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District court docket loaded

Activities in the 121st District Court of District Judge M. C. Ledbetter reached a torrid pace this week.

The Cochran County Grand Jury sat in all-day session Monday, juries were being selected Tuesday for civil suits to be tried this week and a petit jury panel was called for a heavy docket of criminal cases scheduled for trial beginning September 19.

The Grand Jury, under foremanship of Orville Tilger, returned five indictments involving three persons, no-billed one and passed on one case in its session here.

Armando Barrera, 20, of Morton was indicted on two counts of forging and passing and on one count of theft over \$50. One true bill alleges that Barrera on or about July 2, 1972 forged and passed a check in the amount of \$45 to Lesseil House. A second indictment charges Barrera with passing on the same date a worthless check in the amount of \$125 to Trevia Grisham.

The third indictment charges Barrera with theft of a Honda 450 motorcycle from Johnny Cisneros which has a value exceeding \$50. The theft also allegedly took place on or about July 2, 1972.

Bond on each count was set at \$1,000. Barrera had not posted bond and was still in custody of the sheriff at press time Wednesday.

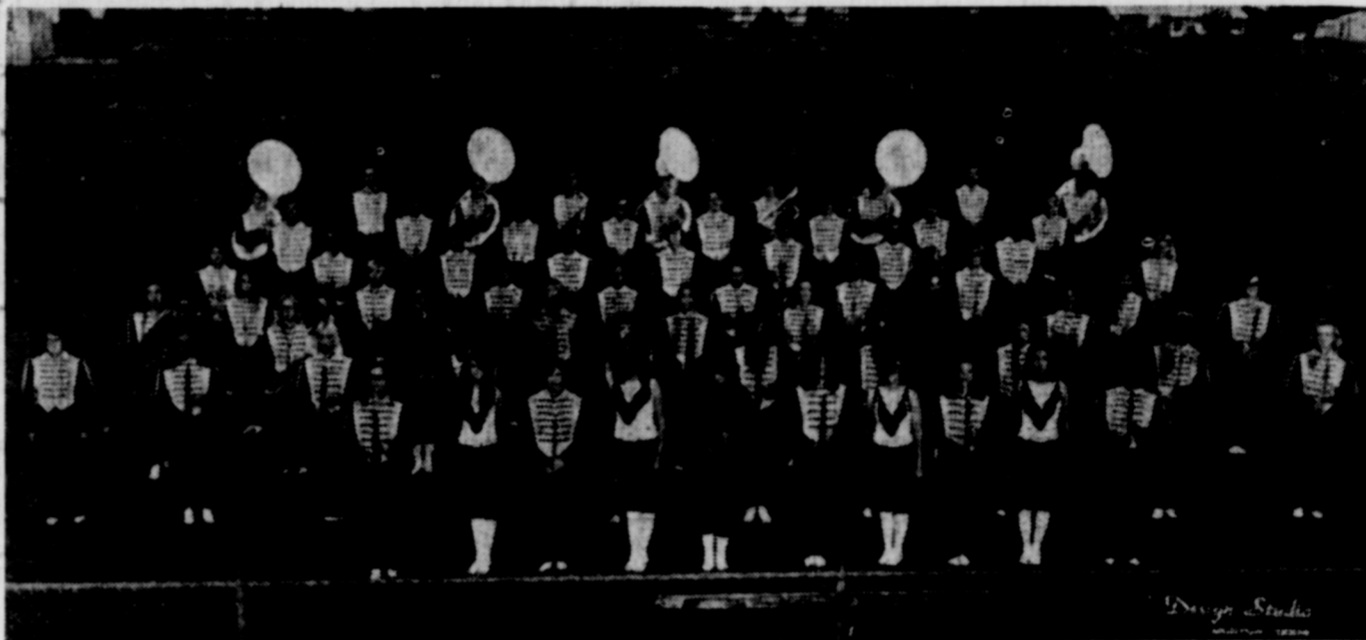
A true bill was returned against Weldon Reed of Clovis, New Mexico charging him with embezzlement and theft in an amount of over \$50. The indictment alleges on or about January 14, 1972 that Reed, while acting as agent for W. E. Medlock, fraudulently embezzled, misapplied and converted to his own use lawful money in an amount over \$50 by embezzling over 24,000 pounds of alfalfa hay which was property belonging to Medlock.

Bail in the case was set at \$2,500. According to information released by County Sheriff Hazel Hancock, the appropriate papers have been forwarded to law enforcement officials at Clovis to have Reed returned here and his exact disposition at press time was not known.

Erminio A. Navarro, 19, of Petersberg, was indicted on a charge of forgery and attempt to pass a forged instrument. He allegedly forged and passed on September 9, 1972 a worthless check in the amount of \$82 to Bill Bickett. Bond of \$1,000 was posted by Navarro who was released awaiting arraignment.

Arrangement on the five indictments has been set by Judge Ledbetter for October 2, 1972.

Twenty-two criminal cases have been set for trial in Morton beginning on September 19. See COURT, Page 2a



INDIAN MARCHING BAND . . .

FURNISHING THE FIGHTING MUSIC to keep the Indian athletic teams in a fighting mood again this year will be the band shown above under the leadership of bandmaster John Stockdale. The band has built a good

reputation on the South Plains over the years for both individual and unit achievement. It will perform at every football game played by the Indians.

AT FROM THE BLUE . . .

WELL, MAYBE NOT THE BLUE, but from somewhat darker skies, came the light of lightning that struck this house on E. 5th Street and made the rather round hole in the roof during a violent electrical storm last Wednesday night. The Morton fire department doused the flames in short order but before they had gutted a good portion of the unoccupied dwelling. Three neighborhood children, above, stand in awe of the unknown forces.

Elementary students will take part in Kaleidoscope

Morton Elementary School students will be taking part in Kaleidoscope, a creative program for children next week. Presented as a public service by Hallmark Cards, Inc., Kaleidoscope will be held at the Women's Building. Buses will transport the youngsters to Levelland to participate during regular school hours during the morning of September 20. A preview showing will be held Tuesday at 10 p. m. for local civic leaders, art teachers, supervisors and educators. The program is by invitation.

Miss Janice Tapper, associate director of Kaleidoscope and an experienced educator, will be in Levelland for the opening of the program. According to Miss Tapper, Kaleidoscope grew out of the conviction that creative development of our children is essential to the nation's continued progress and months of research and testing went into the creation of Kaleidoscope, and the determining factor was always the children.

The creative experience begins in an area to spark a child's curiosity. A three-dimensional walkway of art, encased in smooth plastic, leads through an "Idea Room", where children are stimulated by sight, color and sound. Experience comes in a "Studio Workshop."

Children work with felt and yarn, melted crayon, colored plastic and fluorescent paper. Everything created in the workshop may be taken home. Materials, equipment and instructions are provided by Hallmark. All that the children supply is imagination.

Paper drive mounted to aid kidney patient

Thanks to the Cochran Memorial Hospital Auxiliary and Mrs. Mary Hall, a large load of papers left for Brownfield morning to aid kidney patient Jerry Brown, 20, of Brownfield, whose wife is to have a baby in October, has been waiting treatment at John Sealey Hospital in Galveston awaiting a kidney trans-

plant. Paper drives are being conducted to help defray medical expenses. Papers are being sold to an Amarillo firm recycling.

Mrs. Hall first heard of the paper drive from friends in Dimmitt who were conducting a drive in that city. "Since Dimmitt is our neighbor, I felt we should help," Mrs. Hall said. She contacted Mrs. Bess Tilger of the Cochran Memorial Hospital Auxiliary and immediately the members started making calls, asking neighbors to save their old newspapers. As a result in less than a week the first load of papers left Morton. According to Mrs. Tilger, other trucks are leaving later this week. She has asked that anyone having papers to donate to tie them and take them to the Wash Laundry on the Levelland Highway. Or call her at 266-5009 or Mrs. Brown at 266-5972 and they will make arrangements to have them picked up.

Principal announces MHS class officers

Officers who will be leading the various classes at MHS and their sponsors were announced by High School principal Ken Baker.

Senior class officers elected were: president, Rick Williams; vice president, Sam Grant; secretary-treasurer, Ann Baker; reporter, Rosa White and student council representatives are Ted Thomas and Debbie Bryan. Class Sponsors are Inez Knox and Coach Doug Reed. Junior class will be led by Ralph Baker as president; Debbie Williams, vice president; Marie Wilcox, secretary; Kevin Baker, treasurer and Steve Thomas and the Crow will be student council representatives. Sponsors are Mrs. Melba Baker, Mrs. Harriett Phillips, Tom Rush and Robert Watkins.

sophomore class officers elected were: president, Charles Rice; vice president, Ed McClung; secretary-treasurer, Bob Mason; reporter, Cindy Tanner and student council representative, Vicki Hall. Lanora Jackson and Coach Ted Stock will sponsor the class.

Freshman class officers elected were: president, Randy Cole; vice president secretary-treasurer, Sarah Hodge and student council representatives are Malcolm Coleman and John Jones. Mrs. Peggy Silhan and Ted Brown were named sponsors for the



LOTS OF CATSUP ON THE VINE . . .

TEN ACRES OF GROUND can grow enough tomatoes to build you a river of catsup, as the above Girlstown USA residents swiftly learned when they arrived at the Richardson farm southeast of Morton to pick some for use at the home. Approximately 30 girls picked an esti-

mated ton of tomatoes in the course of two hours of work. The tomatoes, grown by Charles Abbe of Maple, are yielding an estimated 20 tons to the acre and are being sold locally and shipped by truck to a cannery in Houston.

Smarting Tribe 'Hornet-bound'

Still smarting from a 13-0 shellacking applied to them by the ball-hawking, sharp tackling Springlake-Earth Wolverines before the home town crowd Friday night, the Tribe will face a stinging swarm of Tulia Hornets in their home nesting grounds tomorrow night.

Boasting 16 returning lettermen and a long suit of experience, the Hornets were reclassified downward from Class AAA to District 4AA this year after several years experience in competition with the higher class schools. In nondistrict play last year, they went 4-0-1 against AA schools and

allowed only six points in the process.

Head coach, Bill Bryant can count on three defensive regulars and six offensive starters around which to build with promising newcomers from a squad that lost 11 seniors last year. Heading the list is big two-way tackle Tony Edwards, 6-3 210 senior, who was a second team all-star last year. Other standouts include offensive guards Don Cosby, 5-11 180, and Kerry Teafattler 5-11 165; offensive tackle Michael Fry, 6-0 180, and center Freddie Perez, 5-10 180. Gary Vaughn, 6-2 180, brings experience to one end position.

In the backfield the men to watch include powerful Robert Escobedo, 5-11 190, at fullback; Allen Ebeling, 5-11 155, at left and Russell Patton, 5-10 170 at the right halfback post.

Defensively, Patton and Vaughn will probably man the end positions with Edwards and Cosby at the tackles, Kenny McCaslin, 5-9 155, a 1971 starter, will hold down one linebacker slot and Freddie Brooks, 5-7 135, will lend his experience at cornerback. Secondary men to watch were 1971 returners David Jackson, 6-1 160, Ebeling and Tony Jones, 5-8 145.

The Hornets had a surprisingly tough time before finally stinging the Oton Mustangs with a 12-6 defeat Friday and could very well meet with further surprises on the part of the Morton Indians. Though stung hard by defeat at the hands of the Wolverines, the Tribesmen are far from feeling out of it and are looking forward to showing what they can do against a first class ball club.

"Our boys have put that ballgame behind them, it's forgotten," coach Doug

Reed said early this week. "They have been working mighty hard this week preparing for the Tulia game and that is all they have on their minds. They think, and I think, they have a lot of good football left in them and are strictly looking forward to getting after it. We have no serious injuries and should be in great shape

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Must be suffering from 'nicotine fit'

The burglar or burglars that smashed their way into Bill's Food Store on North Main early Saturday morning evidently don't know, or don't care, about hazards to their health. Their main concern seems to be in retaining the proper nicotine balance in their systems.

The thieves, who shattered the glass front door to gain entry, took away with them an estimated \$60 worth of those little packages with the health hazard warning printed on them and just to make sure they would always have a light for their coffin nails, they took along approximately ten cigarette lighters.

The \$3 in cash, the only other thing reported missing by the sheriff, will presumably be used to purchase fluid for the lighters, since their only area of interest seems to center on cigarettes and the use thereof.

The sheriff had uncovered no clues to the identity of the intruders by Wednesday and is continuing his investigation.

PCG produce-director election slated Wednesday

Cochran County cotton producers and agribusinessmen will elect a Producer-Director to Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. at a 12 noon luncheon meeting on Wednesday, September 20 at the County Activities Building, Morton. The meeting is being held in conjunction with the Lions Club luncheon, to which all participants in the County Farm Tour scheduled for the morning of September 20 are being invited.

Announcement of the election comes from Lloyd Miller of Morton, current Cochran County Producer Director to the 25-county commodity organization, and Courtney Sanders, also of Morton, Businessmen Director. Each of the counties in PCG territory has two directors, one a businessman, usually a cotton grower as well, and the other a cotton producer. They serve two-year terms, with businessmen elected on odd years and producers on even years. Each is eligible for re-election very second year.

Miller and Sanders said all interested parties are urged to attend, and that both farmers and businessmen are eligible to vote in the election.

In addition to the election, Miller said

a member or members of the PCG staff will be on hand "to bring us up to date on cotton activities and to answer any questions concerning the organization's objectives." He added "Directors to PCG are the men who determine the organization's policies and actions on legislation, research, promotion, finances and other matters so vital to the cotton economy of Cochran County, and all cotton people should make every effort to be on hand for this election."

★ Area FWC meet . . .

The Area Federated Womens Clubs will meet tonight at 8 p.m. in the County Activity Building.

Mrs. O. C. Rampley, Caprock District President, will be the guest speaker and a musical program will be presented by Mrs. Leonard Groves and her daughter, Patti.

All area club women are invited to attend.

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Bledsoe Independent School District has for sale and will accept sealed bids on a one bedroom frame dwelling, 20 ft. by 26 ft. in good condition. Said building must

Selection dates for '73 Maid of Cotton contest is announced

The National Cotton Council today announced the opening of the 1973 Maid of Cotton selection.

Twenty girls will be chosen from applications and state contests to participate in finals here Dec. 28-29. Winners of state or district events in Alabama, Arizona, New Mexico, and the South Plains of Texas are automatic finalists.

The 1973 Maid, who will succeed Debbie Wright of Talhoka, Texas, will represent the U. S. cotton industry as its official good will ambassador in this country and overseas. Her domestic tour will include a visit to Washington and other cities where she will participate in activities designed to increase public understanding of the cotton industry's contributions to the nation as a whole. Tentative plans call for fashion shows and public appearances in Thailand, Hong Kong, Japan, Korea and Thailand during her travels overseas. These countries are major customers for U. S. cotton exports.

Immediately following her selection as the industry's 35th ambassador, the 1973 Maid will make her first official appearance at the Cotton Bowl Festival in Dallas on New Year's Day. After completing her tour, she will return here to receive a new automobile as a gift from dealers in the five-state Memphis Ford District.

The Maid of Cotton selection is open to girls between 19 and 23 years of age who are at least five feet five inches tall and have never been married. Applicants also must have been born in a cotton-producing state or resided continuously in the Cotton Belt since the age of seven or earlier.

Application forms may be obtained by writing the Council at 1918 N. Parkway, Memphis 38112. Completed applications and required photographs must be submitted to the Council by midnight, Dec. 1.

be moved from lot.

Bids will be submitted to the Bledsoe Independent School District, Box 85, Bledsoe, Texas 79314 before 6 o'clock p. m. September 14.

Said bids will be opened at the Bledsoe Independent School Board meeting at 9 o'clock p. m. September 14.

The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

/s/ Wayne Coffman
President Bledsoe Independent School Board

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Local, area volunteers make HPRF open house a success

Success of the 16th Annual High Plains Research Foundation Field Day and Open House Thursday, September 14, will be due to the cooperation of local and area residents and organizations.

"Members of many area agricultural

organizations and businesses who help welcome visitors to the Foundation, set up displays and exhibits and serve as field tour guides have been responsible for past field day successes and the field day would not be possible without their help," Dr. Tom Longnecker, Foundation director, acknowledged.

"We always have had the greatest cooperation and reception from organizations and businesses of this area in our past endeavors and this spirit of cooperation has been shown again this year," he said.

"Our field day activities will be as good this year as in the past and everyone attending will receive a wealth of information concerning latest agricultural advancements," he stated.

Field Day activities begin with field

Court...

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ember 19. All announcements pertaining to the cases will be called for at 10 a. m. Monday, September 18 and all pleas of guilty and motions will be heard at that time.

The jury will report at 10 a. m. Tuesday for trial of these cases.

Criminal cases set for trial, followed by the name of the attorney for the defendant are as follows:

Larry Gene Bates, Burglary. Randy Thomas, Morton, attorney.

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Gerald Lynn Bates, Burglary. Warren G. Tabor, Levelland, attorney.

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Gerald Lynn Bates, Unlawful possession of a narcotic drug. Warren G. Tabor, Levelland, attorney.

Arnold Morales, Burglary of a private residence at night. Billy Hall, Littlefield, attorney.

Mike Fielding, burglary of a private residence at night. Travis Shelton, Lubbock, attorney.

Arnold Morales, Assault with intent to rape. Billy Hall, Littlefield, attorney.

Robert Wampler and Linda Wampler, Murder. George E. Gilkerson, Lubbock, attorney.

Ernest Solis, Assault with intent to murder. A. W. Salyars, Lubbock, attorney.

May Laverne Moore, Murder. Alvin R. Allison, attorney.

Paul Escobar, Jr., Malicious destruction of property. Randy Thomas, Morton, attorney.

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tours at 1:30 p. m. at the Foundation Halfway, 14 miles west of Plains Highway 70. On display will be Foundation facilities, research plots and equipment, agricultural chemicals, and feeds.

Among exhibits will be a triticale display featuring foods made from man-made grain. Triticale is a wheat and rye cross with a high protein content and is described as a new with potential for production in this area.

Other activities include drawing door prizes including savings bonds, color television. Everyone attending activities will be eligible for the prizes by the local and area merchants.

Activities will conclude about 5 p.

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News from Bula-Enochs area

and Mrs. Curtis Snitker and children were supper guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.C. last Saturday night.

Mrs. Abe Toews of Windson, was guests in the home of his Mrs. Alma Altman, Labor Day and family. Her sister, Agnes Toews, who has been visiting in Enochs for two weeks and other relatives returned home her brother.

Mrs. D. Bayless visited in the home with his brother, Roy Bayless, and also stopped at their brothers, and Coffman.

L. G. Fred was admitted to the hospital Sunday and underwent surgery Monday.

Nichols, Freda Layton and Corkey were home during the weekend.

Mrs. J. W. Layton left Monday for the funeral service of her Uncle, Lou Parker, held at 10 a. m. in Ft. Worth.

Mrs. Duane Clem of Ropesville in the Community Sunday afternoon and Mrs. C. C. Snitker were dinner

guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Snitker Tuesday.

Mrs. J. D. Bayless accompanied by her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Coffman of Morton drove to Odessa Thursday. They visited their children, Mrs. Myrtle Finley and family and David Coffman and family. They also stopped for a visit with a nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coffman and children, at Odessa.

Guests in the home of the J. W. Laytons Wednesday afternoon were her brother, Robert Lee Parker from Portland, Maine; her mother, Mrs. Irene Pake, of Heeford; also her sisters, Mrs. Maurice Hazard from Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Snow of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Crume of Bula, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Laton and family. They were all present to help Robert Lee celebrate his birthday. Lee Olan Chick of Borger and Mrs. Anna Mae Hampton from Gruver, a nephew and Olan Chick of Borger and Mrs. Anna Mae Hampton from Gruver, a nephew and a niece of the Laytons arrived Thursday. They drove to Midland Friday and returned Saturday all having supper with the J. E. Laytons. They spent the night

with the J. W. Laytons and returned home Sunday morning.

Mrs. Bertie McHoney of Las Vegas, N. M. spent last Saturday night with Rev. and Mrs. Charlie Shaw. Mrs. Shaw's parents the Leland Bakers, Okla. City were also guests Sunday afternoon till Tuesday.

The week of Prayer for state missions were observed at the Baptist Church Tuesday from 9-11 a. m. The program opened with a song, "Sweet Hour of Prayer," led by Sandra Austin with Mrs. L. E. Nichols at the piano. Sandra led in prayer. The theme was Christ is for Now... For All People. Mrs. L. E. Nichols was in charge of the program. Those having parts on the program were, Sandra, Louise McCall, Wanda Layton, Olive Shaw, Welma Petree, Loretta Layton, Rose Nichols, Ellen Bayless and Essie Seagler. There were 10 present.

Guests in the E. N. McCall home over the holiday weekend were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert George and children and Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Rowden and children of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bryant attended their family "The Hodges" 5th annual re-

union Sunday, Sept. 3, at the community Building, Center in Littlefield. Those attending were from Glynwood, Calif. Las Vegas Nevada, Whitney, Odessa, Andrews, Bedford, Van, Hale Center, Plainview, Happy, Dumas, Spade and Morton.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dale Nichols and family over the weekend were her nephews and niece, Monte, Duane, Barry and Venita of Morton.

Mrs. Lois Bacon of Glynwood, Calif. spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bryant.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Dane recently were his brothers, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dane from Ariz., Mr. and Mrs. Temple Dane and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Dane from Pilot Point.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wright attended the funeral services of his father, A. E. Wright, of Amarillo at 2 p. m. Sunday at the Hammonds Funeral Chapel in Littlefield. Burial was in the Littlefield Memorial Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blackman of Clarendon and Pat Carter of Livingston are visiting their mother, Mrs. Nettie Blackman, who is in the West Plains Rest Home in Muleshoe. Mr. and Mrs. Blackman spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bogard.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blackman visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Cash, in Portales, N. M. Sunday.



CITATION...

CPL. JOHNNY R. ARNOLD is shown with his commanding officer, Lt. Col. R. W. Kirby, following the presentation of the Philippine Presidential Unit Citation to the 2nd Battalion, 4th Marine, 3rd Marine Division.

About local folks...

Ronny Arnold is receiving basic training with the US Navy in San Diego. He left Morton August 26.

Miss Glorietta Gray, senior student at West Texas State College, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Connie Gray, over the Labor Day weekend. Glo is a 1970 graduate of Morton High School. According to Mrs. Gray she has been missing the Morton Tribune and asked to have it sent to her at Canyon.

Judge and Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter hosted their children and families in Ruidoso over the Labor Day weekend. All of their children were present except Charlie and his family of Denver, Colo. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Clyd Brownlow, Amy, Lee Ann, and Bryan of Amherst; Mr. and Mrs. Loy Kern, Rachel, Holly and Doug of Morton; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Kuehler, John David and Betsy of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Smart and Mr. and Mrs. Todd Fields of Lubbock.

Mrs. Glenn Kuehler and children are visiting with her parents while Glenn is in Dallas and Oklahoma in training. They will remain in Morton until the end of the month and then return to their home in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hodge of White Deer and their children, Sandy and Lisa, were Morton visitors over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Coats and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Wampler and Curtis of Irving visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Nessbitt. They also attended the 50th wedding anniversary of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Nessbitt. Robert returned to Irving and Linda and Curtis remained in Morton for an extended visit with her parents.

Mrs. Mayland Abbe and infant son, Matt, are guests of her mother, Mrs. James St. Clair, Young Matt, Lois' latest grandson, is the center of attention. He is also being proudly displayed by his other grandparents, the M. L. Abbes, of Maple.

Mrs. John Holden and children, Leslie and Wade, were weekend guests of her parents, the Oberhousers, of Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horn and children are presently visiting parents and other relatives in San Antonio.

Mrs. Charles Taylor accompanied her daughter, Mrs. T. Porter, of Pasadena home Tuesday for an undertermined visit. Mrs. Porter has been visiting her mother for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Neavitt of Houston were over night guests of her parents, the Joe Gipsons, Friday night. The Neavitts were returning to their home in Houston after two weeks visit with his mother in San Francisco. J. O. Neavitt of South Plains College joined her parents in Morton for a short visit.

Out of town guests in Morton for the 50th Wedding anniversary reception for

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Nessbitt Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Shield, Cynthia, Steve and Wesley of Idalou; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shields, Brandon and Jacqueline of Idalou; Mr. and Mrs. Terry Parten and W. T. of Flatt; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wampler and Curtis Lynn of Irving; Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Hooker, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barker, Hobart, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. O'Donald, Canyon; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cotton and Patsy, Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Bell and David Neal Bell, Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Goebel, Abernathy; Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Carroll, Plainview; Mr. low, Amherst, B. Kempson, Levelland, and Mrs. Dick McGinty, Plains, Mrs. Glen Kuehler, Houston; Mrs. Clyde Brown-Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nessbitt, Abernathy; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Nessbitt, Robbie and Tammy, Muleshoe; Floyd Nessbitt, Levelland and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Don Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rackley and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bell and Shiela all of Lubbock.

Mrs. S. A. Ramsey, Miss Rohda Lisenbee and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Ramsey, Renee and Mike spent Sunday in Seagraves visiting with relatives.

Acteens holds slumber party

Acteens, Christian girls Association, met Saturday night, Sept. 9, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Vanstory for an annual slumber party.

Sunday morning, pajama-clad, sleepy-eyed, prospects for new membership were brought to the Vanstory home for breakfast and a devotionals.

Plans for a new year were discussed by 18 girls and their leader.

Girls present for the slumber party were Peggy and Judy Steed, Arlene Crow, Debbie Berggren, Marie Wilcox, Kathy Mason, Cheryl McClung, Sherita Fluit, Sabrina Wells, and the hostess, Yvonna Vanstory. A returning member was Donna Coleman. New prospects were Pricilla Minor, Shelle Key, Beverly Bridges, Becky Standeford, Cindy Pierce, and Gay Waters.

The Lonely Heart



DISNEY CLASSIC - "Pinocchio" and his friend, Jiminy Cricket, are just two of the 100 Disney characters in eight big acts that "come to life" in the all-new and different edition of "Disney On Parade," the 2 1/2-hour live stage musical appearing for the first time in Lubbock at the Coliseum, Tuesday, Oct. 10-Sunday, Oct. 15.

WE PLEDGE

Quality Food at Big Savings

Specials Good Friday, Sept. 15 through Thursday, Sept. 21

Double Stamps Tuesday & Wednesday

DEL MONTE TUNA

Flat Can
2 for 89¢

ICE CREAM Cloverlake
1/2 GALLON **69¢**

Kleenex Paper TOWELS
Jumbo Roll
3 FOR \$1

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14-oz. Pkg.
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46-oz. Can
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No. 303 Can
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14.5-oz. Can
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14-oz. Can **\$1.29**

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8-oz. Can
3 FOR \$1

Wilson's VIENNAS
4-oz. Can
4 FOR \$1

GLEEM TOOTHPASTE
Extra Large **69¢**

NABISCO COOKIES Oatmeal, Assorted Fudge, Fig Newton, Chocolate Fudge
1-Lb. Pkg. **2 FOR 89¢**

BRECK SHAMPOO
7-oz. **98¢**

Red Rind CHEESE Lb. **89¢**

Decker BACON 1-LB. PKG. **79¢**

Decker Smoked SAUSAGE Lb. **89¢**

Groom and Clean HAIR DRESSING
3-oz. **89¢**

PEPSI COLA
6-Bottle Ctn. -Plus Deposit
39¢

Birdseye Frozen Mixed Vegetables **27¢**

Betty Crocker Hamburger Helper **49¢**
10-oz. Pkg.

Cabbage Lb. **5¢**

Celery Lb. **15¢**

Oranges Lb. **19¢**

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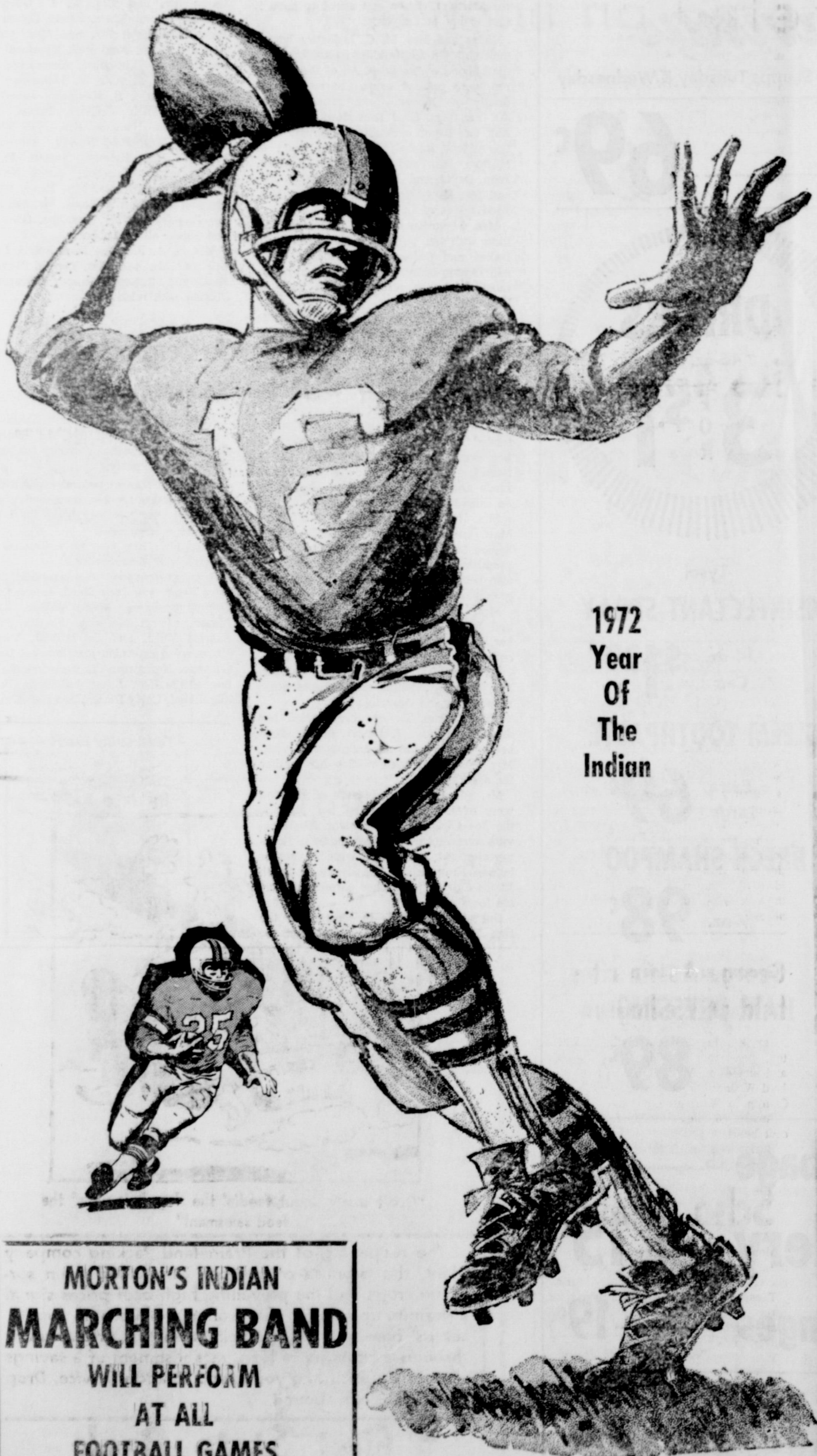
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HORNET STADIUM — TULIA

MORTON INDIANS

— vs. —

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MORTON'S INDIAN
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OF MORTON INDIANS

SEPTEMBER 8 —

SPRINGLAKE—EARTH

AT MORTON

SEPTEMBER 15 —

TULIA

AT TULIA

SEPTEMBER 22 —

HART

AT MORTON

SEPTEMBER 29 —

FRENSHIP

AT FRENSHIP

OCTOBER 6 —

STANTON

AT STANTON

OCTOBER 13 —

MULESHOE

AT MORTON

OCTOBER 27 —

OLTON

AT OLTON

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The informed consumer

Assume that you are a debtor who owes money on delinquent accounts to several creditors who have been pressing you for prompt payment.

There are a number of possible solutions clearing your credit record and seeing your creditors are satisfied as they should be.

However, the legal arrangement known as debt pooling or debt consolidation, a procedure which my office gets frequent inquiries about, should be used only under limited circumstances.

Debt pooling is defined by law as a contract between a debtor and any other person whereby the debtor deposits a specific amount of money with that person for distribution among the debtor's creditors.

In essence, the agreement usually involves the payment of a fee to the person making the payment for his services rendered. As a general rule, debt pooling is pro-

hibited by Texas law. Those who unlawfully engage in this practice are guilty of a misdemeanor and subject to a fine of not less than \$100 nor more than \$500 for each violation.

But the law provides for numerous instances where debt consolidation is allowed.

For example, banks, savings and loan associations, trust companies, and credit unions doing business under federal and state law are allowed to contract with a debtor for debt pooling where it occurs in the normal course of business activity.

Also exempted from the prohibitions against debt pooling are retail merchants associations and non-profit trade associations created for the purpose of collecting debts and credit data, any attorney at law, any government agency or subdivision, any judicial officer acting under court order, and non-profit debt counseling agencies.

In essence, almost any organization extending debt pooling when it occurs except small loan companies and private individuals may engage in the practice of rendering debt pooling services.

Before entering into any contract or agreement to consolidate your debts or turn them over to another for payment, it is recommended that you consult your family attorney for advice as to whether the party contracted with may legally engage in such practice.

A yearly physical checkup is a special safeguard against cancer. The American Cancer Society reminds everyone that it's not just you don't know about cancer that can hurt you.

About 967,000 veterans and servicemen are training under the current GI Bill. On June 1, the bill's sixth anniversary, Veterans Administration says.

THANK YOU!

Our grand opening in Morton was a huge success in spite of the rain. We owe it all to you, our customers. You have given us a warm, wonderful welcome to your town, and we are happy to now be a part of Morton.

If you haven't made it by our new store yet, we invite you to do so soon — and we think you will be glad you did.

We are anxious to meet you, become acquainted, and serve your automotive parts need.

MORTON AUTO SUPPLY — Kay Hanlin



FOLISHING UP ON THEIR RAH-RAH-RAHS . . .

LEADING THE CHEERS for Three Way High School (Maple) this year will be this group of spirit boosters who attended the annual Texas Tech University Cheer-

leader School in Lubbock this summer. Shown, from left, are Vanessa Powell, Debbie Furgeson (Front), Kandy Sowder and Cindy Hanna.

Nesbitts feted on anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Nesbitt celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday with a reception in their home.

Hosting the reception were the couples five children; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Nesbitt, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby L. Taylor and Mrs. Louis Talley all of Morton, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Shields of Idalou and Floyd Nesbitt

of Levelland.

Granddaughters of the couple alternated at the serving table and registering table.

The serving table was covered with a white net and lace cloth decorated with white felt bells trimmed in white and gold sequins. A four tiered wedding cake decorated with gold flowers topped with white bells and the numberals 50 set in net, centered the table and was flanked with an arrangement of gold and bronze mums in a white candelabra holding 5 gold candles.

Guests were registered at a table fea-

turing a 50th anniversary candle.

Fifteen of the couples 18 grandchildren were present.

Special guests were Mrs. Nesbitt's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller of Lubbock, and her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baker of Holbart, Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Hooker of Wichita Falls and Nesbitt's two brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nesbitt of Abernathy, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nesbitt of Lubbock and his sisters, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. O'Donnell of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bell of Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cotton of Littlefield.

Calling all county youngsters: it's 4-H enrollment time again

September is enrollment month for 4H Clubs, according to Cochran County Extension Agents Roy L. McClung, Jr. and Miss Gail O'Neal.

What is 4H? 4H is a national youth program. Members may be found in urban, suburban, and rural areas. About 76 countries now have 4H type programs. World membership of 4H is over 5,000,000 boys and girls.

What is a 4H Club? A 4H Club is an organized group of boys and girls who are interested in new experiences and gaining skills. Members take projects and participate in a variety of activities. The members run their own club, elect officers, help plan and hold meetings and develop their own program. Leadership and citizenship development are two of the greatest benefits of 4H Club membership.

Who joins 4H? Anyone interested between grade 3 through High School regardless of race, color, or national origin. There is no entry or initiation fee. Each member usually is responsible for financing his or her own project.

What are the Aims of 4H? Four H helps boys and girls take part in group activities with friends; discover new skills and ideas; become well developed individuals through wise guidance in varied experiences.

George Austin rites held at Wellington

Services for George Austin of Wellington, step-father of Judge M. C. Ledbetter and uncle of Mrs. Hume Russell, were held Wednesday at 2 p. m. in the Baptist Church in Wellington.

Austin, 86, died Monday following a recent heart attack.

Burial was in Childress cemetery.

School menu

Monday, September 18, chicken w/noodles, seasoned lima beans, kraut salad, sliced peaches, hot rolls-butter, milk.

Tuesday, September 19, baked pork chops, whipped potatoes, June pea salad, pink apple sauce with cookies, hot roll butter, milk.

Wednesday, September 20, hamburger on bun, lettuce and tomato, baked pork and beans, fudge cake, hot rolls and butter, milk.

Thursday, September 21, bat-b-que beef, potato salad, buttered spinach, fudge cake, hot rolls, butter and milk.

Friday, September 22, corn chip pie, pin-to beans, tomato salad, jello with fruit, hot cornbread and milk.

Lubbock SBA office announces record business for year

A record year ending June 30, 1972, was recorded by the Lubbock District Office of the Small Business Administration. The Lubbock district comprises an 81-county area of West Texas. The financial assistance granted by this office amounted to 564 loans totaling \$34.2 million. This is an increase of 273 per cent over the previous year.

Philip J. O'Hibway, District Director, stated the increased business activity was due, principally, to the general economic growth of West Texas. The increased participation of the banks and savings and loans institutions has contributed greatly to the increased activity; approximately

Mrs. Griffith hosts President's brunch

The Town and Country Study Club met Saturday, September 9, in the home of Mrs. Ray Griffith for the annual President's Brunch.

Members voted to send a gift in honor of Mrs. Leroy Johnson's husband to Girlstown, Johnson is in Houston for treatment for a recent illness.

Other voting resulted in plans for each member to plant a red tulip at the cemetery, subject to city approval.

Members present were Mrs. Roy Hill, A. A. Fralin, W. C. Gray, Willard Henry, Ross Shaw, Cherylone Inglis, Kermit Ward, Lovell Jackson, Wayne Wilcox, Miss Lanore Jackson and the hostess, Mrs. Solomon Hamilton and Mrs. Willard Franklin were guests.

The next meeting will be Oct. 4 in the home of Mrs. Ross Shaw.

In March 1971, 65 per cent of the women in the labor force — approximately 20.6 million women — were living with husbands or dependent children, or both.

You can't get a good job without experience. We'll give you both.

There are plenty of jobs in the want ads. Unfortunately, almost all the good ones ask for experienced help. But, in today's Army, we'll hire you at \$288 a month to start. No experience necessary. We'll give you free meals, free medical and dental care, and 30 days paid vacation a year. And the training and experience in almost any job you want. A job you can make a career of. In the Army, or out of it. To get complete details talk it over with your local Army Representative. Today's Army wants to join you. Call 806-747-3711 Ex. 617 1205 Texas Ave., Lubbock

Autumn Bursts Through!

You can color fall full of surprises, bursting with a rich beauty of merchandise and brimming with excitement for all. Get caught up in the happening, here, where we'll put you in the autumn mood . . . now!

New Fall Styles Are Here!

Our store is a chock-full of brand new merchandise, and more is arriving daily. Stop by and look over the new fashions for m'ady and the youngsters — and for the men of the family, too. The new, bright fall colors will delight you, as will the style trends for autumn and winter.

Come in and check our selection of car coats, men's and boys' jackets, men's and boys' flair leg pants, sport shirts, and knit shirts. Also ladies' car coats, pants, blouses, and ladies' shoes and boots. Then, too there's men's and boys' dingos.

St. Clair's DEPARTMENT STORE

COW POKES By Ace Reid

"Don't worry about feedin' the dog, he's eatin' the feed salesman!"

The reopening of the Prairieland Packing company plant, the promise of bumper cotton and grain sorghum crops and the prevailing high beef prices signal a definite upswing in the economy of Cochran county. Let us help you to participate in this bright future through a commercial loan, establishment of a savings plan or by affording you sound financial advice. Drop in, and let's talk about it.

First State Bank

MEMBER F.D.I.C.

STATE Capital NEWS

By BILL BOYKIN

AUSTIN, TEX.—About 20,000 on Texas welfare rolls may lose their eligibility next month due to increased federal Social Security benefits.

Probably 110,000 more may get a cut in state Old Age Assistance as the federal benefit goes up.

However, Department of Public Welfare Commissioner Raymond W. Vowell emphasized that total income will still be higher even where state benefits drop.

Federal law requires the state welfare agencies to count Social Security income in figuring financial need for welfare grants.

Vowell said the Welfare Department is trying not to lower or deny welfare grants wherever possible.

He advised welfare recipients to notify their local aid offices of any recent changes in their need or other income.

Budgetary revisions in welfare procedures will permit continued assistance to about 4,700 old folks who otherwise would have had their welfare grants denied,

Vowell said.

DEATH SENTENCES COMMUTED—Some 28 prisoners sentenced to death have had their sentences commuted to life imprisonment following a high court decision that capital punishment as now applied in Texas is unconstitutional.

Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin August 2 held the U. S. Supreme Court decision (now on appeal) meant sentences must either be commuted or prisoners given new trials.

A Board of Pardons and Paroles member said he did not know when inmates whose sentences have been commuted by Gov. Preston Smith actually will get the official news. He said there are 45 on death row in Texas prison and that the Board may wait until all sentences are commuted before informing either prisoners or the public.

Before action can be taken on commutations, prosecutors who do not want to start new trials must make formal written requests to the Board. In nearly all cases,

local prosecutors are expected to request commutation rather than retrial. The Board plans a meeting within the next month to take formal action.

DRAFT NUMBER AT 95—Young Texans whose draft lottery number is 95 can relax for the rest of 1972.

State Director of Selective Service Col. Melvin N. Glantz said 95 is the lottery number cut-off for induction of non-volunteers for the rest of the year. Lottery cut-off for September is 75.

The Department of Defense has asked for 15,900 men from all states October-December.

Glantz indicated about 1,100 Texans will be drafted during the last three months of the year. Induction orders will go to per cent average statewide auto insurance who were born in 1952 and those who lost a deferment in 1972.

RATE CUTS TAKE EFFECT—That 11 per cent average statewide auto insurance rate cut went into effect September 1 as scheduled.

They will be available to auto owners when they purchase new policies or renew existing coverage in the next 12 months.

An additional 10 per cent cut is possible after passing a National Safety Council-prescribed defensive driving course. Total reductions amount to about \$70 million.

DAM HEARING POSTPONED—Texas Water Rights Commission recessed hearings on feasibility of rival damsites for the next reservoir in the Nueces River

watershed until September 28.

At the same time, TWC Chairman Otha Dent hinted neither the proposed R & M nor Choke Canyon sites may be acceptable for the immediate future. Corpus Christi officials favor the R & M site (above Calallen on the Nueces River) which is closer to the city, while many other potential water users favor Choke Canyon which would be smaller and cheaper.

Nueces River Authority has filed as sponsor of the Choke Canyon project on the Frilo River west of Three Rivers. TWC said the Federal Bureau of Reclamation, which would build the reservoir, did not consider water rights already granted when it made studies of the sites.

AG OPINIONS—Attorney General Martin held constitutional a 1971 act to prevent insurance holding companies from draining off assets of insurance companies they control. The act was an outgrowth of the National Bankers Life insurance Company scandals.

In other recent opinions Martin concluded: Independent school districts are barred from collecting delinquent ad valorem taxes incurred before Dec. 30, 1939.

Northwest Houston Water Supply Corporation bonds are not to be considered as "other obligations" of the city under the water code.

A commissioners court does not have authority to compensate justices of the peace on an hourly basis.

A district clerk is legally authorized to retain as a fee of office compensation for

accounting and administrative expenses in handling trust funds paid into court during litigation and invested at interest. The executive director of the Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools is the official on whose salary is based the contribution of eligible HSS board members for retirement credit.

A one-year real estate loan providing for an interim payment on or before six months from date of a specified sum, plus accrued interest with unpaid principal balance due and payable on or before one year after date meets requirements of 70 per cent loans.

TEXAS SIXTH—Texas is sixth among destinations of vacationing American families, according to a national survey cited by Texas Tourist Development Agency.

Texas also ranks fifth in visitor spending, as well as sixth in family visits last year, according to the study commissioned by Better Homes and Gardens magazine.

With 2.8 million family vacation visits credited to the state last year, Texas was exceeded by California, 5.6 million; Florida, 5.5 million; New York, four million; Pennsylvania, 3.5 million and Tennessee, three million.

Visiting families spent \$474 million in Texas, compared with \$1.9 billion in Florida; \$1.5 billion in California; \$684 million in New York and \$850 million in Hawaii.

SHORT SNORTS—The Lyndon Johnson family television station (KTBC-TV) in Austin sold to the Times Mirror Company of Los Angeles for a reported \$19 million.

Top Democratic candidates George McGovern and Sargent Shriver planned back-

to-back visits to Texas this week and week.

Still on the look-out for bogus state employees, state auditors screened House and Senate staff members carefully when they picked up their September 1 checks.

A mockingbird carved out of pecan will be the farewell gift of Governor Mrs. Smith to the state governor's mansion.

U. S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen is pushing a two-pronged federal attack against outbreak of fever tics that caused routine of cattle in Jim Wells, Dallas, Mullen and Live Oak counties.

State inspection of meat packing plants has brought only one lawsuit but several assaults on meat inspectors, a legislative study committee was told.

The Governor approved federal poverty grants of \$410,000 to the Office of Economic Opportunity.

A fiery chili cooking championship—Third Chilympad will be held at Arena Springs in San Marcos September 1-3.

The "cancer nobody talks about" cancer, is very common. The American Cancer Society says that it is highly curable if diagnosed early and treated promptly.

Pick a day to quit smoking cigarettes. It's not always easy to quit, but the American Cancer Society admits, but it could save your life from lung cancer.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH, Whiteface

Pastor, Rev. Billy Pierson

Sunday Services—
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Midweek Bible Study 6:30 p.m.

ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

The Rev. David Greka, Pastor
8th and Washington Streets

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 9:00 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

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

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NEW TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. W. D. Anderson
3rd and Jackson

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

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, ENOCHS

Rev. Charley Shaw

Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Services 11 a.m.
Training Union 7 p.m.
Evening Services 8 p.m.



CHURCH OF CHRIST

S.W. 2nd and Taylor
C. R. Mansfield, Preacher

Sundays—
Bible Class 10:00 a.m.
Worship 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesdays—
Midweek Bible Class 8 p.m.

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

James E. Price, Pastor
411 West Taylor

Sundays—
Church School Session 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship Service 10:55 a.m.
Evening Fellowship Program 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

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WHITEFACE, CHURCH OF CHRIST

Dick Biggs, Minister
300 Tyler Street

Sunday—
Bible Classes for all ages 10:00 a.m.
Worship and Communion 10:55 a.m.
Evening Bible Classes 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
Bible Study & Prayer 8 p.m.

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Sister Pearl's Gospel Singing House
Purity Sunday School Class 8:45 a.m.
Teacher — Pearl Swindle Williams
511 E. Jackson

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, ENOCHS

Rev. Hazel House

Services held 1st and 3rd Sundays
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Services 11 a.m.
Evening Services 7 p.m.
4th Wednesday—Fellowship 7 p.m.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, BULA

Rev. Hazel House

Services 2nd and 4th Sundays
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Service 11 a.m.
Evening Service 7 p.m.

THREE WAY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Preston Harrison

Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Training Union 6 p.m.
Evening Services 7 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

G. A. Van Hoose
Jefferson and Third

Sundays—
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Evangelistic 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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Rois Standifer, Pastor
Main and Taylor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Training Service 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:45 p.m.

WMA Circles

Monday—
Night Circle 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday—
WMA 2 p.m.
G.M.A. 4:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
Midweek Service 7:30 p.m.
Edna Bullard 9:30 a.m.

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Rev. O. A. Graves

Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Services 11 a.m.
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Evening Services 7 p.m.

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Harold Harrison, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

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Paul McClung, Pastor
202 S. E. First

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.
Morning Service KRAN 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Tuesdays—
Helen Nixon W.N.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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SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Gilbert Gonzales
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Sundays—
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Evangelistic Service 7:30 p.m.

Tuesdays—
Evening Bible Study 8:00 p.m.

Thursdays—
Evening Prayer Meeting 8:30 p.m.

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EAST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Fred White, Minister
704 East Taylor

Sundays—
Bible Study 10:00 a.m.
Worship 10:45 a.m.
Worship 7:30 p.m.

Wednesdays—
Midweek Service 8 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, MAPLE

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Government dollar big county finances

How big a part do government dollars play in the financial affairs of Cochran County? How much of their personal income comes from these sources?

Based upon a state-by-state analysis by the Tax Foundation of data recently released by the U. S. Office of Business Economics, about 22.2 percent of each dollar of income in Cochran County is from public funds. It came to approximately \$4,639,000, after taxes, in 1970.

Taken into account in the study were payments of wages and salaries to people in government payrolls, the amounts going to those receiving social security benefits and outlays for unemployment compensation, pensions, interest and public assistance.

For Cochran County, applying the state average locally, the 22.2 cents consists of 14.2 cents received from the Federal Government and 8.0 cents from state and local agencies.

Throughout the United States as a whole, 27 cents of every dollar of personal income received by Americans comes in the form of government checks, the Tax Foundation shows. In the Southwest States the average is 24.0 cents.

The total amount obtained from governmental sources during the year, via payrolls, pensions and the like, added up to \$11 billion.

Of this sum, over \$93 billion came from the Federal Government and the other \$68 billion from state and local governments.

Some communities get an exceptionally high proportion of their income from these sources, it is noted, due to a greater amount of public employment in their area or due to a high concentration of government employees.

The ratio of government payments to personal income was highest, 49.2 percent, in the District of Columbia, because

Accent on health

A rat is unwelcome in anyone's home or place of business, but you may be the one putting out the welcome mat for these rodents, says the Texas State Department of Health.

Give a rat or a mouse something to eat and drink and a place to stay and he's found a permanent home — staying until deprived of these essentials for a happy existence.

And when cold weather approaches, says the Vector Control Division of the State Health Department, rats and mice may move indoors if you allow it.

The rat is a costly, common enemy which contaminates everything it touches and destroys upwards of a billion dollars worth of food and property each year in this country.

Among the losses are the results of fire, caused by rats gnawing insulations from electric wires. It is estimated that five to 25 per cent of fires of unknown origin on farms are caused by rats.

In Texas, the major illness from rats is seen in endemic (murine) typhus fever which is spread by fleas. Other rodent-borne diseases include rat-bite fever, leptospirosis, salmonellosis, trichinosis and rickettsialpox (a disease resembling chickenpox.) Rat bites occur frequently.

Many people never see the rats which invade their dwellings and places of business.

of the many Federal employees there. Alaska, with 45.7 percent, was next.

State and local contributions to personal income were lowest in New Hampshire, 7.1 percent, and highest in New Mexico, 13.4 percent.

With government payrolls on the rise and social security and other benefits expanding, public funds are becoming an ever-increasing source of personal income.

ness. Rats prefer to move around under the veil of darkness. Their presence often becomes known only when they've chewed into some merchandise, or left droppings which are a sure sign. If you suspect or see just one rat, you can bet there are more. Sometimes they betray themselves by making a noise in your attic or walls as they scamper or move about. Or, they may make burrows in your yard.

The State Health Department takes part in many rodent control demonstrations and schools. And it has trained personnel throughout the state at its local health departments. A recent three-day school throughout the state at its local health in Houston ended with a rodent survey in selected city blocks.

If you suspect rats, you may put out bait or traps. Either may do the job. But to make certain you're rid of them you have to eliminate their water, food and lodging.

Common sources of food found in the Houston survey were dog and cat food bowls, or garbage cans with badly-fitting tops. Many cans had no tops, providing easy access to rodents. And, needless to say, the pets also had water bowls. In other homes, there were cracks large enough for them to gain entrance to their dwellings.

How about lodging? Even a small hole will admit a rat into your home. But, in addition, there may be garages, other out-buildings, piles of lumber, rocks or debris, and trash piles. A good cleanup may be necessary.

Rat control is impossible without good environment sanitation practices. Cutting off a rat's food should have a high priority. You can do this by storing garbage and rubbish in tightly-closed, metal containers. Animal feeds and other bulk materials should be stored in rat-proof bin containers, and pet bowls should be kept clean and free of uneaten food.

Lumber and other stored products should be placed on racks at least 12 inches off the ground or floor so that dark, enclosed places are prevented. And, give a thought to your attic, storerooms and basement which usually are dark and cluttered.

While poisoning and trapping may be a quick way to rid yourself of rats for the moment, eliminating insanitary conditions is a sure way of ridding yourself of the future problem of a control.

Hospital Notes

Patients admitted to Cochran Memorial Hospital September 6 through September 12 were: Leslie Hovey, Dave Chesshir, Ida Dobson, Joe Ontiveraz, Juan Hernandez, Ray Hornsby, Monica Gonzales, William Turner, Ethel Stracener, Wendell Kelly, Harold Blackstock, Debbie Berggren, Mae Banning, Nellie Fincher, Oralia Luz, Florestine Grisby and Florence Van Hoose.

Today the worst trouble with the future is that it gets here a lot quicker than it used to.

SBA announces help for Vietnam veterans

Vietnam era veterans can now get special assistance from the Small Business Administration on three areas of financial help as a result of a new program announced by the SBA in August, Jack Coker, VA Regional Office Director, said today.

The new assistance which will make it easier for veterans to start and maintain business is in response to President Nixon's recent call for renewed commitment by all federal agencies to help Vietnam era veterans.

Coker said the World War II and Korean Conflict GI Bills included provisions for veteran business loans but the Vietnam era GI Bill does not. The SBA program will ease the way for veterans to go into business for themselves by making them eligible for SBA business loans, federal government contracts and management assistance that had previously only been open to socially or economically disadvantaged persons.

Donald E. Johnson, Administrator of Veterans Affairs, said the program will be administered by the SBA. VA will not be directly involved but will have a great deal of interest in the success of the program.

Interested veterans should contact SBA field offices for more details, Coker said; however, for general information on the program veterans can contact their nearest VA office.

Three Way news

MRS. H. W. GARVIN

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Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Driskell from Hereford spent Monday with his sister and family, the T. D. Davis'.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Latimer visited his mother the past week in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Garvin attended church in Lubbock Sunday and visited their daughter and family, the James Gillentines.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Wheeler attended the football games in Muleshoe Sunday afternoon and were supper guests in the George Wheeler home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Harris from Brownwood spent the week visiting her sister and family, the W. D. Davis'.

Several from the community spent the past week fishing.

The Conrad Williams' home was the scene Thursday afternoon of a wedding shower honoring Mrs. Ross Bennett, the former Jana Sue Lane. Many pretty and useful gifts were received.

The Three Way football team played Loop Friday night losing the game.

Mrs. George Tyson was in Littlefield Sunday to entertain the patients at the rest home.

Mrs. P. L. Port, Bonnie Long, and Mrs. Bill Key spent the weekend visiting in Canyon with their daughters, the Carl Millers and in Wheeler with the J. P. Meek family.

The community received rain and some hail the past week.



LUBBOCK, Friday, September 8, 1972. Plains Ginners Association, with members from throughout the High Plains cotton producing area, will hold its annual meeting and election of officers and directors at the Lubbock Country Club on Saturday, September 16. The meeting will begin at 8:30 a. m. and will adjourn about 2:00 p. m. following a free lunch, according to Dixon White, PGA Secretary.

The morning program will include three speakers addressing themselves to matters of importance to the cotton ginning business, and noted humorist Bob Murphy of Nacogdoches will speak after lunch.

Donald Johnson, Executive Vice President of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., 25-county cotton producer organization headquartered in Lubbock, is expected to discuss prospects for future government cotton programs and other factors which will bear on the volume of cotton production and ginning in the years ahead.

Toy Price, Executive Vice President of Texas Cotton Ginners Association, Dallas, will speak on practical problems facing ginners from trailer lighting laws, air pollution control regulations and the new Occupational Safety and Health Act.

Carl Cox, also of Dallas, Director of the Natural Fibers and Food Protein Committee of Texas, will bring the group up to date on the latest in textile blends of natural and man-made fibers and discuss possible effects of these on consumption of cotton. His address is titled "Fashion-Fabric and Fiber" and will include models displaying the newest in women's apparel.

Association directors for the coming year will be elected by secret ballot during the morning and will meet just before lunch to elect officers. Current PGA officers in addition to White are Gayle Craft of Plains, President, and Bill Weaver of Lamesa, Vice President.

A pre-meeting golf tournament for ginners and allied industry people is scheduled for Friday, September 15. It will be held on the Lubbock Country Club course, with golfers teeing off from 9:30 to 11:00 a. m. White is expecting over 300 for the annual meeting.

Women's cotton promotion clubs in 12 High Plains counties will be sponsoring "Sew It With Cotton" contests from mid-September to mid-October, with county winners in each of 10 categories eligible to enter a district contest on October 21. The district contest this year will be held in Lubbock with the cotton promo-

tion clubs of Lynn and Lubbock counties as hosts. A total of 30 prizes will be awarded at the district level, including first, second and third places in each of the 10 classes. The ten first place winners will receive a Singer "Golden Touch and Sew" cabinet model sewing machine, second prize is Singer "Fashion Plate" portable sewing machines, and girls placing third will get \$50 gift certificates from Singer.

Participating counties are Bailey, Cochran, Cottle, Crosby, Dawson, Hockley, King Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Terry and Yoakum.

Further information concerning the count and district contests can be obtained from the women's cotton promotion club in each of these counties or from Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., 1720 Avenue M, Lubbock.

Sepulbeda rites held Sunday

Services for Margarito Z. Sepulbeda were held at 2 p. m. Sunday in St. Ann's Catholic Church.

Sepulbeda, 61, died at 5 p. m. in Clovis, N. M. Memorial Hospital after a short illness.

The Rev. Kevin Clark, pastor of St. Phillip's Catholic Church in Pep, officiated. Burial was in Morton Memorial Cemetery directed by Singleton Funeral Home.

Sepulbeda was a Veteran of World War II. He was born in Alamogordo, N. M.

He is survived by a brother, Arthur Sepulbeda, of Bledsoe.

★ Look Who's New!!

Matthew Lynn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mayland Abbe of Lubbock, Matt arrived September 8 at 2:55 p. m. in Methodist Hospital. He weighed 8 pounds and 9 and one half ounces.

Grandparents are Mrs. James St. Clair, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Abbe of Maple.

Frank Zapata, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zapata, Sr., arrived at Cochran Memorial Hospital September 9 at 5:30 p. m. and weighed 5 pounds and 8 ounces.

James Patrick Henry, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James Patrick Henry, Sr., arrived at Cochran Memorial Hospital, September 10 at 6:55 p. m. and weighed 5 pounds and one and one-fourth ounces.

Cheri Denace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald LeRoy Dupler of Whiteface, Cheri arrived at Cochran Memorial Hospital, September 11 at 4:52 a. m. and weighed 6 pounds and 1 and one-half ounces.

Bookmobile

The High Plains Bookmobile will be in your area on the following dates. Wednesday September 20 Circleback, 9:00 -10:00; Bula No. 1 10:30-11:30; Bula No. 2 11:45-12:45.

Farmcast

Farm Prices Show Slight Drop . . . Turkey Production Declines . . . Five Counties Added to Fire Ant Control Area . . . Food and Fiber Pavilion Readied . . .

Prices received by farmers and ranchers as of the middle of August showed a seven point drop from a year ago. But prices are 18 percent above 1971.

All meat animals were down from a month ago, but were at higher levels compared to a year ago. Poultry and eggs were below a year ago. Milk prices were up; wool and mohair were unchanged from last month, but showed some increase from a year ago.

The all-crops index was up four percent from a year ago. The majority of field crops were down from last year with the exception of wheat, rice, potatoes, and cotton which were above last year.

Only one farm commodity—calves was above full effective parity. Cotton, for example, has a parity of \$5.16 cents per pound. The price average was 30 cents per pound. Grain sorghum price averaged \$2.08, but the parity is \$3.33 per hundred weight.

Wheat averaged \$1.55 compared with \$1.38 a year ago.

LIVESTOCK prices included: hogs averaged \$27.70 with full parity at \$30.60. Beef cattle parity is \$36.80; average price was \$33.20. Calf parity is \$44.20; average price received by farmers was \$44.20.

Parity price for eggs is 44.9 cents per dozen; average price received by farmers was 34 cents per dozen.

RED MEAT production in Texas and the nation has shown declines from a year ago. In Texas, commercial slaughtering plants reported a one percent decline in red meat production; nationwide, commercial production of red meat is down 11 percent. Commercial meat production includes slaughter in federally inspected and other slaughter plants, but excludes animals slaughtered on farms.

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