownfield and 26-36 to Denver City. The eighth graders took both their games, 33-25 over Brownfield and 37-35 from Denver City. The youngsters will be busy during the coming week. Thursday, Jan. 18, the seventh, eighth and freshmen teams will go to Plains; on Saturday, Jan. 20, Seagraves will be here for three games; and on Monday, Jan. 22, the seventh and eighth will go to Muleshoe. First game of all three sessions will be at 5:30 p.m.

Meanwhile, the varsity took Denver City's measure here Tuesday night and kept their hopes alive in district play. The varsity will play at Frenship Friday night, then come home for five straight games. The Indians really need your support now as they come down the stretch. Besides, you will see some fine basketball. The B games start at 6:15 p.m. and the varsity tilts at 7:30 p.m.

The full-color cover of the new edition of the Parade of Progress book, just released, is a lovely photograph of Melinda Weaver, 3, and her cousin, Julie Wienke, 4, from Petersburg. Melinda is the daughter of Morton head football coach Fred Weaver and his pretty wife. The girls were photographed while visiting their grandparents in Lubbock.

Caused by a tiny virus, that's true, But you're mighty ill with the flu. What with fever, chills and no strength Victims are lucky a week is its length!

Demo women hold new officers luncheon

The Democratic Women of the Cochran County Area installed new officers at their meeting January 10. A lovely buffet luncheon was enjoyed by 20 members, three new members, and four guests. In addition to Mrs. Davis, other guests attending the meeting with her from Lubbock were Mrs. Preston Smith, Mrs. Howard Davison and Mrs. J. M. Hall. Mr. and Mrs. Loyd McMaster and daughters spent the weekend in Seminole visiting relatives.

lic relations chairman Mrs. H. B. Barker and treasurer Mrs. Bill Wood.

Roberts Nursing home has regular meeting

The monthly meeting of the Roberts Nursing home staff was held Monday, January 15, at 3:30 p.m. A general discussion was held about improvements for the home and upgrading for the home which will be discussed on the next meeting.

There were 15 members present: President, L.V.N. Bertha Roberts, Sec. L.V.N., Jane Vinson; Manager, Mrs. Pearl Kobs, Joe Morales, Norris Lebow, Katie Turner, Delia Gonzales, Mal Humphries, Diane Richardson, Nine Wall, Frank Sandoval, Pruda Coffman, Aracelia Gonzales, and Vickie Morales. A going-away gift was presented to Delia Gonzales by Mrs. Pearl Kobs and staff.

Dr. Wm. Grubbs will be in Houston Feb. 22-24 attending an optometric seminar. His office will not be open in Morton on Wednesday, Feb. 21.

★ Homecoming

The 1968 Pep homecoming will be held on Saturday, Jan. 27. Registration will begin at 4:30 p.m. A basketball game will start at 5 p.m. with dinner at 6 p.m. and the dance at 9 p.m. The cost of the dinner will be \$1.25. All past and present teachers and coaches will be honored this year.



Mrs. Harold Dean Nichols nee Leslie Jean Brashear

Leslie Brashear is wed to Harold Dean Nichols Dec. 26

By J. D. BAYLESS

Miss Leslie Jean Brashear became the bride of Harold Dean Nichols in an impressive double ring ceremony in the Calvary Baptist Church, Lubbock, December 26, 7:30 p.m. with Rev. Ralph Edwards, cousin of the bride, performing the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Brashear of Route 1, Idalou. Parents of the bridegroom are Mrs. L. E. Nichols and the late L. E. Nichols of Enochs.

Escorted and presented in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal length gown of lace over bridal satin. The gown was fashioned with a bateau neckline, long pearl point sleeves, a-line skirt and wateau panel which fell from a large bow at the neckline. A double cascading petal caplet of peau, held a shoulder length veil of illusion.

The bride carried an arrangement of gardenias and stephanotis and a white Bible.

Maid of honor was Miss Martha Brashear, sister of the bride. Matron of honor was Mrs. Robert Cogburn from Savannah, Ga., sister of the bride. Bride's Matron was Mrs. L. B. Davis sister of the bridegroom. Bridesmaid was Myriene Nichols, sister of the bridegroom. They wore a-line street-length dresses of navy blue bonded crepe and carried long stem red roses. Tracy Cogburn, niece of the bride from Savannah, Ga., was flower-girl and the candlelighters were Dale and Sammie Nichols, brothers of the bridegroom. Quinton

Nichols, Enochs, brother of the bridegroom served as best man. Groomsman were Sammie Nichols, Morton; Dale Nichols, Maple, and Gary Nichols, Enochs; brothers of the bridegroom.

Baskets of white gladiolas, fern greens and palm leaves made up the decorations at the church.

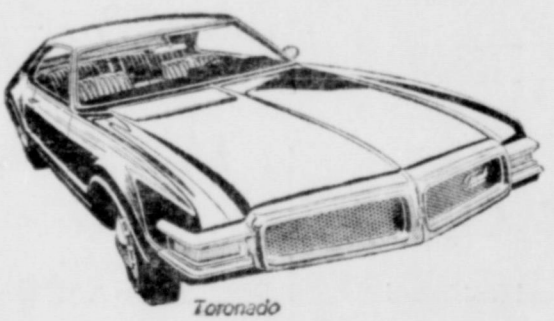
Following the wedding, a reception was in the fellowship hall of the church.

Miss Brashear and Dean Nichols were honored with a rehearsal dinner Saturday, December 23, at 8 p.m. in the home of Miss Myriene Nichols. Co-hostesses were Mrs. L. E. Nichols, Enochs, mother of the bridegroom and Mrs. L. B. Davis, Lubbock, sister of the bridegroom. Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Brashear of Idalou, parents of the bride and her sisters, Miss Martha Brashear and Mrs. Robert Cogburn, Savannah, Ga. After a wedding trip to Ruidoso, N.M., and points of interest, the couple will be at home at 2701-A 46th Street in Lubbock.

The bride is a 1959 graduate of Idalou High School and is a 1964 of Texas Tech with a B.S. degree in biology. She formerly taught in Crosbyton and New Home and is presently teaching in the Frenship school. Jean was a member of Tech Red Raiders band and also a member of Tau Beta Sigma and an honorary band sorority.

Nichols is a graduate of Bula High School and is presently engaged in farming in the Enochs community.

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MR. AND MRS. DOWE BRINKER of the Baileyboro community were honored by their children with a reception in honor of their 50th wedding anniversary. About 70 persons attended the affair Sunday. (Staff Photo)

Midland Carver's Hornets put sting into the Indians, 49-37

The Morton Indians invaded Midland Carver's gym Friday night with an attack that was colder than Christmas, but fought valiantly against the Hornets, Earl Carter's uncanny shooting and the towering height of 6-7 Harvey Clay. But the Hornets dropped the Indians, 49-37, in the district contest, the Indians' second loss in a row.

Playing one of their best defensive games of the year, Morton held Carver to just seven points the first quarter and kept the fabulous Carter some nine points under his average. Carter netted 24 for the Hornets with several of his points coming from his 20-foot jumpers from the corner.

The Indians grabbed a 1-0 lead on Wayne Thompson's free throw with nine seconds

gone, but after Carter had dumped in one of his many long jump shots followed by a baseline lay-up, the Hornets led 4-1 and were never headed.

Then the cold wave really struck. For nearly three minutes, neither team could find the basket until Rusty Rowden made it 4-3 with a short jump shot with the quarter halfway gone. Charlie Carter got the next Indian basket late in the period with a 15-foot jumper to leave the Indians trailing 7-5 at the buzzer. The Indians put the ball up 11 times, but connected for only two field goals through the first stanza.

As far as the Indians were concerned, the second quarter was a replay of the first. Hitting two of 11 and connecting on one free throw, was the limit of Mor-

ton's scoring. Halftime score 30-10. Morton looked like a different club throughout the second half, but the gap was too great. Carver led 43-24 going into the last quarter.

Morton was unable to overcome that lead, although outscoring the Hornets in the last quarter.

Rusty Rowden paced the Indians with 13, Dick Van had nine. Earl Carter led the Hornets with 24 and Jimmy Dixon connected for 16. Morton averaged only 27 percent from the field for the night.

Midland Carver won the B game 80-49. Dwayne Lightfoot led the winners with 20. Bob Hawkins had 17 for the young Indians. Bob Hobson added 10.

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Indians rip Denver City 62-50 and look toward two loop foes

Morton rode a pair of hot-shooting juniors and a strong defense into victory lane Tuesday night, downing the Denver City Mustangs 62-50. It was the first conference win for the Tribe after two set-backs. The Ponies are 0-3 in district play.

Byron Willis returned to action after missing six games because of a sprained ankle. He ripped in 28 points and Rusty Rowden dumped in another 21.

The Indians will travel to Frenship Friday night for another district outing and then will host the rugged Stanton Buffaloes on Tuesday night, Jan. 23. That will be the first of five straight home games.

Morton went into the game with Denver City knowing it had to win to stay in

contention for the district title, which is being sought by Midland Carver, Stanton, Slaton and Morton. Denver City, Post and Frenship hold the spoiler roles in the race for the crown.

After a slow start, Morton found the range against the Ponies midway through the first period. Denver City got a 6-2 lead early in the game. Morton took the lead, 10-7, on field goals by Willis and Rowden, plus two free throws by Willie Moore.

The Ponies got within one before Morton turned on the pressure with five quick points. Denver City got within a point, 15-14, but the Indians got another basket and a 17-14 margin after one quarter. With both Willis and Rowden bombing the nets, Morton stunned the Mustangs with inside baskets and had stretched the margin 36-23 at halftime.

Two fast baskets got Denver City within nine. But Donnie Harvey took his first shot and hit a two-pointer. Rowden added a free throw to gain a little more breathing room, 39-27. Late in the third period, the visitors got within seven, 41-34. Thompson netted a 17-footer and then added a free throw as Pat Hubbard fouled out for the Ponies with 1:06 left in the third stanza. The teams swapped field goals as Morton held a 46-36 edge going into the last period.

Morton garnered ten points in less than three minutes, while giving up only one free toss. That made it 56-47 and Coach Ted Whillock started sending in the reserves. Jimmy McKee fouled out for the visitors with 7:02 remaining. He had been whistled four times in the first half.

Morton had a 62-44 bulge with two minutes to go, then allowed Denver City three baskets in the final moments to narrow the gap to 62-50.

The Ponies were playing without the

Mother of Morton man dies in Anson

Mrs. R. P. Blackley, 77, longtime Jones County resident, died at 12:30 a.m. Friday in Anson General Hospital.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in the Anson Church of Christ, with Curtis Ramey, president of Fort Worth Christian College officiating.

Burial was in the Mt. Hope Cemetery under the direction of Lawrence Funeral Home.

Born Flossie Henderson Oct. 18, 1890, in Weakley Co., Tenn., she moved with her family to Dallas in 1900 and to Jones County in 1904. She married Romby P. Blackley July 15, 1909, at Vernon. They lived and farmed in Anson all of their married lives.

Mr. Blackley was a special service officer for Jones County Sheriff's office for several years and was serving his second term as County Commissioner when he died July 8, 1943. Mrs. Blackley was a member of the Church of Christ since a young woman.

Survivors include: three sons, Vernon of Morton, R. P. Jr. of Olney, and Ervine L. of Graham; one daughter Mrs. A. L. Criswell of Tuyunga, Calif.; two brothers, E. K. of Dallas, W. V. Henderson of Fayetteville, Ark.; one sister, Josie Holtzclaw of

services of their top scorer and rebounder. Dwayne Young missed the trip because of flu.

It was a different story with the B game as Morton fell behind early and then committed too many mistakes trying to catch up. The young Indians trailed 15-17, 26-31 and 38-42 and lost 53-62. Bob Hawkins had 16, Jerry Steed 14 and Bob Hobson 10 for the Tribe. Four of the Ponies were in double figures, led by Don Taylor's 15.

San Gabriel, Calif.; 14 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION AND WELFARE

Regional Office
 Bureau of Health Insurance
 114 Commerce Street
 Dallas, Texas 75202

December 27, 1967

Mr. Glen Thompson
 Cochran Memorial Hospital
 200 East Grant
 Morton, Texas 79346

Dear Mr. Thompson:

On the basis of the information you provided our office during the recent telephone conversation, it seems evident that the operation of the Cochran Memorial Hospital will change at the close of business on December 31, 1967. It is our understanding that the corporation which has been operating the facility will be dissolved and the newly formed hospital district will assume the responsibility for operating the institution effective January 1, 1968.

Since the corporation continued to operate the hospital after the hospital district was formed and will continue to operate it through December 31, 1967, our previous letters were incorrect in referring to an earlier date as the date of ownership change. We regret any inconvenience this may have caused you.

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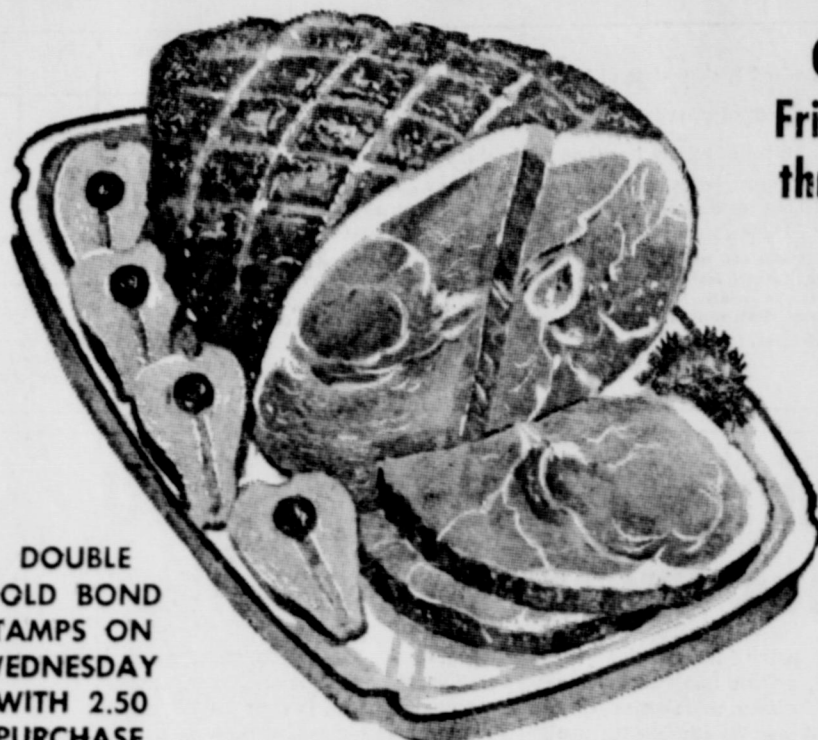
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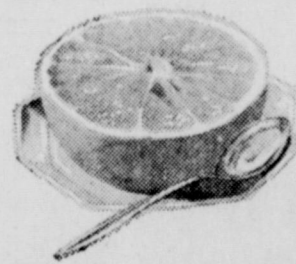
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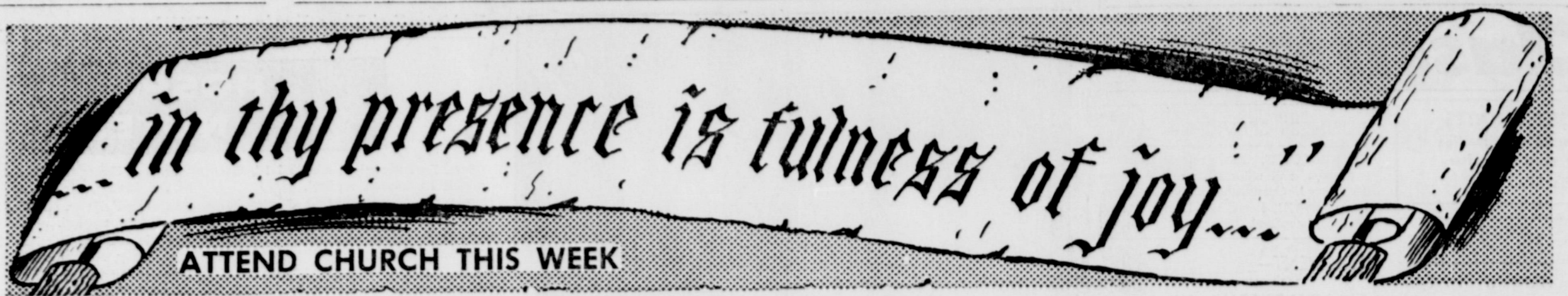
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Tuesdays—
Evening Bible Study — 8 p.m.
Thursdays—
Evening Prayer Meet — 8:00 p.m.

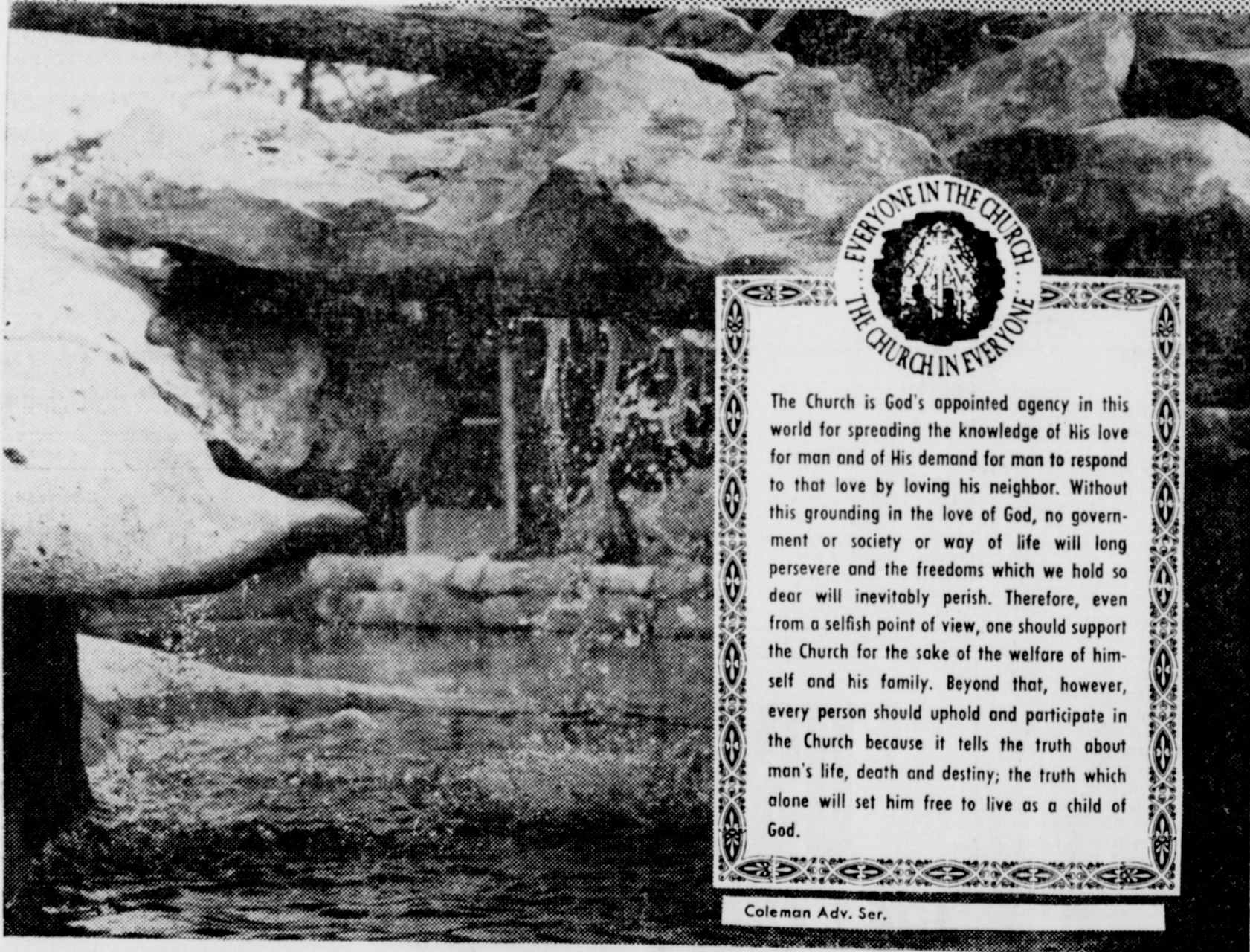
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**EAST SIDE
CHURCH OF CHRIST**
Cecil Williams, Minister
704 East Taylor

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.

MANMADE

A man made this beautiful little waterfall and improved his part of a little stream that ran by his house. Another man on another stream threw trash in the water and let weeds grow up around it so that the beauty of the creek was obscured. Man fashions many things out of that which God has created. Beauty or ugliness can result from our decisions as to what we will do with divine raw materials. Dedication to God and the desire to emulate Him usually makes the difference in what we do with what God has provided. Let God find you in His church.



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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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—
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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**FIRST MISSIONARY
BAPTIST CHURCH**
William S. Hobson, Pastor
Main and Taylor

Radio Broadcast — 8:00 a.m.
Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship — 10:45 a.m.
Training Service — 7:00 p.m.
Evening Worship — 6:00 p.m.
Monday—
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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ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
The Rev. David Greka, Pastor
8th and Washington Sts.

Mass Schedule—
Sunday — 9:00 and 11:15 a.m.
Monday — 7:30 p.m.
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,
10:00 - 11:00 a.m.
Confessions—Sunday
Half hour before Mass.
Baptisms: 12 noon Sunday
and by appointment

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**FIRST BAPTIST MEXICAN
MISSION**
Moses Padilla

Sundays—
Sunday School — 10:00 a.m.
Training Union — 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship — 7:30 p.m.
Wednesdays — 7:30 p.m.

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**NEW TRINITY BAPTIST
CHURCH**

Rev. Willie Johnson
3rd and Jackson

Sundays—
Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship Second
and Fourth Sundays — 11:0 a.m.
H.M.S. — 4:00 p.m.
Wednesdays—
Prayer Service — 7:00 p.m.

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