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C of C revitalization planned

A bold new program to stimulate and improve the Morton Area Chamber of Commerce was outlined in a meeting of the board of directors Monday night.

Board members took the attitude that the chamber has lain dormant long enough and if it is ever going to function properly as a chamber of commerce again, that the time for action is now.

A lengthy discussion was held on methods of increasing the scope and efficiency of chamber activities and ways to make it more beneficial to its membership.

The general consensus was that the board itself has not been sufficiently active in the past and that the general membership has not been included in the projects and programs the board has set forth. It was therefore decided to actively cultivate more membership participation and to canvass them for new ideas for progress.

In an effort to enlist the aid and participation of the individual members, the board voted to depart from tradition and hold membership meetings more often. A full membership meeting has been called for June 5 and will be held in the county activities building beginning at 7:30 p.m. All members of the chamber are urged to attend the meeting and to bring their ideas for progress with them.

In further efforts to gain additional ideas for the program in Morton, the board voted to visit other cities and towns that are known to have dynamic chamber programs in progress and study their past and current projects for possible adoption here.

The first city to be studied by a delegation from Morton will be Hereford, which is known to have an outstandingly successful chamber of commerce. The board expressed the desire for this visit to be made prior to the June 5 meeting so that information gathered there can be passed on to the entire membership.

The possibility of an early membership drive was discussed with no definite action taken at this time. Chamber membership was at a low of 79 at the last count and the board members expressed strong interest in boosting this up to numbers that it has maintained in past years.

In other business, the board voted to hold a special meeting May 28 at 8 p.m. in the Chamber board room for the purpose of working out an agenda for the general membership meeting. All board members are urged to attend.

The Brownlow family, who regularly participate in the Country and Western Jamboree here, have agreed with the board's authorization, to act as coordinators.

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A HAPPY OCCASION . . .

MORTON SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS and some of their most successful charges get together for their last time in an official capacity as they prepared for the high school commencement exercises Tuesday night. Each of the seniors above had a major role in an all-student ceremony that was inaugurated this year in which no outside speaker

addresses the class. Left to right are school board president Don Lyskey, student body president J. Wayne McDermitt, salutatorian Zoellen Ledbetter, school superintendent Bob E. Travis, valedictorian Helen Lynch, class president Dennis Clayton and high school principal Fred Weaver.

Teacher closing lengthy career

Mrs. May Williams, primary school teacher at Three Way is bringing to a close what is possibly a record career in teaching. With the end of this school year she will retire after 56 years in the classroom, 52 of which have been consecutive, without a break.

Mrs. Williams, who turned 85 years of age May 1, but handles herself like a young 60, has taught at Three Way for the past 11 years, having come there on request of school authorities after she had retired from the New Mexico school system.

She was born in Llano county, Texas and began teaching in the county's only school in 1908. She moved to New Mexico in 1910 and began teaching "nester" children in a one room school house. Her first New Mexico school had five grades in the one room and a later one had eight grades.

Schools at Delphos, Doss and Causey, New Mexico were included in a teaching span of 41 years in the schools of Roosevelt county before she retired at Causey in 1959.

The only break in her teaching career came from 1912-1918, when she dropped out to "raise a family," she states. During that period she had three girls and returned to teaching in 1918 when the youngest was 18 months old. From then until now, she has taught every year.

"When I lost my husband 28 years ago, my whole life was in my teaching," she said, and added "That I tried to bring my children up to be teachers, but I was unsuccessful in that."

★ Absentee voting

Absentee voting for the Democratic Primary Election run-off began May 27 at 8 a.m. and will end June 2 at 5 p.m. All voters must appear in person at the office of the County Clerk between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday to be eligible to cast their absentee ballot. Ballots will be mailed in the County only to persons who are ill. Out of County ballots will be mailed upon request.

Mrs. Williams will leave behind a saddened faculty at Three Way where she is highly regarded both as a person and as a teacher. As one faculty member remarked to the Tribune, "Mrs. Williams isn't just a teacher, she is a very special teacher."

As Mrs. Williams departs from the classroom, she leaves behind the following thoughts:

I have finished my work and laid aside My paper, my pencil, my pen. As I look about I see many of my

boys are grown responsible men. And the little girls I taught to read, cypher, count, and to spell. Are grown and I see them serve Their homes and Country well.

"Where is your reward?" You may ask and what shall I do today? I'll get my gift from the lives of those I have guided along life's way. And when the shadows begin to fall And I'm looking up to pray I can say, "Dear God, I did my best I pine not for my yesterday."



ENDING LONG CAREER . . .

MRS. MAY WILLIAMS, primary school teacher at Three Way, is shown during one of her last classes as she closes out a 56-year teaching career with the end of the school year. This includes a continuous stretch of 52 years during which she did not miss a single year of teaching. Mrs. Williams, who was 85 years old May 1, retired from New Mexico school systems in 1959 and has taught at Three Way since that time. She has specialized in primary teaching for most of her career.



DEADLY MISSILE . . .

MRS. PERCY DEWBRE holds a large curved piece of steel that made the hole in the plate glass window of the Steak House restaurant that appears just above her hand. Her husband sits in a booth by the window to illustrate where a customer was sitting when the missile struck the window narrowly missing his head and making a sound like a rifle shot. It is believed that the metal peice was hurled there by a large lawn mower that was in operation on the court-house lawn at the time. The distance of travel was approximately 80 yards.

School officials announce calendar for coming year

The school calendar for the 1970-71 school year was recently released by the Morton Independent School District.

The school year is approximately two weeks longer than it has been for the students and approximately three weeks longer for the teachers. It will begin with teachers in-service training from August 24-28, with the first day of instruction on August 29. The term will run until May 28, with commencement scheduled for May 28 and teachers in-service training on May 29.

The calendar reads as follows:

- August 24-28 Teacher in-Service (Elementary-Secondary).
- August 31 First Day of Instruction (Lunch will be served).
- October 9 End First Six Weeks. (30 Day Reporting Period).
- October 10 Teacher In-Service (Elementary).
- October 12 Begin Second Six Weeks.
- October 30 End First Nine Weeks. (Secondary).
- October 31 Teacher In-Service (Secondary).

November 2 Begin Second Nine Weeks (Secondary).

November 20 End Second Six Weeks. (30 Day Reporting Period).

November 23 Begin Third Six Weeks.

November 25 Classes Dismissed at 2:30 p.m. for Thanksgiving Holidays.

November 30 Classes Resume After Thanksgiving Holidays.

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Morton resident's grand daughter dies

The Tribune was notified Wednesday morning that the granddaughter of Mrs. Opal Coon of Morton was killed in an accident at Pine Grove, California Saturday night.

Four-year-old Ladania, daughter of Mary Ruth Coon, formerly of Morton, was killed when she jumped out the window of a pickup truck which ran over and killed her.

Relatives here stated that she and her father were in the truck getting ready to leave their home when he returned to the house momentarily. While he was gone the truck started to move and the girl jumped from the window. The accident occurred at about 7:30 p.m. Saturday.

Mrs. Coon was en route to California when the Tribune was notified of the tragedy and exact details were not available.

Commissioner's Court approves landscaping for courthouse grounds

The Cochran County Commissioner's Court approved plans for landscaping the courthouse grounds at a special meeting Monday, May 25.

Plans were submitted by a committee from the Cochran County and LeFleur Garden Clubs headed by Mrs. Roy Hill. Dr. Everett Janne, Landscape Specialist from Texas A&M at College Station drew the landscape designs that will be used. Dr. Janne's services were secured through the Texas A&M Extension Service and the Cochran County agent's office. The contract approved was in the amount of \$875 and was awarded to Tom's Tree Place in Lubbock.

Approximately 44 plantings will be made which include pecan trees, redbud, elegans, cotoneaster, dwarf mugho pine and yucca.

Planting is scheduled to begin in approximately ten days.

Pitch, Hit, Throw winners announced

A total of 25 entries participated in the local competition of the national Pitch, Hit and Throw contest at Little League Park Saturday.

The contest, sponsored nationally by the Phillips 66 Oil Company and locally by Window Oil and Butane, is for boys nine through twelve and is designed for boys from each category to work their way up to the national level. National finalists will compete at the All-Star baseball game at the Astrodome in July.

Local winners by age bracket were:

Nine years — 1. Donald Mc Masters, 2. Jarrol Layton.

Ten years — 1. Ricky Lewis, 2. Rusty Lamar.

Eleven years — 1. Sandye Hodge, 2. Troy Patton.

Twelve years — 1. Lanny Tyson, 2. Lonnie Harrison.

First place winners were awarded a plaque and a warmup jacket. Second place winners received a warmup jacket. The four first place winners will go to Amarillo June 6 for district competition.

Buck Tyson acted as coordinator for the competition Saturday.

Kenneth Taylor, Miss Gray high band award recipients

Kenneth Taylor and Glorietta Gray, graduating seniors, were recipients of the two highest band awards given by Morton High School in ceremonies last week.

Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Taylor of Morton, received the John Phillip Sousa award which is presented to the senior who has contributed the most to the band during his high school years.

Miss Gray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Connie Gray, also of Morton, received the Orion Award, presented to the senior considered to possess the most all-around musical talent. Recipients of both awards are annually chosen by vote of their fellow band students and the band director.

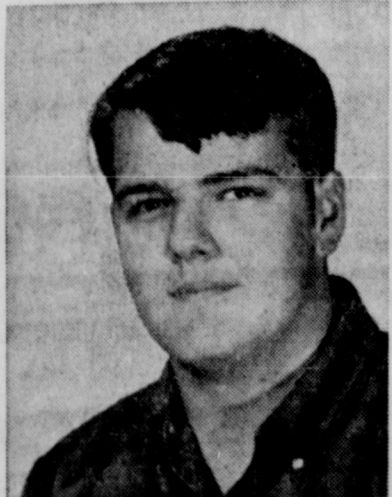
Taylor has been in the band since elementary school and was selected to be

all-region band for two years in succession. He is planning to attend Eastern New Mexico University where he has been offered a very good scholarship in music.

Miss Gray has also been in the band since elementary school and was selected to the all-regional band for two successive years. She holds local, district, state and international pins in piano competition, has sung in the choir and worked with the junior choir of the First Baptist Church in Morton for several years and plays piano for the junior Sunday school department.

Both award winners participate in the Community Christmas Cantata in Morton each year.

Glorietta is planning to attend West Texas State University where she will continue her studies in music.



Kenneth Taylor



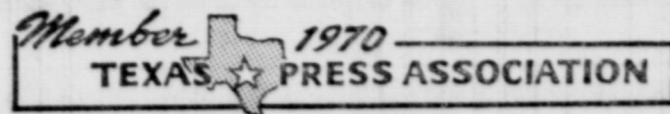
Glorietta Gray

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Griffith on dean's list

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LOST: Red bull calf, weighing around 225 pounds, has a white spot on head. Call T. C. Lynch, 266-5933. 3-20-c

CARD OF THANKS —

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Peggy Buchanan Newman sends a great big "Thank You", to David Murray, Dennis Howell, Jeff Townsend, Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter, Mr. O. L. Tilger and all workers of the Community Action Center. 1-28-c

CARD OF THANKS

Many thanks to all who sent cards, flowers, visited and offered prayers during my recent stay in the hospital. A very special thanks to Dr. Dean, Dr. Dubberly and all the nurses. May God bless each of you. H. Y. Christian 1-19-p

Notice —

NOTICE:

In compliance with the laws of the State of Texas, the Board of Trustees has asked for sealed typewriter bids for next year.

The following information is provided:

1. The possible number of typewriters is 5.
2. The kind of typewriter is Royal portable (hard case only) and Royal upright.
3. The style of typewriter is manual.
4. The figures needed are on 1st and 2nd line models.
5. Give the major points of the guarantee.

6. Furnish the school with the cost scale for typewriter service and give details of service.

7. Envelopes should be marked "Sealed Typewriter Bids" so that they will not be opened prematurely.

8. Bids will be opened on Thursday, June 25, at 9:00 p.m.

9 For further information call 933-2361, Area Code 806.



MULE SKINNERS AT PLAY...

THE MULESHOE MULE SKINNERS country and western band is shown in full cry as it performed at the country and western jamboree in the county activities building in

Morton Saturday night. A typically large crowd was on hand as several bands and individuals performed at the event which is held the fourth Saturday of each month.

About local folks...

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Graves and Phillip attended the graduation at West Texas State University Saturday, May 23. Their son-in-law, Rich Booker, received a degree in Business Administration. He was in the ROTC program and will enter the United States Army as a Second Lt. in January.

Mrs. Edna Lemons has been visiting relatives and friends in Breckenridge the past several days. Her grandson, Skeeter Sutton, and his fiancée, Carol Vanbeber, drove down to be with the Gerald Folsom family, as Gerald, a grandson, was in the hospital from burns caused by an exploding water heater. Skeeter and Carol returned home and Mrs. Lemons stayed only to be hospitalized herself from a minor car accident. At this count no one knows just when she will be able to come home.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Weems and children of Ralls were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Anglin last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy St. Clair and his mother, Lois, left last Friday to attend "Fall Showing" market in Dallas. Enroute they visited with Lois' father and family in Haskell. Saturday they visited with Mr. and Mrs. John St. Clair in Denton and returned to Morton Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Jean Baldrige and family formerly of Morton were visitors over the weekend. They were dinner guests of the Truman Anglins on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Nesbett, Mrs. Louise Talley, Louis and Lee spent Sunday with the Nesbett's daughter, the W. W. Shields, in Idalou.

Mrs. Lee Sullivan and daughters of Hamilton are visiting in Morton this week and attended the graduation of Gary Sullivan. They are house guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Sullivan and Mr. and Mrs. Burt Darland.

Weekend guests in the Olin Cooper home were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cooper and children and Craig Perrin of Center Colorado. Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Cooper and son of Lubbock and Mrs. Louella Cooper also of Lubbock. Sunday guests for a get-together included Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gresham, Mrs. G. F. Cooper, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Short Lemons and Mrs. Noville Goodman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gardner left Saturday for their new home in Mansfield. They moved to be near their daughter and family, the James Shephards, and five sons. They plan to stay an indefinite period of time.

Dub, Lewis, Wiley, Ronald and Wilson Hodge left Friday afternoon for Avondale, Arizona to assist Wilson in his move back to Morton. Earlier in the week, Wilson and family had arrived in Morton

bringing only their personal effects. The five boys arrived in Morton Sunday afternoon, sleepy and tired but happy to have Wilson and family back home again. The Wilson Hodges will reside on SE 4th St.

Mr. E. E. Crooks of Brownwood visited last week in the home of his sisters, Mrs. J. L. Nations and Mrs. R. D. Butts.

Out of town guests attending the wedding of Miss Donna Hofman and Phillip Pharies Friday were: Mr. and Mrs. Tip Barnes of Crossroad, N.M.; Mrs. Tolly Gray of Tow; Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Giles, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Giles and Shelly of Albuquerque, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones and Sammie Jones King of San Angelo; Mrs. H. L. Jones, Abbybelle Jones and Monk Jones of Fort Worth; Mrs. W. C. Hofman and Mrs. Bill Hagar and Nolita of Carlsbad, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nunnally of Fort Summer, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hawthorne of Lovington, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Arlan Perkins of Milnesand, N.M.; Mrs. Alton Ainsworth, Mrs. Alvie Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams of Biedsoe, Mrs. Lavoy Thompson and Krista of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Weems of Ralls; Mrs. B. N. Graham of Farwell; Hazel and Bruce Giles, William Giles of Lubbock; Tolly and Lorene Ivey, Helen Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Thompson and Bill, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Biggs, Jim and Penny, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Cook, Mr. and Mrs. David Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nowlin, Mr. and Mrs. Judson Burnett, Treadway, Jana and Beth, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. I. J. Duff and Denise, Mrs. Betty Roger Hartsell and Pam, Randy Hoover,

son of Levelland.

Expected house guests of Mrs. Evelyn Seagler for the weekend are her daughter Linda, Don Matthys, Linda's fiancée Mrs. C. O. Matthys and Mrs. H. C. Matthys all of Pasadena.

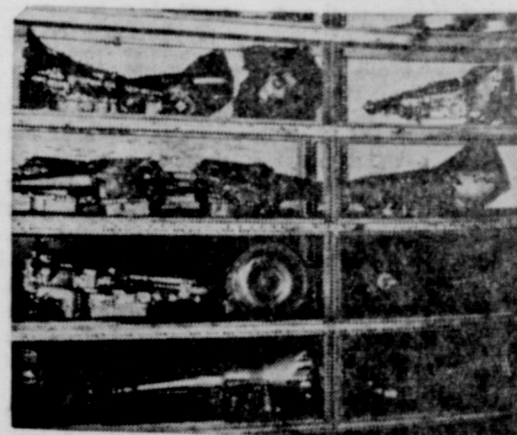
Marlin Dough Rose, formerly of Morton and now living in Austin is among the spring graduates of the School of Pharmacy at the University of Texas. Marlin will be associated with Breckenridge Hospital in Austin upon graduation.

Out of town guests attending the wedding of Steve Ray and Patsy Hans were: Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Jones, Patsy and Billy of Kansas City, Kansas; Mrs. E. Towe, Long Branch, New Jersey; Mr. Becky Johns, Grand Prairie; Mr. and Mrs. Patrick H. Foster, Austin; Mrs. H. Nail, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robinson and Bubba Jones of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ray, Campbell; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stephens, Dumas; Dorothy Kendall Olton; Evie Eby, Houston; Tom Wilder, Denver, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burer, Hurst; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Phillips and Mrs. Elzada Bird of Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Harris, Mrs. C. J. Harris, Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cotton, Mark, Toni and Tim, Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Nunley, Mr. and Mrs. M. Nunley, Jim and Tommy Nunley; Jim Wilder, Miss Cindy Greene all of Lubbock; E. T. Branham of Vernon and Mrs. Ruth D. Ware of Las Cruces, N.M.

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Miss Hofman-Phillip Pharies recite wedding vows Friday

Miss Donna Marie Hofman and Mr. Phillip Edward Pharies exchanged double ring wedding vows at 7 p.m. Friday May 22, in the First United Methodist Church in Morton. The Rev. Rex Mauldin, pastor, officiated the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Don Hofman, Bell Ranch, New Mexico and Mrs. Roy Pharies and the late Mr. Pharies of Levelland.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a formal length gown of white peau de soie and organza of empire design with chapel train. The dress and train were trimmed with motifs of chantilly lace, hand clipped and applied by the bride's grandmother, Mrs. C. H. Silvers. The bridal veil was of silk illusion and fell shoulder length and her bouquet was a cascade of gardenias and ivy on a white Bible.

Mrs. Billy Lynn Smart was matron of honor and bridesmaids were Misses Patsy Collins of Morton and Kathie Barton of Brownfield. They wore floor length gowns of aqua blue crystaletta, featuring braid outlined waist lines and long sheer sleeves. They wore matching bows in their hair and carried white baskets of white and blue flowers.

David Pharies, of Levelland, served his brother as best man and groomsmen were Richard Giles, of Albuquerque, New Mexico and David Sharbutt, of Levelland.

Guests were seated by Paul Pharies, brother of the groom, and Roger Bullew

of Levelland.

Wedding selections were presented by Mrs. Earl Polvado, organist, and Mrs. James Walker, pianist. They accompanied David Pharies who sang "If Ever I would leave thee" and Miss Lanette Morton who sang "The Lord's Prayer."

Miss Carol Ann Freeland registered guests.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the home of M. A. Silvers, uncle of the bride.

At the bride's table a three-tiered wedding cake and punch were served from crystal appointments. The groom's table featured a coffee service and dark cake. Alternating at the serving tables were Misses Nolita Hagar, Carlsbad, New Mexico, cousin of the bride; Patsy Collins, Kathie Barton and Mrs. Billy Smart. Others in the house party were Mesdames M. A. Silvers, Derwood McClintock, W. B. Merritt, J. C. Reynolds, and C. M. McMaster.

Rice bags were distributed by Monty and Donnie Merritt.

For a wedding trip to Ruidoso and points in New Mexico the bride traveled in a costume suit of pink linen with matching accessories.

After June 1st the couple will be at home at the Village Apartments, 3002 4th St. Lubbock.

The bride is a graduate of Morton High School and the groom of Levelland High School. Both are graduates of South Plains College Levelland and are attending Texas Tech University. Mr. Pharies is employed by Humble Oil Co. in Lubbock.



Mrs. Phillip Edward Pharies

NOT MUCH LEFT...

C. K. FIERCE, who farms a part of the Don Bomar ranch three miles east of Morton, and Willie Jones, who works on the farm and lives in the house shown above, view the remains of the five-room frame building following a fire which razed it to the ground Monday afternoon. Only the brick chimney and metal furnishings remained after the fire, which Jones said lasted only some ten minutes. The Morton fire department answered the call to the blaze with one piece of equipment and approximately 15 men.

ELECT
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As Probate Judge over these same eight years I handled many estates for probate after a loved one had passed on. The purpose of this court is to protect all the heirs and creditors, and to settle the estate for tax-purposes, if any be due. This I have accomplished with the least amount of difficulty.

If elected your County Judge, I will conduct the office with dignity and fairness to all.

Thanking you for any consideration you may have given me in this election, I am

GLENN W. THOMPSON

Candidate for County Judge and Ex-Officio School Superintendent

(Pol. adv. paid for by Glenn W. Thompson)

TEEN SCENE

by DORISE HOUSE

"At last, school is out!" is the cry of most students, and "Oh, no!" is the cry of most parents.

School was out yesterday with the end of final exams. Tomorrow tells the tale of how much we, the students, have achieved. Report cards come out.

The Seniors had their commencement exercises last Tuesday night. Helen Lynch was Valedictorian and Zodie Ledbetter was Salutatorian. J. Wayne McDermott spoke at the ceremony in place of a commencement speaker. The Senior flower was the rose.

R. S. — What's this I hear you did in choir? Congratulations, anyway.

C. S. — What did you wear to school Tuesday? I thought that wasn't allowed.

Mr. S. — I heard all your tests were easy! Is it true?

Mr. H. — I heard all your tests were hard, as usual! Doubt they were as hard as they sounded.

J. W. M. — What did I hear about what you did to someone's Car????

Mr. W. — Has anyone wrecked the Driver's Ed car yet? wasiR

Almost every Senior was exempt from all tests, so the halls looked pretty bare this week. After Tuesday night, some Seniors split town, some off visiting, some just gone, some have jobs for the summer and some are going to summer school.

This is my last column for the Teen Scene, and I hope I haven't hurt anyone's feelings by the "Guess the name game." Maybe I have kept you informed about some of the things that have happened at MHS — it's been fun for me and hope it has been for you too! Congratulations to all the graduating seniors at MHS and all the surrounding towns. Ya'll be good!!

Luncheon honors senior graduates

Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter and her daughter, Zoellen, were hostesses for a luncheon honoring the graduating senior girls commencement day, May 26.

A salad buffet was served from a pink linen covered table featuring an arrangement of pink and orchid flowers, the class' chosen colors.

Guests were seated at tables for four with white linen cloths and centerpieces of pink roses, the class flower.

Attending were: Diane McCasland, Karen Abbe, Diane Avery, Glo Gray, Lana Smith, Shelia Corder, Sandra Courtney, Peggy Thomas, Rosalinda Reyes, Helen Lynch, Debbie Kuebler, Cindy Kuebler, Kay Wood, Linda Romans, Mary Minor, Jo Ann Fincannon, Anita Jones, Sherri Macdonald, Jane Holloway, Lupe Orasco, Rita Bedwell, Geneva Turney, Becky Van Hoose, Vicki Goodman, Ruthie Smith and Deletta Nebhut.

Perdue completes basic training

Pvt. Loyd Wayne Perdue, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Perdue of Lubbock completed basic training May 22 at Fort Ord, California and will remain there for advanced training.

His wife, the former Teresa Mullinax, is making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mullinax of Morton, while he is away.

Comments on Conservation

By Wayne Wilcox

If you see Steve Ellis and he has a worried look on his face, he has reasons. You see — Steve helps coach a Little League team. The team has been having a hard time trying to win a game. On top of this, Steve has had to pinch hit for me while I took my wife to Scott and White Clinic in Temple.

VACATION TIME

When you see fine graduation publications, such as the one put out by the "Morton Tribune" last week, you know vacation time is just around the corner. Vacation Reminders:

Accidents are vacation spoilers. A safety check should be given to the automobile and equipment that is to be used on the vacation.

Next, be safety minded. Trash thrown

from an automobile can be a safety hazard. Most states and parks provide places to dump trash where it will not cause a safety or pollution problem.

Bottles and paper from various items are menaces to man and animal. Grass fires have been started by sunlight striking bottles, livestock have chocked on tin cans, and landowners have had an increase in blood pressure upon seeing trash scattered over their property.

Ta Wanka Campfire girls meet May 19

The Ta Wanka Campfire girls met May 19. They sang the Campfire Song and repeated the Torch Bearers Desire.

Later the group went to the hospital to water flowers they had set out on Saturday, May 16.

Debbie Adams served refreshments to the group. Cindy Meek from Wheeler was a guest.

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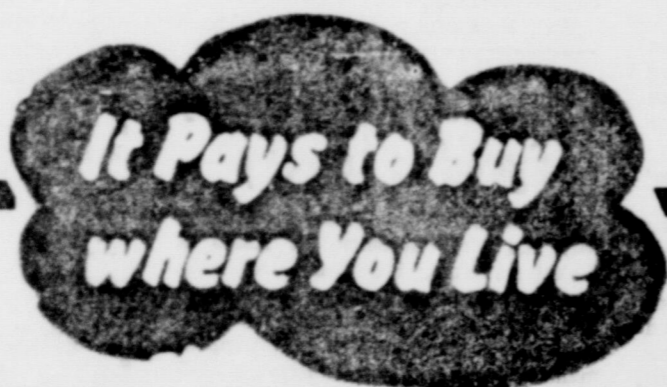
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Patricia Hans-Stephen Ray wed in candlelight rites

Miss Patricia Jane Hans became the bride of Stephen Eugene Ray in a candlelight ceremony Saturday evening, May 23, in the First Baptist Church. The Rev. Paul McClung officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood J. Harris and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ray of Harlingen.

The bride, given in marriage by her step-father, wore a floor length gown of white peau de soie featuring an empire bodice and long sleeves of Bordeaux lace and matching chapel train. Her veil of French silk illusion was waist length, trimmed with lace, attached to a petal cluster of pearl tear drops. She carried a cascade of feathered carnations centered with three white orchids.

Mrs. Jay Towe, of Long Branch, New Jersey, was matron of honor. Miss Barbara Kennedy of Morton and Miss Becky Johns of Grand Prairie were bridesmaids. They wore empire floor length gowns of orchid tulle attached to matching flower bands. They carried nosegays of feathered carnations with orchid streamers and bows.

Bestman was Mike Owens of Fort Worth and groomsmen were Terry Hans, brother of the bride, and Jim Wilder both of Lubbock. Ushers were Delmer Wilson of Levelland and Joe, Jim and

Tommy Nunley, cousins of the bride from Lubbock.

Mrs. L. S. McCarty, organist, accompanied Mrs. Donnie Dewbre, soloist, as she sang "I Love You Truly" and "O Promise Me."

A reception for the couple was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Johnson. The bride's table featured a three tiered wedding cake and a centerpiece of orchid organza roses. Silver appointments were used. The groom's table featured dark cake and silver appointments were also used.

Members of the houseparty were: Mrs. Bobby Travis, Mrs. W. L. Foust, Mrs. Joe Beseda, Mrs. Joe B. Nunley, Mrs. Joe M. Nunley, Miss Vickie Kennedy and Miss Doris Beseda.

For a wedding trip to Ruidoso and El Paso, the bride wore a red and white linen ensemble with red accessories. Her corsage was three white orchids.

Mrs. Ray is a graduate of Morton High School, attended South Plains College and is employed with T.I.M.E. in Lubbock.

Ray graduated from Richland High School in Fort Worth, attended South Plains College and is a Junior student at Texas Tech University. He is Assistant Manager of Cobb's Department Store in Lubbock.

The couple will make their home at 2401 45th Street, Lubbock.



Mrs. Stephen Eugene Ray



Mr. and Mrs. Paul Glenn Row

Bob Travis attends education conference

Bob Travis of Morton was among 55 administrators who attended the Special Education Conference May 20 in Lubbock. The meeting was for administrators serving in local school districts through-

out the region. Sponsored by the Region XVII Education Service Center in Lubbock, the meeting was held to outline proposals for special education for the upcoming school year.

The proposals were divided into three main categories of discussion:

Assistance in the development of expanded pupil appraisal services.

Provision for consultant services for special education.

Creation of a special education materials center to support regional special education programs.

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(Pol. adv. paid for by Don Lynskey)

Miss Griffiths, Paul Row exchange wedding vows

Miss Margaret Louise Griffiths and Paul Glenn Row exchanged double ring wedding vows Monday, May 25, at 8 p.m. in the Bledsoe Baptist Church. The Rev. Fred Blake, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church, Levelland, officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. William Rex Griffiths and Rev. and Mrs. Herbert Row, both of Bledsoe.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal length empire gown of white bridal satin covered with organza and trimmed with venetian lace. Her veil was a mantilla of organza and venetian lace. She carried a cascade of gardenias and feathered carnations featuring rose buds which were presented to the mothers of the bride and groom.

Barbara West, of Brownfield, was maid-of-honor. Kay Row, sister of the groom and Nancy Griffiths, sister of the bride were bridesmaids. They wore streeth length dresses of flocked voile

fashioned with puffed sleeves, empire waist and pink satin sashes. They carried a long stemmed daisy.

Don Benet Row, brother of the groom, was bestman. Groomsmen were Steve Sutton of Bledsoe and Gary Joe Smith of Brownfield. Tracey Griffiths and Gary Young were ushers.

Wedding selections were presented by Mrs. Bea McCormack, organist and Mrs. Ray Cotton, soloist.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in Fellowship Hall of the Church.

After a wedding trip to Corpus Christi, the couple will make their home in Levelland.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Row are graduates of Bledsoe High School and are attending South Plains College. He is employed with Beseda Grain Company in Whiteface.

Whiteface Club officers installed

Mrs. Van Schooler installed the 1970-71 officers of the Whiteface Garden Club following a salad supper in the Home-making Department of the Whiteface High School May 18.

Mrs. S. J. Bills and Mrs. R. K. McCoy were hostesses for the supper. Officers installed were: President, Mrs. F. O. Hemphill; First Vice President, Mrs. Jerry Marks; Second Vice President, Mrs. J. W. Smith; Parliamentarian, Mrs. R. D. Heneley, Sr.; Reporter, Mrs. Bills and Secretary, Mrs. G. C. Keith.

Yearbooks will be presented to the next meeting, June 1, in the home of Mrs. Hemphill. Period floral arrangements will be studied and Dutch and Flemish, French Baroque and French Rococo and Louis XVI and Marie Antoinette types of arrangements will be compared.

"Walk a Mile With Me," a poem was read at the close of the meeting and will be the theme for the coming year.

Members attending were: Messdames Hemphill, Hensley, McCoy, Bills, Smith, Marks, Schooler and Keith.

Dennis Lemons home from Vietnam duty

Dennis Lemons, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Lemons, has returned from a 11 month tour of duty with the 101st Airborne Division's "Screaming Eagles" in Vietnam.

Lemons served as flight engineer on a Chinook C-47 Helicopter and is being reassigned to the 55th Avnbn Division at Fort Hood. He will report for duty there Friday.

While serving with the "Screaming Eagles," Lemons was awarded the Air Medal with Oak Leaf Clusters, the Army Commendation Medal and the Bronze Star.

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Long distance calls set one day record after Lubbock tornado

A record 11,380 long distance telephone calls were placed with the Levelland traffic center of General Telephone Company of the Southwest on May 12, according to G. T. Hamilton, division manager.

The record calling was attributed to the tornado at Lubbock on May 11.

The Levelland toll center handles long distance calls for Levelland, Morton, Sundown, Whiteface and Smyer of General Telephone, and Arnett and Pettit exchanges of the South Plains Telephone Cooperative, Inc. Also, the Lehman and Maple exchanges of the Five Area Telephone Cooperative, Inc.

"Even though we had all available operators scheduled for the anticipated volume of calls, we know that we had slower answering time and some circuit congestion. We certainly appreciate the patience and understanding that was displayed by our customers," Hamilton said.

Look Who's New

Mikel Tray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Autry of Rocharin. Mikel arrived Friday, May 22, at 10 a.m. and weighed 8 pounds and 7 ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edd Autry of Enochs.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ellis are the parents of a baby girl born May 24 at 6:10 p.m. at Cochran Memorial Hospital.

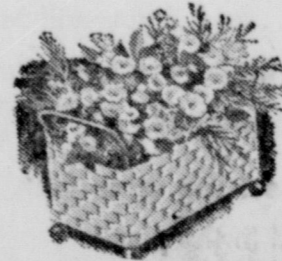
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Bula-Enochs news

by MRS. J. D. BAYLESS

Wayne and Tommie McKinney left Lubbock where they will be visiting their grandparents, the T. W. Smiths, for a month. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Coffman of Morton, stopped in for a visit with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bayless Thursday afternoon. They were enroute home from Hart, where they visited their daughter, Rev. and Mrs. C. T. Cunningham, and attended their grandchildren's, Francis and Tom, graduation.

Supper guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Milsap Monday night was Vernon Bryant of Dallas. Renee Beasley, Melony Roberts, Shonye and Teresa Autry finished their schooling they attended at Lubbock, each Saturday for six weeks. They also attended the White Glove Educate Course Banquet last Saturday night at Hemphill Wells in Lubbock. Each girl receiving a diploma could invite one guest. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Burley Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. George Autry and Mrs. Alma Altman.



Deborah Faye Miller

Miss Deborah Miller to wed Rooney Hobson

Mr. and Mrs. Chester T. Miller have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Deborah Faye, to Rodney Stark Hobson, son of the Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Hobson of Borger.

Miss Miller is a graduate of Morton High School and attended South Plains College. Hobson graduated from Morton High School and Frank Phillips Junior College and attended West Texas State University.

The couple plan to marry June 19 in the First Missionary Baptist Church at 8 p.m. All friends are cordially invited to attend.

Don't Forget To Vote Absentee!

Mrs. J. D. Bayless visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bell Tuesday morning with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. George Henderson of Amarillo, and Mrs. Trixie (Henderson) Blanton of California.

Edd Autry and his grandson Kenny Turney, left Friday for Lake Conchas for a fishing trip. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Short of Avondale, Arizona and Mrs. Edd Autry joined them Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Snitker and children of Sunnyside visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Snitker Sunday and attended church with them at the Enochs Baptist Church.

Mrs. Linda Ogle was a patient in Cochran Memorial Hospital from Wednesday until Friday.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gilliam Sunday were Carlton Gilliam and son, Larry, and Vester Gilliam and Mack Manis of Lubbock.

Pamela, Freda and Susan Layton played in the music recital Saturday night at Christ the King Auditorium in Lubbock. Freda liked $\frac{1}{2}$ point being listed in the top ten.

Mr. and Mrs. Quinton Nichols and sons, Richard and Miles, visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dean Nichols at Idalou Sunday. Mrs. Quinton Nichols was admitted to Methodist Hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bryant spent last weekend with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Duayne Bryant and family at Clayton, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Nichols visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Grusendorf Saturday afternoon and drove to White River Lake to fish.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Milsap, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bayless and Claud Coffman of Muleshoe fished in the Lazbuddie area Saturday.

The Bula W.M.S. met Tuesday for their Mission Study. Mrs. E. W. Black gave the study in the Mission Book "In the Northeast." Mrs. Rowena Richardson read the prayer calendar and Mrs. E. O. Battles offered the closing prayer. A shower was planned for Miss Jean Davis, bride-elect of Mike Richardson. It will be held June 1 in the Bula school lunchroom from 4 to 6 p.m. Seven members attended the study.

Donald Smarts host rehearsal dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smart were hosts for a rehearsal dinner in the First United Methodist Fellowship Hall Friday, May 15, preceding the marriage of their son, Billy Lynn, to Miss Margaret Lois Ledbetter.

Seated at linen laid tables decorated with ivy and yellow daffodils were the parents of the bride, Judge and Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter and members of the honored couples wedding party: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Palvado, Mr. and Mrs. James Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Browlow; Misses Sharon Irwin, Donna Hofman, Zoellen Ledbetter, Vicki Goodman Ronette Smart; Messers Dick Vanlandingham, Wayne Thompson, Lamell Abbe, Ronnie Windom, Dan McCasland and Phil Pharies.

CofC...

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nators of the show in the search for more participating groups and individuals. It was decided to rotate the master of ceremonies duties among persons from the various towns that regularly participate and to pay a fee of \$25 for their services.

The donation box for last week's show contained a total of \$48.17, which will go far in defraying the costs involved in putting it on, Mrs. Tennie Wall, chamber secretary, stated.

Calendar...

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December 23 Classes Dismissed at 2:30 p.m. for Christmas Holidays.

January 4 Classes Resume After Christmas Holidays.

January 14 End First Semester. End Third Six Weeks. End Second Nine Weeks. (30 Day Reporting Period) (90 Days First Semester).

January 15 Student Holiday.

January 13-16 Teacher In-Service.

January 18 Begin Second Semester. Begin Fourth Six Weeks. Begin Third Nine Weeks.

February 26 End Fourth Six Weeks. (30 Day Reporting Period).

March 1 Begin Fifth Six Weeks.

March 19 End Third Nine Weeks. (Secondary).

March 20 Teacher In-Service (Elementary-Secondary).

March 22 Begin Fourth Nine Weeks. (Secondary).

April 9 End Fifth Six Weeks. (30 Day Reporting Period).

April 19 Classes Resume After Easter Holidays. Begin Sixth Six Weeks.

May 23 Baccalaureate Service 7:30 p.m., County Auditorium.

May 26 Last Day for Seniors.

May 28 Commencement For Seniors 7:30 p.m., County Auditorium, Last Day of School. End Sixth Six Weeks. (30 Day Reporting Period). End Fourth Nine Weeks. (90 Days Second Semester).

May 29 Teacher In-Service.

1970 Cancer Crusade receipts announced

Mrs. Daryl Bennett, Crusade Chairman for the Cochran County American Cancer Society, announced the recent crusade had netted \$1,475.00. Of this amount, \$157.00 has been contributed as memorials. Mrs. Bennett pointed out that these memorials and any received in the future are designated to be used for research.

The Unit held its final meeting for the year May 19 with a noon meeting at the Wigwam Cafe. Mr. Red Low, with the district office, was present for the meeting. He announced the District Annual Meeting would be held June 18 in Littlefield and urged members to attend.

Elected to serve as members of the board for the coming year were: Mrs. Willard Henry, President; Mrs. John L. McGee, Vice President; Mrs. Leonard Coleman, Secretary; Mrs. R. W. Kelly, Treasurer; Mrs. Leonard Groves, Memorial; Mrs. Ralph Yeary, Campaign Committee; Medical Committee representatives will be Mrs. Daryl Bennett, nurses and Dr. W. M. Dean, doctors; Public Education, Harold Drennan; clubs and organizations, Neal Rose; Service Chairman, Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter; and Publicity, Mrs. Dexter Nebhut.

The Cochran County Unit will resume regular meetings in September.

Hospital notes

Patients admitted to Cochran Memorial Hospital May 20 through May 26 were: George Nesbitt, A. A. Fralin, Mrs. Nora Davis, Marie Quisenberry, Mrs. Francis Youngblood, L. D. Burrell, Manuel Lopez, Randy Kanstantakos, Mary Helen Artega, Alfred Richardson, Jr., Paul Flores, Toribio Carasarez all of Morton. Mrs. Billy Mynard and Steve Orvedhal of Whiteface; Mrs. Linda Ogle of Enochs and Johnnie Martha Marrow of Pettit.

Wedding party honored with rehearsal dinner

Mrs. Roy Pharies of Levelland honored her son, Phil, and his bride-elect, Donna Hofman, and their wedding party with a rehearsal dinner May 21 in Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church in Morton.

Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Don Hofman, parents of the bride, and the bride's grandmother, Mrs. C. H. Silvers.

Spring flowers were featured in table decorations. Those attending were: David Pharies, Paul Pharies, Richard Giles, David Sharbutt, Roger Bullen, Mr. and Mrs. James Walker, Jimmy and Stephen, Rev. and Mrs. Rex Mauldin, Joy, John Paul and Allen, Miss Kathy Barton, Miss Patsy Collins and Miss Lanette Morton.

LeFleur Club winners in show

Due to an oversight by the Tribune, winners in the LeFleur Garden Club Placement Show May 16, not listed in "Moon Exploration and 'Man's Triumph'" categories were Mrs. C. W. Wiggins and Mrs. Don Samford.

Bookmobile schedule

The High Plains Bookmobile will be in the area on the following dates:
Wednesday June 3, Circleback — 8:45-9:45; Bula No. 1 — 10:15-11:15; Bula No. 2 — 12:00-1:00.
Saturday June 6, Morton — 9:30-12:00.

Dean's honor roll list 22 Mortonites

The South Plains College Spring 1970 Dean's Honor List has been announced by Academic Dean Nathan Tubb.

Attaining above a 3.0 grade point average and carrying twelve hours or more from Morton were: Karen Rozell, John V. Grusendorf, Gwin Dean Lewis, Rita Barkley, Janella Nebhut, Martha Illene Hill, Randy Lee Brownlow, Juanita Walker, Deborah Miller, Donna Sealy, Thomas Hudson, Patsy Faye Collins, Tommye Brown, Donna Hofman, Elliott Benefield, Jimmie Lea Lamb, Dorothy Rae Spence, Weldon Legan, Cynthia Hester, Jesse Elizondo, Carol Freeland and Carrel Lindsay.

St. Ann's Bible School scheduled for June 1-6

St. Ann's Catholic Church Bible School is scheduled to begin June 1 and run through June 6.

Classes will start at 9 a.m. and masses will be read at 11:30 a.m. daily. Each child is asked to bring a sack lunch. Students will be dismissed at 3 p.m.

Children ages 4 years through 8th grade will be included in the school. Four Sisters from area towns will conduct classes with lay assistants, according to Mrs. Leonard Coleman.



WEDDING BELLS...

MR. AND MRS. TERRY HOUSE pledged double ring vows at 7 p.m. Saturday, May 16, in the First Assembly of God Church. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Van Hoose and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. House.

Lighter Later Tops weekly meeting held

The Lighter Later Tops Club met May 13 and May 20 for their weekly meetings. Pat Clayton had the best weight loss for the week of May 13 and Nellie Fincher for the week of May 20.

Mrs. Clayton gave a program on "Put your diet on the scales." She stressed using a well balanced diet and stated a person must eat less and exercise more to lose weight.

Thought for the day was "Slow down,

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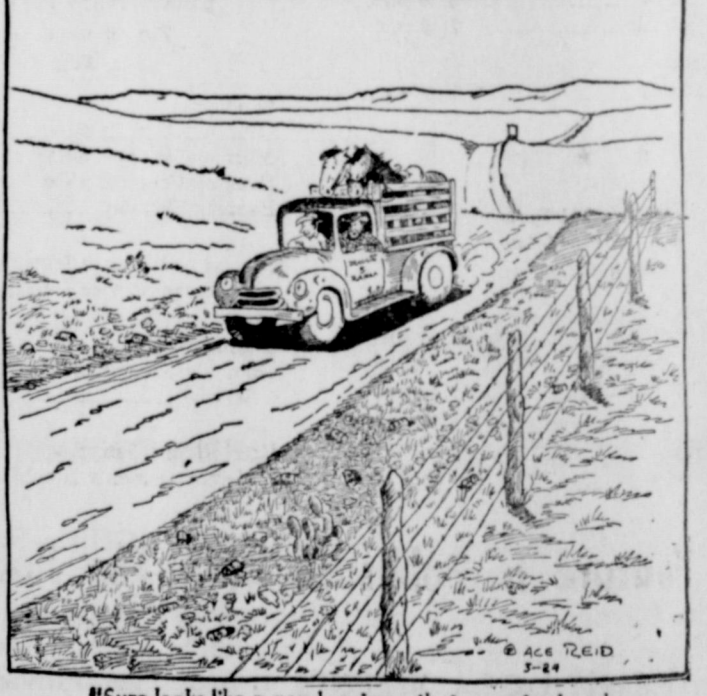
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AUSTIN, Tex. — Big turnover in state tax is costing taxpayers \$19 million a year, state administrator Henry Rothell, associate administrator of Texas Employment Commission, said today. Turnover of 26.48 per cent is due to "competitiveness" of industrial salaries. The state is acting as a training agency for private industry at a cost too expensive to follow," the veteran employment administrator reported.

Despite difficulties in retaining skilled personnel, state employees have received substantial pay raises from the last two legislative sessions. Unemployment rate for the state as a whole continues well below the national average.

Employees in convention here were urged to continue working with legislative leaders to help solve the problems.

INDUSTRIAL RACE ON — Plans for establishment of 126 new manufacturing plants and expansion of 176 existing plants in the first five months of 1970 are reported in "Texas Industrial Expansion," published by UT's Bureau of Business Research.

Twenty-nine new plants in May alone are located in Aransas Pass, Commerce, Corpus Christi, Corsicana, Dalhart, Houston, El Paso, Fort Worth (3), Preston, Garland (2), Grand Saline, Houston (3), Katy, Laredo, Lubbock, McCombs, Mineral Wells, Pearland, Richardson, San Marcos, Seabrook, Stanton and Waco.

DRAFT QUOTA SET — Texas draft for June is down again — from 834 in May to 801, and no man will be inducted with a random sequence number higher than 170.

State quota for pre-induction physical and mental examinations in June is 2,320, less than half the May figure of 5,828.

Those with random sequence numbers 1-215 will be the only ones sent for these exams. No men with random sequence numbers above 215 will be forwarded for examination until further notice.

Men born in 1951, who have no random sequence numbers, will not be called for this purpose. A drawing will be held later this year to establish the numbers for the 1951 group. All volunteers at the draft boards must be inducted ahead of the non-volunteers selected and ordered to report for induction by random sequence number.

Texas' induction quota is the state's share of June's national call of 15,000 men, all for the Army.

FLOOD COVERAGE STARTED — Areas of Baytown and Dickinson Bayou in Harris and Galveston County are the first two Texas communities to establish eligibility for emergency flood insurance.

Insurance at federally-subsidized premium rates may be obtained up to \$17,500 for single-family homes and up to \$30,000 for two-to-four family dwellings. Small business coverage also is available. Home rates range from 40 to 50 cents per \$100. Contents may be insured up to \$5,000.

Twenty-three other Texas political subdivisions have filed for certification of eligibility for the coverage, and 69 others have expressed some interest. Only 37 communities in the nation are now eligible.

Court reversed the intermediate court in holding that Methodist Church property used as the residence of a district superintendent in the San Antonio district is exempt from city taxation.

High Court heard arguments that the Liquor Control Board's controversial guest card rule for private clubs is needed to enforce its ban on open saloons. Third Court of Civil Appeals threw out the rule as vague and issued without finding of fact.

Supreme Court overturned Freestone County and Travis County lower courts decisions in condemnation cases on questions involving admissibility of evidence concerning comparable property values.

Court of Criminal Appeals agreed to review an earlier finding upholding the extradition of Charles Watson to California in the Sharon Tate murder case.

SCHOOL SITE PICKED — Board of Mental Health and Mental Retardation accepted a 200-acre site a mile south of Brenham and named architects for the \$3 million "first phase" of new Brenham State School. Survey showed 1,262 Washington County citizens are willing to work as volunteers to assist the mentally retarded at the facility.

Board also accepted \$102,020 in federal and state grants for services to the mentally ill and retarded. Richmond State School received \$73,995 for the second of a three-year physical development research grant for semi-ambulatory retardates.

These state schools received U. S. Health, Education and Welfare Department grants for student work experience and training: Abilene, \$4,700; Austin, \$4,800; Mexia, \$4,800; and Travis, \$4,700.

Texas Research Institute for Mental Sciences, Houston, got a \$9,025 Texas Foundation for Mental Health and Mental Retardation grant for research on alcoholism.

AG RULES — Judges may retire when eligible on any date they choose and create a vacancy in their office, and a vacancy is also created when a judge is removed for cause. So ruled Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin.

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded that: Political party precinct committeemen are not entitled to compensation or expense allowances for attending a county executive committee meeting.

Mental Health-Mental Retardation commissioner may remove his deputy for constitutional cause without MH-MR board approval.

Former Brownwood fireman who was rehired is eligible to participate in the city retirement fund though he now is over 35; however, to get credit for previous service, he would have to refund contributions earlier made and withdrawn.

State Board of Morticians has authority to request disinterment of a body by a county medical examiner, and the examiner may order disinterment if facts show need for inquest.

SCREWORM RULE OUT — Texas Animal Health Commission unanimously voted to knock out a screwworm quarantine rule bitterly opposed by Mexico.

Regulation required a two-week quarantine of lots of imported Mexican livestock exposed to animals infected with

the screwworm parasite. Mexican director general of animal health argued that the rule was not justified because Mexico treats its own animals for screwworm before sending them across the Rio Grande. Quarantine, official said, resulted in unreasonable heavy losses to Mexican cattlemen.

ALLOWABLE CUT — Statewide oil allowable will tumble for the second month in a row. Railroad Commission set it at 59 per cent of the potential for June. That's a reduction from 64.5 per cent for May. Figure will allow total production of 3,309,344 barrels of crude oil daily. Present allowable permits a top of 3,545,562 barrels a day.

Just three of 13 major purchasers suggested more oil in June. Four asked less, and six were content with the same as this month's allocation. Written nominations came to 3,157,227 barrels a day for June, 94,624 less than May.

RATES UP — Higher fire, extended coverage and homeowners insurance rates are due to go into effect July 1, if the State Board of Insurance follows its staff's recommendations.

However, the Board knows of no company request yet in the making for higher auto policy premiums.

Board staff said new building coverage will vary in price according to construction, location and use.

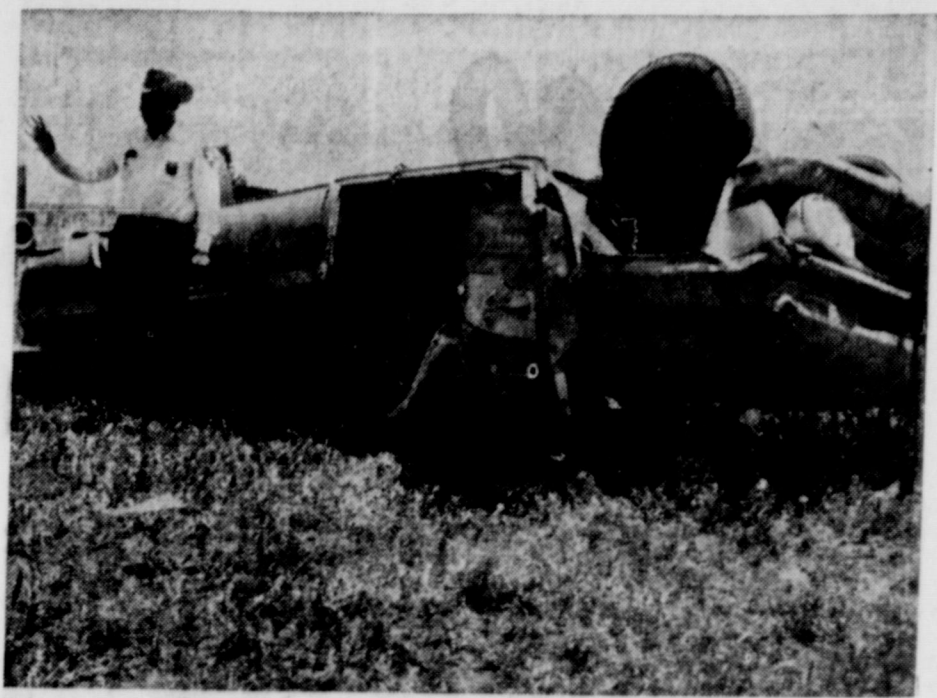
Homeowners' policies may go up as much as 18 per cent statewide, but fire coverage will increase only about 1.7 per cent and extended coverage 6.9 per cent, under staff recommendations pending before the Board.

SHORT SNORTS — West Texas feedlot owners are asking the State Water Quality Board to exempt them from water pollution regulations because their lots are in dry areas where the run off won't flow into a stream or river.

Tommy Townsend of Paris now is acting sergeant-at-arms of the Texas Senate, succeeding Jeff Davis of Austin, who resigned.

Finding out who owes how much in delinquent ad valorem taxes on what kind of property to which of the 3,300 taxing authorities in the state is the job the Delinquent Ad Valorem Tax Study Commission hopes to finish before the next session of the Legislature.

Canned peach slices are perfect for a spring shortcake. Make the cake layers with a package of chocolate cake mix. Put the layers together with whipped cream and peaches, with more of the same on top.



WHERE ONE WAS INJURED...

ALBERT JUNIOR RICHARDSON, of Morton, was injured when the pickup truck he was driving left the Levelland highway near the Alamo Gin Sunday and turned over one-and-one half times before trapping him in the collapsed cab. A large jack was used by rescuers to lift the vehicle sufficiently to extricate him. Sheriff Hazel Hancock is shown during salvage operations.

Bailey County Electric Co-op returns large sum to member users

The Bailey County Electric Cooperative Association returned \$84,152.49 in Capital Credit checks to member users this week.

Of this amount, checks totaling \$52,367.27, went to people who were members of the organization and used its services during 1968. Then checks totaling \$33,237.66, which is 1/4 of the net margins of systems operations for 1966, went to members taking service that year. This completes repayment of all capital credits for the year of 1966.

Operating under a State charter, and in accordance with the Internal Revenue Service laws, Electric Cooperatives, being non-profit corporations, do not make a net profit for their organization. Any money taken in over and above the cost

of operations, belongs to the member owners, and is assigned back to them according to their prorated usage of electric service each year.

The member is issued a capital credit certificate for his share of this money. The capital is held in a reserve fund for emergencies or to insure the continuance of operations. Then when the Board of Directors determines that the Cooperative is financially able, the members' capital is returned to him in cash to replace the certificate he is holding. This is generally done on about a 10-year lag basis.

These checks are not dividend payments; they are simply the member-owners money, which was being used for financial stability of his cooperative, and now being returned to him.

Don't Forget To Vote Absentee!

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 8:00 a.m.

Sunday—Catechism Class,
10:00 - 11:00 a.m.

Confessions—Sunday
Half hour before Mass.

Baptisms 12 noon Sunday
and by appointment.

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FIRST BAPTIST MEXICAN MISSION

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. Willie Johnson
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.



CHURCH OF CHRIST
F. J. Collins, Preacher
S.W. 2nd and Taylor

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

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

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Rex Mauldin, Minister
411 West Taylor

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

Second and Fourth Monday
Wesleyan Service Guild 7:30 p.m.

Tuesdays—
Women's Society of Christian
Service 9:30 a.m.

Each Second Saturday,
Methodist Men's Breakfast 7:00 a.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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FIRST MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Merle Moore, 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—
Mary Martha 2:30 p.m.
G.M.A. 4:00 p.m.

Wednesday—
Midweek Service 7:30 p.m.
Edna Bullard 9:30 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Paul McClung, Pastor
202 S. E. First

Sundays—
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 Choirs 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
N. E. Fifth and Wilson

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 8:00 p.m.

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EAST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST
Russell Dameron, Minister
704 East Taylor

Sundays—
Bible Study 10:00 a.m.
Worship 10:45 a.m.
Worship 6:30 p.m.

Tuesdays—
Ladies' Bible Class 4:15 p.m.

Wednesdays—
Midweek Service 7:30 p.m.

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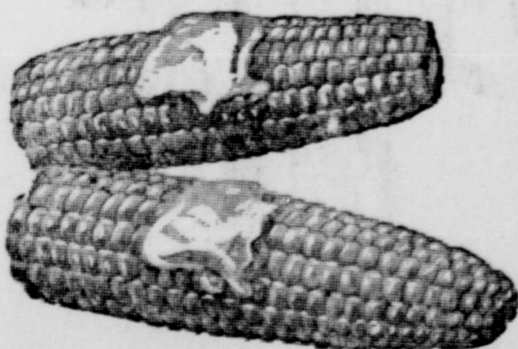
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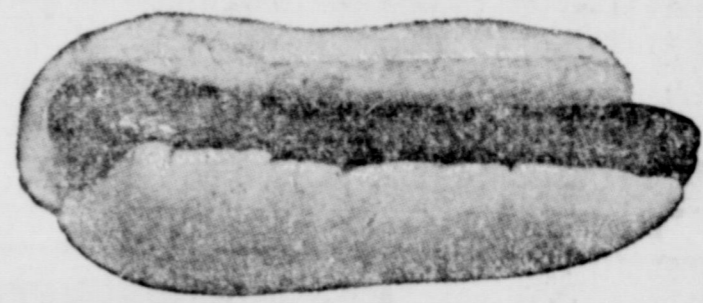
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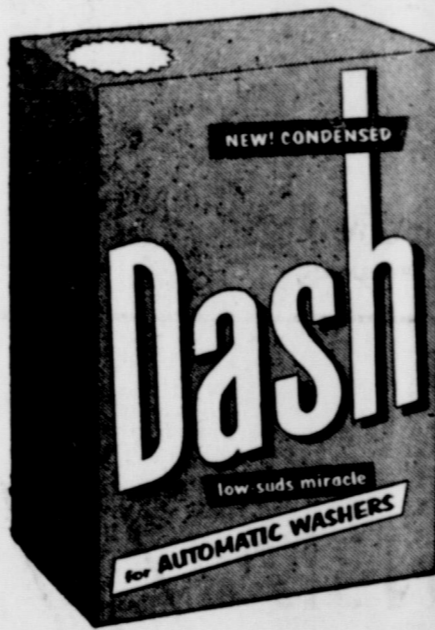
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