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MORTON, COCHRAN COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAY 30, 1946

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Three-Point Air Show At Lubbock Sunday, June 23

LUBBOCK—The Lubbock chapter of the National Aeronautics Association will sponsor a three-point air show at the Lubbock municipal airport Sunday, June 23, beginning at 10:00 a. m.

Hugh B. Forehand Buried May 22

Hugh Brown Forehand was born in Williamson County, Texas, October 23, 1862, and departed this life May 20, 1946, having attained the age of 83 years, 6 months and 27 days. In 1881 he was married to Rachael Cobb, and to this union two sons were born, both of whom survive his passing. These two sons are: A. D. Forehand of Morton, and Dee Forehand of Columbia, Mississippi. Besides these two sons, he is survived by four grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren. His wife preceded him in death, January 3, 1944. He spent many long years of useful service in the Cause of the Master, having obeyed the gospel under the preaching of R. P. Cobb, who baptized him into Christ over fifty years ago.

Last Filing Days Loom For Listing Of Candidacies

One important political date is history, and several others are staring prospective candidates in the face. Interest in politics is rising, with the July primary not too far away.

Seniors Had A Splendid Trip

Members of the 1945-46 graduating class of Morton High School and their sponsors report a fine trip to Raton, New Mexico last Monday thru Thursday.

Cochran County Hit By Another Sand-Windstorm

Morton and Cochran county was hit by another devastating sand and windstorm Monday. The storm abated around midnight and was followed by dark clouds, extensive lightning and thunder but only a light sprinkle of rain fell. Limbs were broken from trees and electric service interrupted for several hours.

Polio And Encephalitis Epidemic Continues To Take Its Toll Of Lives

The Polio and encephalitis epidemic continues to take its toll of lives. Up to date the total number of deaths from the current outbreak numbers 10, with many of sufferers incapacitated total or partial paralysis.

FW Auxiliary Held Meeting Thursday Night

Thursday night the VFW Auxiliary met in the Masonic Hall for their regular meeting, with members present.

W. Ferguson Celebrated 3rd Birthday May 25

W. Ferguson was three Saturday, May 25, when she played hostess to playmates at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Travis Ferguson on Pierce Avenue.

Phillips '66' Service Station Offering 24 Hour Service

W. K. Smart, who returned recently from the Navy, and bought the Phillips "66" Service Station has been keeping the station open 24 hours for the past week. This is the first place of business in Morton to stay open day and night for several years.

Methodist Church Keeping Nursery

The Wesleyan Guild of First Methodist Church is keeping a nursery on Sunday morning from 10 to 12 a. m. for children up to three years of age.

Building Permits For Month Of May

N. F. Dunning, improvements, \$300; H. G. Sanders, business building, \$10,000; Murry Crone, garage, \$250; W. H. Purifoy, improvements, \$1,000; W. L. Blaylock, building, \$3,000; American Legion, building, \$15,000; J. A. Morrow, building, \$5,000; J. A. Morrow, building, \$6,000; Amos Taylor, building, \$4,000; Gene Winder, building, \$1,000.

Morton Lions Club Entertain Ladies At Tuesday Banquet

The Morton Lion's Club entertained the ladies Tuesday night, May 28, in the recreation room of First Methodist Church.

Midway H. D. Club Meets

Mrs. R. E. Gardner was hostess to the Midway Home Demonstration Club Thursday, May 23.

Birthdays Honored Mr. and Mrs. Hume Russell With A Coffee Sunday

The Birthday Club entertained in the J. B. Nicewarner home Sunday afternoon from 3 to 5 with a coffee, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Hume Russell.

Improvements For Airport

A contract has been let to the Erwin-Newman company of Houston for an all steel prefabricated airplane hanger, to be erected within 10 weeks on the county airport.

Girl Scout Troop Organization To Be Discussed

The Girl Scout Committee appointed recently by the Cochran county Garden Club will meet Thursday, May 30 at 3 p. m. in the home of the chairman, Mrs. O. E. Stevenson to discuss plans for the organization of a girl scout troop in Morton.

Punishment Passed at Lubbock Session of Court On May 28th

At the morning session of court Ollie Oliver Melton and Olaf Alvin (Chick) Rogers were sentenced to federal sentences for robbery, Sept. 5, of the First State Bank of Morton.

Melton and Rogers, also made blistering denial, in interest of his clients, that threats had actuated Pair's collusion.

District Attorney Robert Young handled most of the government's prosecution at the morning session; Cavett Binion, an assistant, the remainder of the day.

Are Heavily Guarded
Rogers, in an expensive beige sports shirt and light blue slacks, and Melton, his blue business suit sloppy by comparison, were flanked by heavy guard of federal, state and county officers, including Sheriff Mac W. Hancock of Cochran county.

All Plead Guilty
Fred Pair, aging former Dickens county peace officer who was charged as an accomplice of the three others, must serve 18 months of penal time.

As to Pair, Judge Davidson found some mitigation of offense in his having told a straightforward account of the robbery to a federal grand jury impaneled in Dallas and in his generally helpful attitude toward federal, state and county investigators.

Tom Gordon Announces His Candidacy For District Attorney Of 72nd District

Tom Gordon, Lubbock lawyer, authorized the Morton Tribune today that he was a candidate for the office of district attorney, 72nd Judicial district composed of Lubbock, Hockley, Crosby and Cochran counties.



TOM GORDON

Gordon has been practicing law since 1938, and served four years in the office of the Attorney General of Texas—two years as a legal investigator and two years as an assistant attorney general.

the protection of the individual rights of every citizen if infringed upon and the full prosecution of those who violate the laws.

Buddy Poppy Sale Nets \$133.03

Saturday the following members of the VFW Auxiliary sold poppies on the streets of Morton: Mmes. Faye Glaser, Beatrice Nelson, W. K. Whitman, Verna Vernon, Bertha Walden, Wilma Morrison. The total amount collected was \$133.03.

Two Mexicans Jailed In Raid

Sunday night, May 19, the Sheriff's department raided two establishments in northeast Morton and confiscated 20 quarts of California wine; two Mexicans were jailed for illegal possession and were released when they paid fines amounting to \$240.00.

MAXINE ARES WILL RECEIVE NURSING DEGREE THURSDAY

Mrs. Maxine Ares of Morton will receive her diploma from the West Texas Hospital School of Nursing Thursday evening at 8:30 when joint candle lighted exercises are held for the Lubbock Memorial Hospital School of Nursing and West Texas Hospital School of Nursing in the First Methodist Church, Lubbock.

Junior Baseball Club Wins Victory Over Freona 17-1

The American Legion Jr. Baseball club played a 5 inning game Sunday afternoon, defeating Freona at Freona by 17 to 1.

Are Heavily Guarded

They shot a prisoner the other day, on the way to the penitentiary, because he tried to end a sentence with a dash.

Marine Corps Opens Campaign

The United States Marine Corps has opened an intensive recruiting campaign in an effort to recruit enough men to help build the peace time strength of the Marines Corps up to a 100,000 regulars. It was announced by Captain Richard L. Pierce, of fiercer in charge of district headquarters state of Oklahoma, located in the Federal Building, Oklahoma City. Captain Pierce said, that men can enlist for aviation duty or general duty for two, three or four years and anyone who enlist before October 6, 1946, will be able to take advantage of the G. I. Bill of Rights after being honorably discharged.

He also said that while men are serving with the leathernecks they will be able to take advantage of the educational benefits of the Marine Corps Institute, a correspondence school operated free by the Marine Corps for the benefit of Marines who desire to further their education. All men between the ages of 17 and 25 are eligible for enlistment. Any

Odd Gadgets Went To War

Truly, some odd gadgets went to war.

Before the war, a standard item of equipment in homes where carbonated water was used in mixing drinks of various kinds was the seltzer water bottle. During the war it practically went off the market.

It went off the market because one thingamajig used in its operation had been commandeered by the military. It was the little carbon dioxide cartridge which, when you squeezed the bottle handle, carbonated the water. You might very well ask what the military wanted with such gadgets. But those cartridges probably saved many lives at sea as they were used in one type

one interested may write or apply in person at the nearest Marine Corps recruiting office. Offices are located in the post offices of the following towns: Oklahoma City, Tulsa, Muskogee, Ardmore, Altus, Enid, Pawnee, Amarillo, Tex., and the Chamber of Commerce Building, Wewoka.

life belt. When you squeezed on concealed pincers, they pierced two of the cartridges concealed in the belt, inflating the belt almost instantly.

The War Assets Administration is now offering for sale 2,770,900 of the cartridges which have been declared surplus. Hamilton Morton, WAA Regional Director, Fort Worth, announced Tuesday the sale of 72,000 of them in one block to the John J. Matthews Co., Dayton, Ohio. All inquiries for their purchase should be addressed to the Fort Worth office of WAA, P. O. Box 1407.



Texas had had many colorful figures on the bench—like Judge Roy Bean, the saloonkeeper, and Emanuel Dubbs, the buffalo hunter—but history has rather slighted Colonel Smithers (we'll call him that), who was justice of the peace at Fort Griffin when that town was the liveliest spot on the frontier.

Justice Smithers was a former army officer. He held the rank of colonel during the War between the States, but with the close of hostilities he had to step back to his permanent rank as lieutenant. He came to Fort Griffin for a tour of duty shortly after the war and after a time resigned and settled down near the fort to make a home.

The judge was well regarded in the community and when the citizens came to see the need of a justice of the peace he was elected to office without opposition—and held the post until the fort was abandoned and the Griffin 'Flat' became a country village.

The ex-colonel, so say those who knew him, was one of 'the boys', always ready to take part in a game of chance, or go the saloons—and more than once, after a festive night, he appeared on his bench in the morning sporting black eyes and a swollen countenance. But this didn't, in the least, interfere with his administration of justice.

Sitting back in his chair, he would assess a fine on his comrades of the night before without the slightest hesitation, notwithstanding their looks of astonishment and their muttered comments. But they knew better than to protest too openly for the Colonel used more than law books to back up his decisions.

He kept in the pigeon holes of his desk—prominently placed so that all might behold—an ornate brass-barreled horse pistol and a long-bladed Turkish knife, and when the efforts of too much fire-water made some of his defendants obstreperous, Smithers emphasized his decisions by letting his right hand rest near the butt of the pistol or the haft of the knife. It seemed that the weapons—commonly called "The Colonel's peacemakers"—had the desired effect for the justice never had to use them. The big horse pistol became almost legendary.

As one cowboy described it— "The Colonel mows prairie grass for his hen nests with that gun. He just fills it to the muzzle with bird shot, then steps down into a gulch so that his arm can come on a level with the grass, then gives a sweeping motion as he pulls the trigger and down goes the grass."

Anyhow, such stories were told that none among those coming up for arraignment ever dared question the judge's ruling—especially after getting a glimpse of him sitting on the bench picking his teeth, as he sometimes did, with that terrible Turkish knife.



Q. For what veterans is out-patient treatment furnished by the Veterans Administration?

A. Veterans whose disabilities are service-connected may in addition to hospitalization and domiciliary care receive out-patient medical, surgical, and dental services for their service-connected diseases or injuries. Treatment may be given at a Veterans Hospital or be authorized to be given by a physician or dentist in the applicant's place or residence. Requests should be addressed to the nearest Regional Office of the Veterans Administration.

Q. Does the Veterans Administration furnish artificial limbs to veterans?

A. Artificial limbs are furnished veterans when required for a service-connected condition or for an associated disease or injury held to be aggravating the disability from a service-connected disease or injury. Seeing-eye dogs are also furnished.

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Q. Where should veterans go to receive employment assistance?

A. To the nearest office of the United States Employment Service or to the nearest Selective Service Local Board.

Q. How can a veteran who is interested in Federal employment find out about job opportunities?

A. Announcements of civil service examinations, and the proper application forms, may be obtained at any first or second-class post office, or from the United States Civil Service Com-

mission, Washington, 25, D. C. A veteran gets 5 point preference because of his service, and 10 points if disabled.

Q. Does the Veterans Administration issue an American flag upon the death of a veteran?

A. An American flag with which to drape the casket of any veteran of a war, discharged under conditions other than dishonorable, may be issued by postmasters at any county seat post office or any other post office designated by the Veterans Administration, or by field stations of the VA.

Band Shell Presented To Tech By 1946 Grads

LUBBOCK—A band shell will be the class gift to Texas Technological College from the 1946 graduating class.

The shell, to be located southeast of the textile engineering building, will be made of stucco, eight feet high with an overhanging front which will extend out 12 feet. Construction will begin as soon as contracts are awarded.

There is some talk about fighting the Battle of Bunker Hill over again, because it wasn't on the level.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bullard turned Friday from a weeks' visit with friends and relatives in Mer and Cushing, Texas.

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White GRAPEFRUIT	Each	5c
Mother's OATS	Large Size	36c
BOX POST TOASTIES	Box	9c
MUFFETS	Box	12c
POST TENS	Box	24c

Crackers

Sunshine CHEEZ-IT	Box	4c
BISCUIT MIX	Box	9c
SALT	Box	4c
Shilling's TEA	1/4 Pound	19c
In Syrup FIGS	No. 2 1/2 Can	29c
In Syrup—PURPLE PLUMS	No. 2 1/2 Can	21c
GRAPE JUICE	Pint	27c
NO. 2 CAN TOMATO JUICE		11c

Baby Lima Beans

2 POUND BOX	29c	
RED KIDNEY BEANS	Can	10c
STARCH	Box	4c
SODA	Box	4c

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BOX	10c	
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1936 Study Club Closed A Very Successful Year With A Dinner

The 1936 Study Club closed a very successful year with a dinner in the home of Mrs. R. C. Hickland on May 22.

Hostess for the four course dinner were: Mmes. R. C. Strickland, M. C. Ledbetter, H. S. Hawkins, Truman Doss, J. B. Knox, and James St. Clair.

Mrs. L. F. Hargrove, president of a short business session, at which time the resignation of Mrs. Loyd Kennedy was accepted. Mrs. C. M. Cravy was elected a new member.

The club voted to have a fine program next year, including music, art and literature.

Mrs. Hargrove, retiring president gave a farewell talk and presented each of her officers with a corsage. Guests who were former members of the club were produced and each gave a word of appreciation to the members.

Mrs. C. M. Cravy installed the following new officers for the year: Mrs. Albert Morrow, President; Mrs. Joe Gipson, first vice-president; Mrs. R. C. Ross, second vice-president; Mrs. C. M. Cravy, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. M. Hargrove, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Truman Doss, parliamentarian; Mrs. Scott Hawkins, historian; Mrs. J. D. Hawthorne, reporter.

Mrs. R. C. Ross presented the retiring president with a gift from the club.

Mrs. Doss reviewed the history of the club.

There were thirteen members and the following guests present: Mmes. W. W. Williamson, George Knox, Roy Hill, E. L. Willis, James Charles Taylor, C. M. Gavey, Bessie Bullock, Roy Hickman, Willard Cox and Andrew Berry.

Goodland News -

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Gant, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wellborn and Mrs. Donley spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Reeves of Lubbock and Manton Ray Mahon of Quanah spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Reeves and family.

Mr. M. T. Hamlin of Odessa visited Sunday with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonnie Wheeler and family visited in Knox county over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Myers and family visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hilsap and family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. McCutcheon and Lorene, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Howard and two sons visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tucker and family.

Mrs. Tommy Galt was hostess of a birthday dinner given in honor of her father, Mr. T. G. Gaddy. Those attending dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gaddy, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Stegall and children, Mrs. L. T. Garton of Jovis, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Galt.

Mrs. Mart Edwards and son visited this week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Floyd.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Walls left Monday for Ruidosa.

L. D. Sanderson Jr. who is working in Clovis, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Sanderson over the week-end.

Mrs. M. A. Connell of Lubbock was a business visitor in Morton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cadenhead were in Friona, Sunday, for the baseball game.

Bob Marshall, former local attorney and lawyer, and now of Forger, made a short business call in Morton Monday. Bob, recently being discharged from the army, spent 2 years 4 months and 26 days on the Aleutians.

The only thing we have found that does any good for a bald head is a hat.

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Wallace Featuring "The Virginian" Wed. And Thurs.

Paramount's Technicolor production, "The Virginian", starring three of Hollywood's most popular leading men—Joel McCrea, Brian Donlevy and Sonny Tufts—makes camp next Wednesday and Thursday at the Wallace Theatre. Since each star alone has sufficient drawing power to insure the success of any picture, their combined talents in what sound like made-to-order roles should have fans looking forward with great anticipation to the arrival of "The Virginian".

Joel McCrea has the title role in this pictureization of the famous Owen Wister story about the lawlessness of the early West and the men and women who braved death to conquer it. He would seem the ideal choice for the part of the Virginian, stalwart defender of the West's stern code of justice, even though it costs the life of his best friend, portrayed by Sonny Tufts. Tufts, in his first Western role, plays Steve, who can't take anything seriously, including cattle-rustling, until it is too late.

Brian Donlevy will be seen in the role of a law-breaker, for the first time in several years of heroic delineations returning to his early type of characterizations. As Trampas, sinister and flagrant ringleader of the rustlers, Donlevy has an opportunity for some smooth acting and, according to all reports, he takes full advantage of it.

Welcome Home

Aviation Radioman 3/e Calvin Willard Davis was discharged at San Pedro, California on May 14, 1946. He has served in the Navy since January 28, 1944.

Corporal Winston O. Jerden was discharged at Fort Bliss, Texas, on May 19, 1946. He has served in the Army since December 15, 1944. He served in Luzon and he wears the Asiatic Pacific Theatre, the Philippine Liberation Medal, the Good Conduct Medal and the Victory Medal.

Technician 4th Grade Vernor D. Hammonds was discharged at Fort Bliss, Texas, on May 19, 1946. He has served in the Army since December 14, 1944. He served in South Philippines and he wears the Asiatic Pacific Theatre Medal, Philippine Liberation, Good Conduct and Victory Medals.

Memorial Day To Be Observed May 30

The Post office and First State Bank will be closed Thursday, May 30, in observance of Memorial Day.

Mrs. John Lawrence and son, John Edward, of Caprock, N. M., spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Garrett. Her mother returned for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tarver Jr. and son, John David, of Lubbock visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tarver Sr. and friends over the week-end.

But, the fact that they still perform marriages in this country is proof positive that this is the land of the brave.

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County Line News

Ralph Debord is on the sick list this week, he injured his leg on the tractor. It was placed in a cast at the Payne Shotwell hospital in Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wall and family spent Sunday in Portales, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Blevins and girls spent the week-end in Post, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Eubanks and family have returned from a weeks vacation in Corpus Christi and Mercedes.

Gilbert Wilson was in Roswell this week hunting work.

Barney, Gene, and Patsy Odem, Clyde and Carroll Eubank and G. C. Weston were visitors in the Vick home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Courtney and children and Cecil and Mary Kate Weston were visitors in the Eubank home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Melton and children and Shirley Eubank were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pryor and family have moved out of the community, we are sorry to have them go.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Briscoe, Lois Wilson and Betty Eubank were Sunday visitors in the Herbert Pugh home.

Crops are a total loss in the community where there was moisture to plant, the sand has killed it.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wiley had as their guests last week-end Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moore of Lubbock.

Neil Wright of Lubbock was a visitor of Wood Stevenson earlier in the week. Neil and Wood were inseparable friends while in army camp together. Neil went overseas as a flier, was shot down over Germany and was a prisoner of the Germans for two years.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Angley were visitors in Muleshoe Wednesday.

Sheriff and Mrs. Mac W. Hancock were called to Lamesa Saturday where their daughter, Mrs. Gilbert Holliday underwent an emergency operation at Price hospital. The Hancocks returned to Morton Sunday night and at last report Mrs. Holliday's condition was good.

Sgt. and Mrs. Bill Scoggin, and Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Pruitt were guests in the Mac W. Hancock home over the week-end. Mmes. Scoggin and Pruitt are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Hancock. Sgt. Scoggin is in the Army recruiting office in Lubbock and Herschel is attending business school in Lubbock.

Roy and Loyd Allsup were in Lubbock, Monday, attending a Chevroleto dealers meeting.

Mrs. Raymond Cochran and 2 daughters of California, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Gene Walden. Mr. Cochran is with the Army of occupation in Italy.

Cochran County Citizens Generously Came To Aid Of A Friend In Need

Farmers in this area have suffered severe set backs due to the continued drouth that began last year but despite the gloomy outlook for crops this season, farmers, business and professional men of Morton and Cochran county dug into their diminishing funds and came generously to the aid of a friend who had not only suffered severe monetary losses in the crop failures, but who also was faced with serious illness in his family.

Mrs. Tom Brown has been ill for some time, seriously ill, and has been advised by her doctor that surgery is absolutely necessary. Mr. Brown, as is usual in such cases, began making arrangements to have Mrs. Brown cared for and in so doing, Mr. H. J. Andrews heard the details and immediately decided that although everyone's financial status was at a low ebb, surely each could spare a little something to help lighten the burden of Mr. Brown, and so Mr. Andrews without the consent of Mr. Brown, put it up to the men at a farmers meeting in the court house Monday, May 27, and no finer or more generous gesture on the part of friends can be shown anywhere than the record that follows:

We the undersigned friends of Tom Brown, hereby contribute the amount set opposite our names, toward defraying hospitalization and doctor bill for Mrs. Tom Brown, in the operation that she is about to undergo in Payne-Shotwell hospital, Littlefield.

Any others who wish to contribute to the cause may leave their contribution with the Morton Tribune Editor.

H. J. Andrews \$10, Glenn Thompson \$10, Walter Holt \$2, W. L. Hancock \$5, A. H. Hancock \$5, J. D. Tipton \$5, J. H. Lowe \$1, R. E. Jackson \$1, F. G. Grooms \$1, P. J. Ausmus \$1, D. L. Tucker \$2, B. R. Stovall \$2, S. C. Kelley \$2.50, Gage Knox \$5, Harley Ward \$1, France Baker \$5, Haskell Milligan \$5, John Lynch, \$2, Alvie Harris \$2, J. W. Nichols \$5, W. E. Grantham \$2, W. C. Langham \$1, M. S. Matthews \$1, J. L. Harris \$2, F. G. Kennedy \$1, E. V. Thompson \$1, Roy Lewis \$2, Geo. Williams \$5, E. R. Woolsey \$3, Bill Martin \$5, A. R. McDaniel \$2, T. F. Lynch \$5, T. E. Lynch \$5, Neal Smith \$2.50, M. A. Bennett \$2, J. H. Chesshir \$1, Bill Brock \$2, J. H. Drum \$2, W. B. Hodnett \$2.50, B. H. Tucker \$5, Woodrow Zuber \$5, Alton Ainsworth \$5, J. A. Lackey \$1, Louie Taylor \$1, J. C. Miller \$1.50, F. H. Williams \$1, V. C. Butler \$3, Lee Greer \$3, E. S. Byrum \$2, H. Webb \$1, E. F. Dollie \$1, R. J. Dewpre \$5, Pat Hatcher \$5, H. B. Bedwell \$5, Virgil Riley \$2.50, R. W. Hill \$5, Chester Booz \$2.50, George Worthington \$5, C. W. Webb \$5, W. T. Zuber \$5, G. C. Keith \$5, J. H. Barker \$1, A. T. Taylor \$10, E. G. Gaudner \$5, H. T. Gardner \$1, C. W. Hood \$1, W. W. Smith \$3, Truman Smith \$5, J. O. Hill \$2.50, C. B. Lightfoot \$1, D. G. Henry \$2, D. E. Moore \$2.50, Forrest Lumber Co. \$10, Smith Bros. Implement Co. \$7.50, M. R. Holloman \$1, Mac W. Hancock \$5, H. D. Crockett \$1, James St. Clair \$5, Miller-Willis Co. \$1, C. L. Taylor, Morton Drug \$5, A. D. Forehand \$5, Truman Doss \$5, L. T. Doss \$5, Grover Ward \$5, H. Steed \$5, Sid Coffman \$5, F. Jackson \$1, O. F. Bogard \$2, C. E. Buchanan \$1, W. L. Harris \$10, Bill Taylor \$5, H. B. Barker, \$5, W. J. Decker \$5, T. M. Farmer \$5, A. J. Zuber \$10, G. R. Johnson \$5, Truman Angly \$1, C. B. Jones \$1, O. S. Taylor \$5, G. A. Walters \$1, J. C. Harrison \$2, B. Coats \$2, D. D. Elliot \$2, O. E. Lee \$1, Jack Rice \$5, E. P. Farmer \$5, James Masten \$2.50, J. B. Knox \$2.50, R. C. Strickland \$2, Joe Cook \$1, C. G. Shaw \$2, B. W. McLendon \$1, J. H. Taack \$3, Willard Henry \$1, W. R. Adams \$1, Stephen J. Bracken \$10, anonymous \$1.

Four couples who enjoyed a four day fishing trip and visit in Socorro, N. M., were: Mr. and Mrs. Louis Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John McGee, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Thomas and Mr and Mrs. Thomas.

Mrs. Joe Salem, son, Bobby and daughter, Betty May, came over from Sudan Sunday. Miss Betty May Salem remained for an extended visit with Miss Sidney Glenn.

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Sidelights From Washington

By George Mahon

This is being airmailed from Washington Saturday afternoon, May 18th. An 8c stamp is required for this purpose today, but the odds are very happy in favor of a 5c airmail rate within a few weeks. The House passed unanimously this week a bill establishing a 5c airmail rate—a program which some of us have favored since V-J Day. The 5c spread between the regular mail and the airmail rate has retarded airmail. There is little doubt but that the Government will make more revenue out of the 5c rate than the higher rate, on account of increased volume.

The chances are that airmail will be expanded to the point where practically all first class mail except that which is local in character will go airmail. The more mail that goes by air, the more our aviation industry is supported and the greater the backlog of experienced pilots in this country.

At present we have a large number of airmen who have been discharged from the service and who would like each month to have a way to get in a little flying time in order not to lose their ability to pilot an airplane.

The Army has a lot of surplus planes and there are many available air fields. General Carl Spaatz, who took General Hap Arnold's place as head of the U. S. Army Air Force, will be before our Military Appropriations Committee Monday to ask us to put through an appropriation of one billion two hundred million dollars for the Air Forces for the coming fiscal year. I am going to ask him to expedite the Army program for reserve pilots so that

these discharged veterans under a well-supervised plan may have an opportunity to continue to fly. I would like to see a National Guard Unit in aviation established in West Texas.

The National Guard will have a bigger and better program in the future than it has ever had in the past. The Guard was a great factor in the victory which we won in the war and it will represent a large reserve force for national defense in the future.

The Reserve Officer Training Corps in the schools is due for expansion. Texas Tech is slated for a bigger ROTC program than ever before, which will include, if desired, when appropriate plans are completed an ROTC unit in aviation.

The Military Appropriation Bill is scheduled to pass the House in June. Indications are now that the bill, for the first time in years, will include no money for the purchase of horses and mules. The General Staff of the Army has decided to abandon the Horse Cavalry.

The Army is asking for forage for the 2,000 horses and 1,347 mules which it still has on hand in Continental U. S. The prize horses of the Army now are the horses that were captured in Germany and brought to the United States last October. These 152 animals are valued at more than one million dollars, and the Army is besieged with offers of purchase.

We approved in the House of Representatives this week a \$75,000 fund to be used in the investigation of un-American activities by one of the Committees of the House. This is the committee of the House, supported by many patriotic organizations, which investigates and gives publicity to the un-American activities of individuals and groups within our Country. The measure was bitterly contested, but the final vote was 240 for and 81 against.

TRAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



Patiently the day pressed dawn's cool, moist towel to the sky's cheeks and removed the tears of night. Young sparrows chattered like children unobserved by elders and two scissor-tails practiced spiral attacks. An ember of the sun had rolled through a hole in the grate of blue clouds. Time stood by, holding the day and bleating, like a parent holding his first-born for the first time.

When drought burns the soul of fields and dreams of men, irrigation furrows fend their small, courageous fronts from secret arsenals beneath the earth. Bright roses bloom in the face of the sun and watered acres of grain give to tides of the wind. Often only a fence separates the thirsty field where dead and dying wheat wilts and falls on caked soil. Should destiny, in hurried selection, have assigned my role to grain of wheat, I think I know in which field I would have been planted. Perhaps the two fields are but a pattern to which all life is partial.

Rolling slowly across the washed-out cow trails, the massive automobile bounced easily on deep springs, while the gray-haired driver sought an opening between shaggy mesquites. Half-hearted rain was falling and a blade worked feverishly on the windshield. The driver's old eyes beamed as broken pieces of the past's mirror reflected impressions through the void more than two score years. He had ridden the same trails following stubborn cattle without a slicker when heavier and colder rain was falling. He had felt the wind blow rain into his eyes. His blue lips parted as he placed a cigarette between them and reached to the glittering dash, to press the lighter.

Understanding is the bit in matrimony's bridle; love is the strength of the reins.

My sight-weary eyes see so little of this changing world and frequently fail to comprehend that which is before them. All roads to the past lead but to confusion and others hurry past me while I try to find a place in the parade. Yesterday I examined a harmonica made of white plastic, like a man might look at a piece of his soul in a show case. Tomorrow I shall surely meet a plastic man with a plastic heart and experiencing plastic love.

Deceit quickens the appreciation of truth like the lash establishes rebellious respect for discipline.

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MAPLE NEWS

The revival meeting at the Methodist Church closed Wednesday night.

Mrs. G. R. Fort is still on the sick list.

Mrs. Foster from Hagerman, N. M., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Rentzow.

Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Long and family visited with relatives last week-end.

All of the children of Mrs. G. R. Fort had a reunion last Sunday. Those present were: Mrs. Orpha Harris from Dove Creek, Colorado; Mrs. Olga Long of Silverton, Texas; Mrs. Dollie Chamberlain of Weatherford, Texas; Mrs. Ima Fleming, Hattie Tyson, and H. W. Garvin of Maple. Most of the grandchildren and great-grandchildren were there. It had been the first time Mrs. Fort and children had been together in nearly 30 years.

Visitors in the home of Miss Virginia Williford Friday night were: Jean Richardson, Helen Penny, Laqueta Kelley, and Bonnie Garvin. They all had a nice time.

The young folks of Maple had

a skating party Tuesday night. They all reported a good time. Reporter—Bonnie Garvin

Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Brown and children Betty, J. W., and Ruby Jean, of Seminole, Oklahoma, have been visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. S. Pierce.

Mrs. E. B. Burnam and son left last Wednesday for Alabama to join their husband and father Pfc. E. B. Burnam who is stationed at Ft. McClellan.

Miss Betty Brown of Seminole, Oklahoma is spending the summer in the home of her sister, Mrs. J. S. Pierce.

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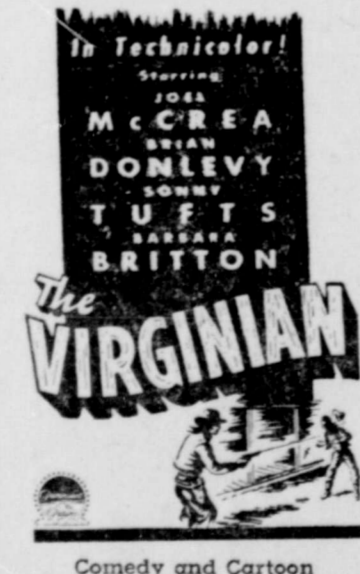
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Hopes Revived That Texas Tech's New Stadium Be Completed For Fall Use

LUBBOCK—Hopes that Texas Tech's new \$300,000 stadium may be completed for use this fall have been revived by recent progress, which includes employment of architects and engineers, and indication the government will release needed materials.

Lubbock architects and engineers are drawing plans for the new structure, following visits to stadiums in Fort Worth, Dallas, and other cities to obtain ideas.

Plans call for dressing rooms, offices, classrooms and storage space in the east stand and for utilization of space under the west stand for storage and classrooms. Rest rooms and concession areas also will be in each stand.

The new stadium, to seat 15,000 persons, will be located northwest of the present football field, Morley Jennings, director of Tech's athletics, has announced. It will be of concrete and steel and will be so constructed that enlargement would be easily possible.

Plans also call for construction of a new street from the stadium area to the main section of the campus and for erection of ad-

equate parking space. Most of the present stands will be raised. The present field, surrounded by a track, will be used for practice.

The new stadium will be known as the Clifford and Audrey Jones Memorial Stadium, honoring Dr. Clifford B. Jones, president emeritus of Texas Tech, and his wife.

WAA To Release Textbooks To War Veterans

Following up an announcement last week that the War Assets Administration would release to veterans approximately 1,500,000 textbooks used in Army and Navy training courses, Hamilton Morton, WAA Regional Director, Fort Worth, said Wednesday that the books would be transferred to the Veterans Administration and channelled to veterans through the educational institution where the veteran is enrolled.

The library of congress will distribute the books to Educational Institutions, which will in turn handle distribution to veterans, Morton said. Veterans are urged not to write or call the library of congress or the veterans administration regarding the books, but should keep in touch with the educational institution where they are enrolled.

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Old Fashioned Spring House Cleaning Needed

AUSTIN—A good old fashioned spring house cleaning in every city and community of Texas would do a great deal toward furthering good health in this state, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, who said in Austin today, "From a practical standpoint the old adage that 'Cleanliness is next to Godliness' is still well worth emphasizing."

A general clean-up program of state-wide proportions with the objective of bettering health conditions for our citizenship should include surface cleaning, drainage, the graveling of streets and alleys, the cleaning of all parks and playgrounds and the clearing of weeds and rubbish off of vacant lots.

"The destruction of mosquito breeding places and rat harborage, the proper disposal of garbage and trash and the general cleaning up of all premises will be," said Dr. Cox, "of inestimable value in helping to keep down summer health hazards such as dysentery, typhoid, and poliomyelitis. Good community house-keeping and ordinary sanitary measures require the prompt removal of all waste matter in and around yards and homes in order to abate the danger of such diseases, and insure good health protection throughout the State."

Dr. Cox stressed the fact that many dangerous diseases are filth-borne, and the only possible way to control them is to eliminate the insanitary conditions responsible for their spread.

Texas Tech To Graduate 190

LUBBOCK—The twentieth annual graduating exercises are to be held by Texas Technological College June 3. Degrees will be conferred on 190 students, including five candidates for master's degrees.

Congressman George Mahon, representing the Nineteenth Congressional district of Texas, will make the commencement address. Rev. Kenneth R. Hemphill, pastor of the First Methodist church of McAllen and a Tech graduate, will preach the baccalaureate sermon.

The baccalaureate exercises will be held Sunday night, June 2, at 8 p. m. Both baccalaureate and commencement programs will be held in the football stadium, weather permitting.

Gloria Jo Hodges of Morton, is a candidate for BS in foods and nutrition.

Reverend and Mrs. Wayne G. Smith and baby son, Randy, of Stockdale, Texas, arrived Monday, May 20, for a brief visit with Mr. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Smith and Sue.

Billie Lee Williamson of Kirkland is visiting her father and Mrs. W. W. Williamson.

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Come to Church

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Arthur Kendall, Pastor.
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.
Youth fellowship, 8:30 p. m.
W. S. C. S., Monday 3:00 p. m.
Wesleyan Guild, 1st. and 3rd. Monday, 8:00 p. m.
Choir practice and youth fun night, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

W. E. Lovelace, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Training Union, 6:45 p. m.
Evening Worship, 8:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Tues., 8 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Paul L. Foutz, Evangelist.
Bible Study, 10:00 a. m.
Preaching service, 10:45 a. m.

Young Peoples' Class, 6:45 p. m.
Evening Service, 8:00 p. m.
Ladies' Bible Class, Mon. 2 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Tues. 7:30 p. m.

FIRST MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

T. L. Bullard, Pastor
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
B. T. C., 6:30 p. m.
W. M. U. Service, Mon. 2:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:30 p. m.

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Rev. Dale will preach on the third Saturday night and Sunday.

CHURCH OF GOD

Sunday School, 3:00 p. m.

Sleeping Quarters To Be Furnished School-Age Exhibitors At State Fair

DALLAS—School-age exhibitors entering livestock in the Junior division of the State Fair of Texas Oct. 5-8 will be furnished sleeping quarters and all meals on the Fair Grounds, R. L. Thornton, president of the State Fair association, announced this week.

Responsibility for the housing and feeding of 4-H, Future Farmer and other school-age exhibitors will be assumed by the Junior Farm and Ranch committee, Ray Wilson, chairman, said following a meeting last week.

The committee will also provide entertainment for the young Fair visitors on Farm and Ranch Youth Day, he announced. According to Wilson, entertainment plan under discussion include tours of Fair Park exhibits and buildings, sight-seeing trips through major Dallas industries, and possibly a big show in the Cotton Bowl with top-flight entertainers being imported for the occasion.

Messing facilities will be

established on the Fair Grounds to furnish food for participants and young visitors, Wilson said. Exhibitors will be housed in dormitories in the livestock show area.

Wilson stated that his committee, composed of prominent Dallas business men, would see that youngsters arriving at the Fair Grounds were provided with a safe, directed program from the time of arrival until departure.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bogart were week-end visitors in Lubbock. Dr. E. J. Davidson of Lubbock was a visitor in Morton Sunday.

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Examinations For Positions In State Department Of Health Announced

AUSTIN—Competitive examinations for positions in the State Department of Health have just been announced by the Merit System Council for the Texas State Department of Health. Examinations are for professional and technical positions, and will be of the unassembled type consisting of an evaluation of training and experience. Veterans preference will be allowed applicants who have been honorably discharged from the United States armed forces and who make a passing score on the examination.

All applications must be mailed before midnight June 21, 1946. Positions for which examinations will be held, and their entrance salaries are as follows:

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(\$125). Application blanks may be obtained from Russell E. Shrader, Merit System Supervisor, Littlefield Building, Austin, Texas.

EASTERN STAR INSTALLATION
Eastern Star installation will be held Friday evening at 8:30 at Methodist Church.

Mrs. W. A. Johnson returned last week from market in Dallas and a visit with her daughter in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Butch Baker were guests of her parents in Borger last week-end.

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Hudson-Harrison Wedding Vows Read Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Harrison of Morton are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Betty Jo, to Mr. Thomas R. Hudson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hudson of Borger, Texas.

The ceremony was performed Saturday night, May 25 at 10 p. m. in the First Baptist Church in Levelland by Rev. Franklin E. Swanner.

The bride wore a black dress with pink and black accessories. The couple was accompanied by Miss Lula Mae Wright and Mr. Sedic Minor, both of Morton.

Mrs. Hudson has attended Morton High School for several years and was salutatorian in the 1945-46 graduating class of Morton.

Mr. Hudson has served in the United States Army for approximately three years.

The couple will make their home in Morton.

Church Federation Has Sick Room Necessities

The Church Federation of Morton which meets every fifth Monday is composed of representatives from each Missionary Society from the various churches of Morton.

This group have on hand a chest of sick room necessities that have been assembled and are available, free of charge, to any one needing all or a part of them.

The supplies in the chest include gowns for men, women, children and baby clothes, sheets pillow cases, hot water bottle with syringe attachments, ice cap and clinical thermometer. All of these items are absolute necessities in properly caring for a sick person and since few homes have all these items on hand when illness occurs it is of utmost importance to have the wanted articles immediately available.

These supplies may be had by contacting a member of any Missionary group in Morton.

CLARENCE MOORE GRADUATES WITH HIGH HONORS

Clarence Moore, 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Moore graduated from Morton Grammar School with honors having a scholastic average of 93. Clarence received the American Legion award that is presented each year to the boy and girl making the highest average in the graduation class.

CARD OF THANKS

To our many kind friends and neighbors, words cannot express our appreciation for the loving kindness and consideration to us in the illness and death of our Father, May God's blessings rest on all of you in our prayer. We shall never forget.

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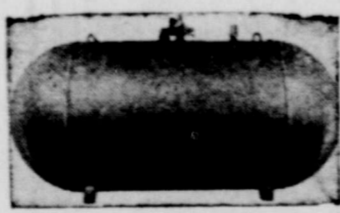
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County Board Of Equalization Meets

The County Board of Equalization met in the court house Monday and Tuesday of this week, with tax men from oil companies in this area present. This was a harmonious meeting with all the tax men present agreeing to the tax evaluation as set forth by the board. Oil evaluation taxes in Cochran county amount to \$13,488,185.00 and the total tax evaluation for Cochran county is approximately \$17,600,000.00.

EDITORIAL

Approximately 600,000 American boys graduating from high school in May and June will have an opportunity never before offered—a peace-time graduating class—and one that may never come again.

The government will pay their tuition for four years at a college, university trade or business school (up to \$500 per ordinary school year) and a monthly allowance of \$65 for living expenses or \$90 if the student has dependents.

All that the high school graduate has to do to get this full four-year college education—amounting to as much as \$5,120 or \$6,700 if he has dependents is to enlist in the new regular army before October 6, 1946, and serve three years. The opportunity is available under the voluntary recruiting act of 1945, extending the benefits of the G. I. Bill of Rights.

Most high school graduates are not financially able to go on through college, except by earning their own way. Under the recruiting act they can get their military service over and then have all their time for education. The hitch in the army will take most of them to foreign land for occupation service, and to various parts of the United States. They will get to see the world, which will be an education in itself.

Only about one boy in ten has been able to afford a college education in the past. This G. I. plan makes it possible for every one of this year's 600,000 graduates who can qualify for military service to get a college degree.

Education opportunities offered all veterans of the war are overcrowding our college and universities now. Many of the 1946 crop of high school grads who can afford to go to college would find it difficult to get in this year or next. Those who join the army this year will find the congestion relieved by the time they are ready for college.

With all the broadening and seasoning effects of an army enlistment the young man will be prepared better to understand and assimilate the things he will learn at college thereafter.

This recruiting plan is rather expensive one for the government, but it affords a means of enlisting needed troops, and the money will be far from wasted, because it will raise the educational level of the American people. For the high school graduates it is like \$5,000 inheritance, plus a period of wholesome training and interesting experience.

A civilian would have to pay out \$84 a month for 30 years to assure a monthly income as big as the Army gives free on retirement from active duty. A retired master or first sergeant after 30 years gets \$155.25 monthly for life.

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Public Installation For Eastern Star Friday, May 31

The Morton Eastern Star will hold a public installation Friday May 31st at 8 o'clock at the First Methodist Church. The installing officer will be Mattie Lou Nicewarner, installing marshal, Lena Gipson; installing organist, Sadie Taylor; installing chaplain, Bertha Miller; installing secretary, Mattie Lee Roberts; retiring from the east will be Virginia Moore, worthy matron and Clifford Moore, worthy patron. Officers to be installed are:

Jewel Chesshir, worthy matron; Jack Bullard, worthy patron; Zona Woods, associate matron; Wilbur Woods, associate patron; Era Willis, secretary; Leona Bowers, treasurer; Iva Willis, conductress; Myra Knox, associate conductress; Lela O'Pry, chaplain; Wilma Morrison, marshal; Lois St. Clair, organist; Mildred Macon, Adah; Winnie Jordan, Ruth; Dorothea Weeks, Esther; Marian Porter, Martha; Geneva Essary, Electa; Mattie Ramby, Warden; Alvin O'Pry, Sentinel.

John W. Mather Receives High School Certificate

John Welborn Mather, son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Mather, will receive a High School certificate from New Mexico Military Institute on Tuesday morning, June 4, 1946.

Young Mather has been enrolled in the High School division for three years, and is completing the First Year Advanced Course in the Senior Calvary Unit of the R.O.T.C. He is one of fifty boys from Texas included in the total of one hundred seventy-four who will receive High School certificates at the graduation ceremonies. Sixty-eight per cent of the cadets receiving High School certificates enroll in the Junior College division, and may become graduates of New Mexico Military Institute after completing the two-year course.

Enrollment at New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, is limited to 586 cadets. Of this number, one hundred seventy-two are from Texas. Thirty-one states and foreign countries are represented in the geographic distribution of cadets this year.

Ferguson Clinic To Move Friday

The Ferguson Clinic will occupy the home recently vacated by the Hume Russells. Dr. Ferguson expects to start moving Friday, May 31. He will install new x-ray, electric cardiograph, metabolizer and other modern diagnostic equipment.

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TRAFFIC FATALITIES AND ACCIDENT COSTS NEW NATIONAL PROBLEM

With the nation's traffic fatality rate almost back to its post-war peak, and not only the number of accidents but the cost of accidents rising each month, American automobile owners are faced with a problem that only they can cure.

That this is a national problem has been signified by the National Highway Safety Conference called by President Truman in the campaign currently being sponsored by The Advertising Council (the cooperative group of advertising leaders who produced most of the war bond and other war-time advertising campaigns) in cooperation with the National Safety Council.

That it is a local problem is evident in this and every community by the increasing number of deaths and injuries which are reported almost each week.

Some idea of the trend in the number and severity of automobile accidents can be gathered from statistics just released in the interest of safety by the State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company, which writes the automobile protection than the next two largest companies combined, so has a greater cross-section of facts than probably any similar organization.

All through 1945, and at a high accelerated rate after V-J Day, the termination of gasoline rationing, the number and severity of automobile accidents increased, the State Farm Mutual reports out.

This trend in the number and severity of automobile accidents has continued to increase in the first quarter of 1946 and with the resumption of vacation travel this summer is not likely to slacken.

In the first quarter of 1946, the company had an increase of 8 per cent of claims received for the first quarter of 1945, the report shows. There were 21 per cent more claims reported in January and February of this year than in November and December 1945. In March the number went up by 5.5 per cent over January and February and 7.5 per cent more claims were paid than any previous month in the company's history.

At the same time, the average cost of claims for automobile accidents has continued to grow. For example, the average 80 per cent collision claim cost 93 per cent more in 1945 than it did in 1942. While in 1945 the cost of the average claim was the highest in the history of the company; in the first quarter of 1946 the average cost was up 18 per cent over 1945.

With the average car over 8 years old—with bad brakes on 1 can in 7—with thoughtless drivers "hitting it up" on worn tires—accidents involving defective equipment have more than doubled today—and so in many cases, has the most of repairing the damage to the automobile—where it is possible to make repairs. All of this in addition to an average of 950,000 people injured or killed each year in traffic accidents.

These old cars are, generally, more extensively damaged in an accident than newer models, simply because parts are worn and often rusted. For example, a rear fender on a certain make of 1941 automobile listed at \$8, but because a new one was unavailable it cost more than five times the price of a new fender to repair it. The average increase in repair costs is up from 25 to 45 per cent.

All of this means that even automobile owners who are protected by insurance will have to pay more—because in the final essence, the cost of insurance is determined by the amount the insurance company must pay for claims. As every safety agency has pointed out, the only remedy for loss of life, loss of the use of our automobile and the penalty of higher insurance rates is CAREFUL DRIVING. The remedy rests with the average motorist. Unless every automobile driver drives more carefully the report concludes, America will reap the greatest toll of human life in history this year, the financial loss will hit the pocketbook of every car owner.

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Early Sell-Out Of Space At Texas State Fair Loomed This Week

DALLAS—An early sell-out of exhibit space at the State Fair of Texas loomed this week. Fred E. Eennax, superintendent of exhibits at Fair Park, stated that space either already under contract or reserved to date was more than that sold by the first of August during previous years of the Fair.

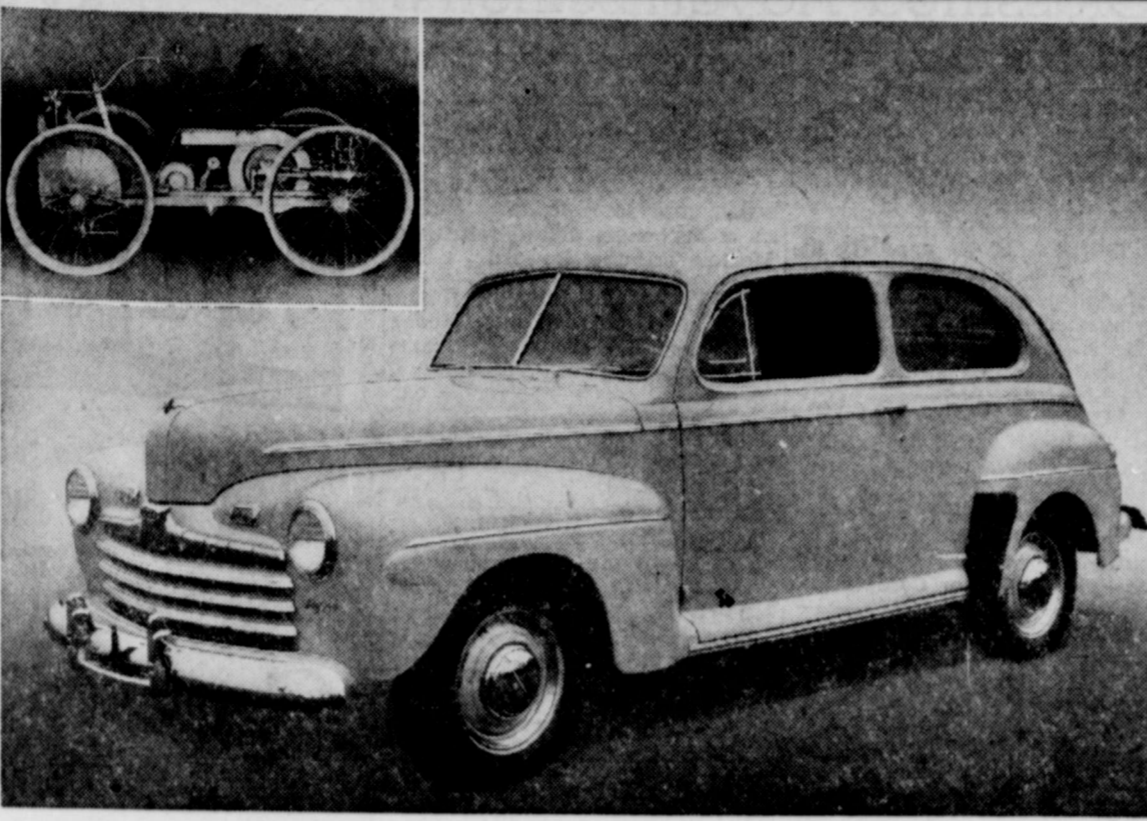
Figures show that nearly 60 per cent of exhibit space inside buildings had been leased, while nearly a half million square feet out-of-doors is under contract.

NOTICE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING WHITEFACE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the City of Whiteface, Cochran and Hockley County, Texas, at 10 o'clock A. M., beginning on Monday, the 3rd day of June, 1946, and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in the said Whiteface Independent School District, until such values have finally been determined, for taxable purposes, for the year 1946, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are here notified to be present.

F. E. Baldrige, Secretary, Whiteface Independent School District, Whiteface, Texas, 20th day of May, 1946.

Ford Honored in Auto Golden Jubilee



Contrasts between 1896-1946 are shown in this photograph of the first and most recent Ford cars.

Dearborn, Mich.—Henry Ford, working in his machine shop at 58 Bagley avenue, Detroit, in 1893, dreamed of liberating the world from a slow, horse-drawn kind of civilization.

Three years later, on June 4, 1896, he rolled his first gasoline driven buggy into the street, and the celebration in Detroit this year of the automotive industry's Golden Jubilee is a tribute to his vision.

Today, more than 31,000,000 Ford cars and trucks have been built and Ford Motor Company plants span the earth.

The present Ford Motor Company was formed in 1903, and success was immediate. At the end of four months a dividend was paid to the original 12 stockholders.

In 1905, the company moved from the two-story Mack avenue plant to a new four-story building at Piquette and Beaubien, Detroit. Production soared as models A, B, C, F, K, S and R were introduced in quick succession, and five months later the first of the famous model T's was introduced.

In December 1909, the company moved again, this time to its new 61-acre Highland Park plant. Here the first endless chain conveyor was installed. It was the birth of low-cost production and the beginning of the liberation of labor. In 1914 Henry Ford started the world by announcing Ford employees would work only eight hours a day and receive a minimum daily wage of \$5.

Again the Ford Motor Company needed breathing space, so in 1915 a thousand acres of land were acquired on the Rouge river in Dearborn.

Henry Ford had purchased the stock held by Alex Malcolmson in 1906 and had become president and controlling owner, and in 1919 the Ford family acquired the interest of the minority stockholders for \$75,000,000 and became sole owners.

Eagle boats were built in the Rouge plant during World War I, and after the war many activities were transferred to the new plant from Highland Park. On Oct. 31, 1925, an all-time production record was set with 10,000 Model T cars built in a single day.

In December 1927, the new model A was introduced and the next year Henry Ford announced a minimum \$7-a-day wage.

In 1922 the Ford Motor Company paid \$8,000,000 to Henry M. Leland and his son, Wilfred, for the assets of the Lincoln Motor Car Co. It was not until 16 years later that the Mercury was introduced.

The miracle of Ford production continued to pour automobiles from assembly lines across the nation, and the need for more space still plagues the company. Today more than \$225,000,000 has been earmarked for expansion.

On May 26, 1943, Edsel Ford, president of the company, died suddenly and Henry Ford, then past 80, again took over the presidency. Soon after this, Henry Ford II, Edsel's eldest son, was released from the U. S. Navy to assume the duties that had been his father's for so many years. Recently, his brother Benson, after three years in the armed forces, has returned to take up duties in the company and help his brother carry on the great Ford tradition in the automobile industry.

For Lieutenant Governor



ALLAN SHIVERS of Jefferson County

The father of two children, he left the Senate to volunteer in World War II, served overseas and now asks promotion to the office of Lieutenant Governor, for which he is qualified, based on service and experience. Address Allan Shivers, Port Arthur, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter left Friday for Ledbetter, Tennessee, to visit Mr. Ledbetter's Grandfather who is celebrating his 90th birthday.

Tommy Holloway, five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Holloway, returned from Phillips-Dupree hospital, Levelland, Saturday. His condition is improved.

"Stork Club" Will Be At Wallace Sun. And Mon.

Everybody who reads the news columnists and listens to the radio has heard about the world-famous Stork Club, the night spot of the world. Now, for the first time, it will be possible to get inside the Club—no matter where you are—as Paramount has produced a motion picture using that glamour spot for the background of an equally glamorous film.

The film is B. G. DeSylva's first independent production for Paramount, "The Stork Club", starring Betty Hutton in the role of a hatcheck girl to whom the most amazing things happen, because she saves the life of an eccentric millionaire. The millionaire is portrayed to advance reports, that genial gentleman has a role that is as well-tailored to his lovable characteristics as the one which won him an Academy Award in "Going My Way."

"The Stork Club" is due to arrive next Sunday and Monday at the Wallace Theatre.

Lady Nearly Choked While Lying In Bed—Due To Stomach Gas

One lady said a few days ago that she used to be afraid to go to bed at night. She was swollen with stomach gas, which always got worse when she went to bed, and the gas would rise up in her throat after she lay down and would nearly choke her. She couldn't lie flat. Had to prop herself up on pillows. Recently this lady got INNER-AID and now says gas is gone, stomach feels fine, bowels are regular and she can go to bed and sleep soundly.

INNER-AID contains 12 Great Herbs; they cleanse bowels, clear gas from stomach, act on sluggish liver and kidneys. Miserable people soon feel different all over. So Don't go on suffering! Get INNER-AID. Sold by all drug stores here in Cochran County.

Women soon learn that if you give a man an inch he thinks he's a ruler.

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SMART & RORK W. K. SMART, Manager

Livestock Classes To Be Set Up For State Fair In Dallas October 5-20

DALLAS—Classes will be set up for all beef and dairy cattle, swine, sheep and poultry fed by farm and ranch youth in preparation for the State Fair of Texas here, Oct. 5-20, Roy Rupard, Fair secretary announced today.

All standard show divisions included in programs at the Fair before its discontinuation in 1941 will again be included, Rupard said, plus a few new classes to be announced later.

The unior Livestock show will be held this year as a separate event, Oct. 5-8, with all barns and pens turned over to teen-age exhibitors.

THREE STOOGES TURN WAITERS

When a freshly opened night club has to engage The Three Stooges as waiters, you can expect a bang-up job, and that's what these comedy veterans do in Monogram's gay musical, "Swing Parade of 1946", due next Saturday Prevue at the Wallace Theatre.

Fuqua's Cafe

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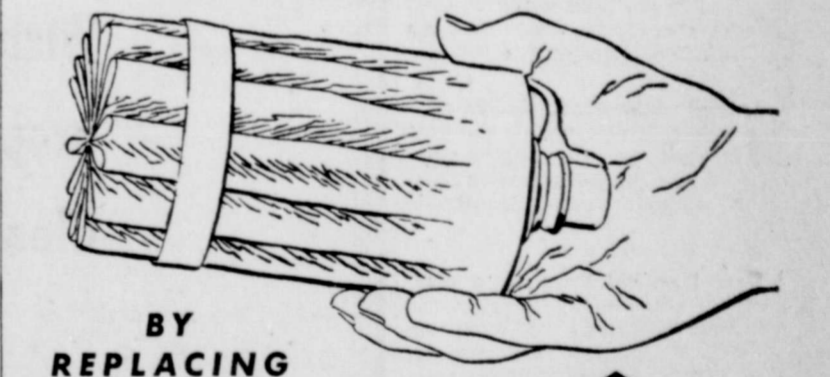
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Protect your tractor engine with the new International Harvester "umbrella" type filter element. It lasts twice as long as the familiar star-shaped element and is more efficient than the old-style cloth or metal strainers which must be cleaned daily. Even under adverse operating conditions the "umbrella" element affords full protection for 120 hours of use (100 hours for Diesel engines).

This new element is made of special, creped cellulose, resin-impregnated and baked to form a plastic-like material that withstands hot oil without collapsing. It keeps oil free from harmful material and filters out particles so small they can be measured only in microns.

For maximum protection use the new "umbrella" element and change regularly at the recommended time interval. Take home a supply today.

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Announcements

— by ann england —

The Lion's Club is receiving the plaudits of the community for their generous gesture in giving the war bonds and stamps held by the club to the American Legion building fund. These funds were earmarked for the first for some sort of memorial for the Morton and Cochran county servicemen. In our opinion no more fitting memorial could be erected than this American Legion building that will serve as a meeting place for the servicemen, their friends and neighbors and as a recreation spot for all.

The V. F. W.'s and American Legion are to be commended too for going ahead with their plans despite many difficulties confronting them, in building at this time.

The party given Sunday afternoon in the Nicewarner home by the Birthday Club honoring the Hume Russells was a lovely affair. The club originated four years ago with twelve couples, who were close friends, as members. There are now nine of the original twelve. This club is a purely social one but has afforded the members many happy hours and good times together. The Russells have been one of the most popular couples and will be missed a great deal, not only in the club but by the community as a whole, as they contributed generously of their time and money to every civic and social improvement.

The members of the Garden Club have the most interesting programs and the one held last week in the W. W. Williamson home was especially nice. Mrs. Williamson's home is lovely with new interior decorating and comfortable arrangement of furnishings.

The folks here on "Texas Last Frontier" continue to win our admiration. The latest thing to simply overwhelm us was the gift of money to the Tom Browns to help with hospital bills, doctor etc., when Mrs. Brown goes to the hospital soon for much needed surgery. Never have we seen any finer display of brotherly love. In telling us the circumstances Mr. H. J. Andrews said, "Tom has never turned down a chance to help, and now that he needs help we will all stand by."

The Floral shop being built by the Cheshers will be ready to open soon, we hope.

We were among the sidewalk superintendents watching the machine used by the Cullum company dig out the paving for the sewers. They have to cross the paving eleven times to lay Morton's sewers and when that machine goes to work it goes the job done but quick.

Some one must have used a lot of water, to drain our city water reservoir dry between 12 midnight Sunday and 6 a. m. Monday. There was not a drop of water for coffee making purposes at our house. Wonder what the firemen would have done if a fire had broken out some where? Besides the spouse likes to wash his face before coming to town.

Ladies night at the Lion's club was a festive affair with the girls all dressed up in long formal dresses and the fellows with their faces washed and hair slicked down.

Mrs. J. W. McDermitt, a comparative newcomer to Morton and a pretty addition to local society was gowned in a powder blue jersey with sweetheart rosebuds in her dark hair.

Mrs. Charles Hans, beautiful daughter of the Tom McAlisters and her handsome husband were guests of Tom. She was dressed in a white sheer long sleeved model with two red roses in her hair.

Mrs. J. E. Knox, who is always beautifully dressed was wearing a very becoming blue brocaded bodice with net skirt. Pastels are especially nice on Mrs. Knox with her pretty silver hair.

Mrs. A. J. Smith (recent bride) looked sweet in an orchid taffet and net formal. The A. J.'s are a handsome young couple.

Everyone looked as if she or he had just stepped out of a hand box but after all we couldn't spend all our time taking notes, we too, went to the party to eat.

Wanda Tolliver and Dorothy Tarver sweet girl graduates and popular Morton entertainers were given a big hand by Lions and guests for nice singing.

We understand Dorothy will enter college soon and Wanda with her Mother will go to California for a holiday.

Political Announcements

The Tribune is authorized to publish the following announcements for political offices under which names appear, subject to the Democratic primary, Saturday, July 27, 1946.

SHERIFF, TAX ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR

MAC W. HANCOCK (re-election)
NILE WEED
W. E. (PROF) ANGLE

COUNTY ATTORNEY

M. C. LEDBETTER (re-election)

COUNTY CLERK:

J. B. KNOX (re-election)
T. W. (Joe) PIERCE

County Judge and Ex-Officio County Superintendent:

L. L. PRICE
R. C. STRICKLAND, (re-election)
J. L. WINDER
GLENN THOMPSON

COUNTY TREASURER

A. D. FOREHAND
D. E. HAMILTON
ARTHUR COOK
J. C. (Joe) MILLER
ODELL SMITH
H. F. (Shorty) ELLIS

COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 1

J. R. WARD, (re-election)
L. M. BALDWIN

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 2

H. J. (Hugh) KNOX
W. C. COOK
H. T. SWINNEY
E. C. WHITE (re-election)

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 3:

JOHN KENNEDY (re-election)

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 4:

C. G. SHAW (re-election)

DISTRICT ATTORNEY 72nd JUDICIAL DISTRICT

LLOYD CROSLIN
TOM GORDON

JUSTICE OF PEACE:

DR. J. L. SMITH

FOR CONGRESSMAN:

19th Congressional District
GEORGE MAHON
HOP HALSEY

Mr. and Mrs. Petty of Whiteface were in Morton Saturday. The Pettys have been living in Corpus and report a noticeable change in conditions there since the shipping has been curtailed.

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Classified Advertisements

— FOR SALE —

Cotton Seed: Got 'em Macha for mechanical or hand harvesting. 81 per cent germination, government tested. —Johnnie Graham, 12 miles northeast. 14p

OR TRADE—100 lb. capacity ice box and 2 bell telephone boxes. Will sell for cash or trade for anything of value.—A. H. Hancock, 1 mile west of Morton Schools. rtn

OR TRADE—2 good brood sows and 10 head of shoats.—A. H. Hancock, 1 mile west of Morton Schools. rtn

New motors for Dodge and Plymouth cars and also rear tractor tires—Morton Motor Company.

FOR SALE—Moveable 4 foot kitchen cabinet, both wall and base unit. See Mrs. W. B. Mitchell, Star Rt. 1, Pep, Tex. 14p

FOR SALE—Macha Storm Proof Cotton Seed—half mile east of Morton, C. A. Moore. 15p

FOR SALE—Washing Machine telephone 21 or see Mrs. Roy Hill. 13p

FOR SALE—Butane Water heater in good condition.—Nation's Barber Shop. 16nc

FOR SALE—Baker Windmill in first class condition, 4 foot chicken wire, about 50 good cedar posts, see J. A. Holloman, Box 55, Morton. 14p

FOR SALE—Choice location on pavement, one 4 room stucco house, city gas and lights, 10x12 smoke house, barn and corral, well, windmill, rock tank 7x12, nine choice lots, Bargain.—N. H. Corder. 13p

— FOR RENT —

4 unfurnished rooms for rent—Inquire at telephone office. 13p

— WANTED —

WANTED—Clean White Rags—Allsup Chevrolet. 13c

— LOST —

Paint Pony, pet of boys. Finder please notify Charley Cravey. 14p

LOST—Chiffon Multi colored scarf, sent from France, valued as a keepsake, please return to Morton Tribune, Reward. 13p

LOST—Brown billfold, finder may keep billfold but please mail social security card and drivers license to P. E. Adams, Morton. 13c

FOUND—2 keys attached to safety pin, owner may have by paying for this ad.

MISCELLANEOUS

Need an irrigation or water well? Call Chaney Hardware, phone 901F11, Littlefield. Joe Miller, contractor at Whitharrall. 13p

TO LEND—The Church Federation has sick room necessities to lend, consisting of gowns for men, women and children, sheets pillow cases and baby clothes. Hot water bottle and syringe attachments, ice cap and thermometer. These may be secured free of charge by anyone needing them by seeing any member of a local church missionary society.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dyer, daughter and granddaughter were visitors in Hobbs, N. M., last Friday. Elra Oden, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Purifoy, Jack and Bill Mapes spent the week-end fishing on a ranch in northern Panhandle.

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FLY SWATTERS **8c** MAXWELL HOUSE TEA **21c**
Wire Handle Each 1/4 Pound

Crystal Wedding OATS Large Size **24c** White Swan Sour KRAUT Gallon **74c**

Crackers **16c** Krispy POUND

COOKING OIL **29c** HONEY **57c** STARCH **9c**
Pint Vvalde 2 lbs. Linit Large Size

Bright and Early **74c** 3 LBS. COFFEE

DROMEDARY DATES **22c** DILL PICKLES **89c**
7 Ounces Sliced Gallon

Lux Flakes **26c** LARGE SIZE

CANE SYRUP **9c** CHERRIES—Maxaschino **26c**
New Orleans Pint 8 Ounces

Miracle Whip **19c** 1/2 PINT Mayonnaise

Reinbeck White Sweet **71c** Toni— Plus Tax **\$1.05**
CORN Gallon Cold Wave Set

CARTON **\$1.16** POUND GINGER SNAPS **21c**
Prince Albert

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NOTICE!

D. C. BOWMAN

Wishes to announce that the proposed sale of Bowman's Cleaners was not completed—

Bowman Cleaners are still in business

and offer you the same expert tailoring and courteous service as in the past.

D. C. Bowman