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Indians to re-open grid wars

Morton High School coaches will greet perhaps the largest turnout of football hopefuls in the school's history when 1970 prospects report for physical examinations Saturday morning at 10 a.m.

And the big question for Indian fans is — can the Tribe come up with a new look that will match the new and stiff competition in district 3-AA?

Reshuffling of district boundaries and classification enrollments caused a major shakeup of AA teams on the South Plains giving the Indians a new league schedule. The expansion of district 4-AA to eight teams caused UIL officials to move Morton into the adjoining district on the north with Abernathy, Friona, Dimmitt, Lockney, Floydada, and Olton. In addition, Littlefield joined the loop after several years of play in AAA competition.

The new conference is perhaps the best balanced circuit in the state. Only two teams experienced losing seasons a year ago, and all teams have several starters and lettermen returning.

Saturday's physicals will be for all high school boys, including freshmen. Two-day workouts will begin Monday at 9 a.m. for sophomores, juniors, and seniors.

Football prophets have tabbed the Indians to finish no higher than fourth place after the season's dust has settled. Most optimistic is the Top-O-Texas Football magazine, rating the Tribe fourth behind everybody's favorites, Floydada, Littlefield, and Olton.

"If Morton can come up with an interior line to match their passing game," the Panhandle-oriented magazine speculates, "they could be the surprise team of District 3-AA."

Probably the most reliable forecasters, the district coaches, have slated the Tribe to finish fifth in the eight-team heat. According to the *Avanche-Journal's* recent

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Resident injured in Colorado accident

Mrs. Benny Hall was injured in an automobile-train accident Monday night, August 10, at 11:30 p.m., in Lamar, Colo. Her husband, two of their children, Lanette and Tony, and Mrs. Don Hall, also passengers in the car, were unhurt.

Mrs. Hall suffered a broken nose, face lacerations, and back injuries. She spent Monday night in a hospital in Lamar, and is still under a doctor's care.

The automobile was unable to stop when it slid on loose gravel while approaching the railroad crossing. The car was completely demolished.

S. M. Monroe and Danny Hall drove to Colorado to bring the family home, arriving in Morton Tuesday evening.

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GENERAL EXCELLENCE AWARD . . .

MORTON TRIBUNE staff admires the plaque awarded the paper as general excellence winner in the West Texas Press Association newspaper contests. The award was presented at the annual WTPA convention in El Paso last weekend.

Left to right are Jean Sayers, society editor and office manager; Bill Sayers, editor and publisher; David Murrah, sports and feature writer; and Edith Linder, advertising agent and office supply manager.

Final rites held for Morton businessman W. B. Lackey

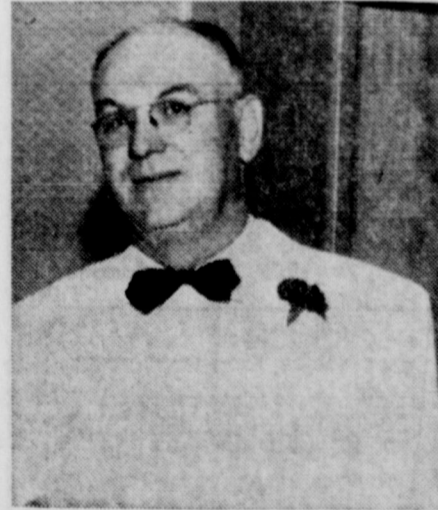
Funeral services for Wesley Byron Lackey, 64, were conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the First Baptist Church with Rev. Mearl Moore, pastor of Missionary Baptist Church officiating, assisted by Rev. Paul McClung, pastor.

Burial was in Morton Memorial Cemetery under direction of Singleton Funeral Home.

Lackey died about 4:35 a.m. Monday in Cochran Memorial Hospital following a lengthy heart ailment. He had been a Cochran County resident for 40 years, was one of the first City Commissioners when the town was incorporated and was County Treasurer for three terms. At the time of his death he owned and operated Lackey's Food Store.

Survivors include his wife, Agnes; two daughters, Mrs. James Pinnell of Mat-

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W. B. Lackey

Tribune garners top prize in WTPA contest

The Morton Tribune has been named first in general excellence in competition with other weekly newspapers published in towns of less than 3,000 population, in the West Texas Press Association annual newspaper contest.

On hand to receive the West Texas Press Association plaque for tops in general excellence at a Saturday El Paso awards breakfast was Tribune Publisher Bill Sayers.

Of the Tribune, judges in the general excellence competition said, "Good news coverage and handling in stories, photos, and cutlines. Good headlines and makeup with good mixing of heavy and medium head style. Good layouts."

Winning the general excellence award for weeklies published in town of over 3,000 population was the Castro County News at Dimmitt, while the Denver City Press won the general excellence award for semi-weekly newspapers.

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RODEO QUEEN . . .

MARY CADENHEAD, 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Cadenhead of Morton, was crowned Queen of the 20th Annual Rodeo Saturday night in Morton. She was sponsored by the Cochran County Sheriff Posse and will reign over next year's rodeo. Mary will be a sophomore in Morton High School and majorette in the band.

Saturday performance rings curtain on successful rodeo

Saturday night's performance of Last Frontier Rodeo rang down the curtain on one of the most successful rodeos ever held in Morton. Good crowds attended three performances, and they were treated to some fine riding and roping, along with thrills galore.

Mary Cadenhead, 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Cadenhead, was crowned 1970 Last Frontier Rodeo Queen at the final performance of the rodeo Saturday night. Her attendants were Mickey Dewbre, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

James Dewbre, and Karen Willis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Willis.

Garnering first place in the parade held in downtown Morton Thursday afternoon was the Gaines County Sheriff's Posse. Lamb County Sheriff's Posse placed second and Abernathy Sheriff's Posse was third. In the junior division riding groups, Muleshoe (Y. L. Saddle Tramps) took first honors, with Lubbock Rangers second and Plains Rough Riders third.

Results of the 20th annual Last Frontier Rodeo are as follows:

Junior Breakaway Roping — first, Steve Polvado, Morton, 29.1 seconds.

Junior Barrel Race — first, Joan Whitehead, Morton, 34.6; second, Losa Voss, Snyder, 35.3; third, Gienda Rowland, Hobbs, 35.7.

Girls' Barrel Race — first, Joan Whitehead, Morton, 34.0; second, Marie Voss, Snyder, 34.2; third, Lisa Jo Mann, Hobbs, 34.6.

Team Roping — first, Freddy Channy and Buddy Ingham, 9.6; second, Cowboy Johnson and Tommy Blassingame, 10.0; third, John Holden and Raymon Hall 10.2; fourth, Freddie Channy and J. L. Kenney, 10.4; fifth, Randall Wilcoxson and Jim Longino, 10.6; sixth, Tex Garnett and

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Arthur Mason named new chief of police

Arthur N. Mason was named Morton City Chief by the Morton City Council Monday night. Mason is former Chief of Police at Denver City.

The new police chief will begin his duties here Saturday, August 15, at a salary of \$300.00 per month, with a \$25.00 per month increase after a ninety day probation period.

Mason is a long-time police officer, and served in Denver City for a number of years.



\$5,000 SLAUGHTER BUY . . .

THAT'S A LOT OF BULL — Sir Bredwell, champion of the 1898 Omaha Livestock Exposition, is pictured here soon after his arrival in Texas at Slaughter's Cochran county ranch. The four-year-old animal cost Colonel Slaughter five thousand dollars, an unheard-of price in 1899. The bull was

kept at the Slaughter headquarters near Morton for three years, and then was moved to Roswell and died there a few years later. The cowboy holding the bull is possibly Hiley Boyd, ranch foreman. (picture from C. C. Slaughter papers, Southwest Collection, Texas Tech.

Unheard of in 1897

\$5,000 for Hereford bull?

BY DAVID MURRAH

Colonel C. C. Slaughter of Dallas shocked the cattle industry in 1897 by paying an unheard-of five thousand dollars for a Hereford bull. He did it again in 1899.

It all began on January 14, 1897. Three Hockley county ranchers, John Scharbauer, A. J. Harris, and Fount Oxsheer visited the Colonel at his bank in Dallas. Scharbauer had recently acquired two thousand head of Colonel Charles Goodnight's famous cross J herd of purebred Herefords, and he told Slaughter about it. That was a mistake, for Colonel Slaughter had been on the lookout for such a buy. With the feeling that the rest of the cattlemen were leaving him behind because he had very little purebred

stock, Slaughter was anxious to improve his own name as a fine cattle breeder. He offered Scharbauer a fabulous fifty thousand dollars for the herd, sight unseen! The smaller rancher could not refuse such a price and the deal was made.

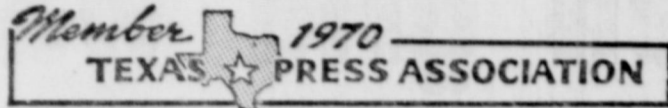
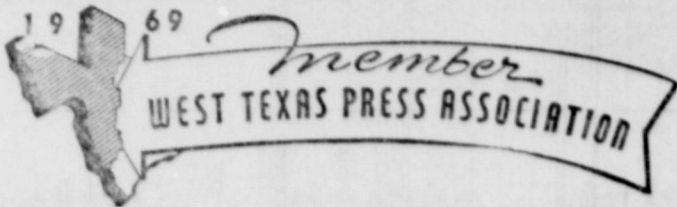
A man's word was good in those days. Relying on what the three plains ranchers had described, Slaughter immediately hired Oxsheer to run the new herd on Oxsheer's Diamond Ranch, a sprawling 140,000 acre spread of leased grass that extended from just south of Silver Lake in northwestern Hockley county to present-day Levelland. Then the Colonel headed to Chicago to find some good bulls to match his new herd.

He soon found what he was looking for.

Ancient Briton, the grand champion of the 1893 Chicago World's Fair, was probably the most famous Hereford bull in the world. Slaughter outbid other interested buyers with a five thousand dollar offer and brought the bull back to Texas along with several others in the spring of 1897.

Slaughter then made his first visit to Hockley county to look at his new herd. He arranged with Oxsheer to have the ranch cross-fenced so that the cattle could be graded and placed with bulls of different quality. He renamed the spread as the Ancient Briton Breeding Ranch.

Two years later, Slaughter spotted another bull that he wanted — Sir Bredwell,



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Indians . . .

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survey, Abernathy should top Morton by a notch.

The highly-popular Texas Football magazine places Morton seventh behind all the district members except Abernathy. Its writer points out that the Indians will count "on defensive promise and good young prospects for bettering last year's 5-5" record.

Head coach and athletic director Ted Whillock, beginning his second year in football circles, is counting on having plenty of "good young prospects" — in fact, the most ever. Anticipating some 24 juniors and seniors to join 30 or more sophomores from last year's fish squad, Morton pre-season fortunes look much brighter from a quantity point of view.

A large turnout may cause dressing room and equipment shortages for the Indian footballers. Problem with overcrowded conditions last year, Morton may have as many as 85 candidates after school starts August 31, including freshmen.

But the large numbers will be needed as MHS prepares to play a complete schedule for varsity, B team, and freshmen squads for the first time in several years.

The new prospects may have a hard time filling the shoes of some departed graduates. Whillock cited the performance of departed grad Larry McClintock as particularly outstanding after reviewing last season's game films. He also indicated that Ralph Soliz, last year's fastest squadman, would be sorely missed along with all-district and regional linebacker, Jerry Steed. Steed will continue his football career at Eastern New Mexico this fall.

The brightest spot for the 1970 Indians is the backfield. With three regulars returning in the form of fullback Terry Harvey, halfback Eddie Lewis, and quarterback Keith Embry, the Tribe will show some bruising power running and good passing if last year's performance is any indication. Harvey averaged nearly five yards per carry in 1969, but was plagued throughout the season with a recurring ankle injury.

Whillock promised a "variety" offense for the 1970 Tribe. "We're going to give them more to look at," he indicated. Fans will get a preview during two preseason scrimmages, both out of town. Morton faces Muleshoe on August 28, and then will travel to Seagraves to engage the highly-touted Eagles the following week. The season opens at home against Plains on September 12.

Defensive strength will be aided by all-regional lineman M. C. Collins, Steve Crockett, and David Carasco. Veterans Monte Dewbre, Elton Patton, and Willie Holland should give the offense added weight and speed.

Filling the forward wall spots vacated by McClintock, Steed and Gerald Baker are cited as the biggest jobs for Indian coaches, but the largest sophomore squad ever may provide the answers. The 1970 season may see the Indians jell into the district dark horse. Without having to face the Denver City Mustangs, the Tribe just may find the conference change to their liking.

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Cochran County, Texas will meet on Monday, August 17, 1970 at 10:00 o'clock A.M. in the Commissioners' Courtroom at the Courthouse in Morton, Texas, for the purpose of considering the County Budget for the year 1971.

Any and all taxpayers of Cochran County shall have the right to be present and participate in said hearing and the Commissioners' Court shall have the authority to make such changes in the proposed budget as in their judgment the law warrants and the interests of the taxpayers demand.

The proposed budget is now on file in the County Clerk's Office and may be inspected by any and all interested taxpayers prior to August 17, 1970.

Dated this 4th day of August A.D. 1970.

J. A. Love, County Judge
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Mrs. Legan hostess to Whiteface Club

Whiteface Garden Club met Monday, August 3, in the home of Mrs. Vincent Legan with eleven members present.

President, Mrs. Fred Hemphill, presided.

A program was presented by Mrs. R. H. Teer, Mrs. O. F. Hemphill, Mrs. G. C. Keith and Mrs. J. L. Schooler in which they exhibited a Free Form Arrangement for the club.

Mrs. J. L. Schooler discussed the Flower Show schedule to the group. Everyone was urged to bring items for the Bazaar at the Flower Show.

The members present were: Mesdames R. K. McCoy, G. C. Keith, Jerry Marks, O. F. Hemphill, R. H. Teer, J. L. Schooler, R. D. Hensley, J. W. Smith, S. J. Bills and James Sinclair.

Members will meet at the Whiteface Park Thursday at 6 p.m. to divide the Iris.

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the champion of the 1898 Omaha Livestock Exposition. Not content with having just a purebred herd, Slaughter wanted to be the champion Hereford breeder: "If we can buy this bull," he wrote his son George, "we can . . . show the world that we mean what we say and that we are determined to raise the best Hereford herd in America."

Slaughter felt that Sir Bredwell was priceless in relation to his own cause. He related in a letter, "These facts will go down in the annals of history — Where is the Champion bull of the world, Ancient Briton? Where is the Champion bull of America in 1898, Sir Bredwell? On the plains of Texas. Who owns them? C. C. Slaughter. To my mind we had better pay ten times the value of this bull alone, than to let him go to another herd."

Slaughter got his way by again paying five thousand dollars. An hour following the big sale, he was offered a twenty-five hundred dollar profit, but he refused. No other bull was ever priced that high for several years following the 1899 sale.

Colonel Slaughter rented one boxcar for Sir Bredwell's train trip from Chicago to Texas. A sign was painted on the side of the car proclaiming Slaughter's pride in his new bull: the sign read, "I am Sir Bredwell and I Am Heading for Colonel C. C. Slaughter's Ranch in Texas."

Sir Bredwell attracted a great deal of attention in the weeks following his purchase. Newspapers across the country speculated on Slaughter's new venture. Stories that described a mansion being built in Texas to house the valuable bulls were circulated. One ex-cowboy, writing for an Amarillo livestock paper, penned a long poem after watching Sir Bredwell's car pass through that thriving panhandle city; he recounted the days when the longhorn was ruler of the range. He recalled the days of the big spring round-ups that were no more, and he speculated on the glory attributed to the famous bull with a hint of resentment:

And now we have Sir Bredwell, And to state the case in full, Who ever thought

Plea for donations sent by Red Cross

Neal Rose, President of the Cochran County Red Cross Chapter has announced donations are being accepted for Hurricane victims.

"When an area receives such losses, the American Red Cross asks chapter to collect donations for that particular area and certainly, we would like to do our part in helping people. We in Cochran County can appreciate the need for assistance since we were in a similar position a few short months ago," Mr. Rose said.

Rose asks that checks be made payable to The American Red Cross and mailed to him or Bill Crone, Cochran County Military Assistance Chairman.

The drive for donations will run through August 20.

the world would go so wild about a bull. For when I was punching cattle Bulls were mighty cheap. Five thousand dollars for ten hundred Would have been most awful steep.

But here's to you, Sir Bredwell, The finest of your kind, For they tell me that your equal They nowhere now can find.

And they tell me Col. Slaughter Has for you a palace built, I used to sleep right near your house With neither bed or quilt.

I've bivouacked herds upon the spot And the Indian bushwacked me, And now you have a kingdom there — The change is great, you see.

The Slaughter bulls were moved to Roswell in 1901 and were used in bull production at the Slaughter Hereford home, a small livestock farm managed by George Slaughter. But the animals helped put Cochran and Hockley counties on the map for this area was the home of the highest price bulls in the world. Cattle marketed from the Slaughter ranch in Chicago in 1902 attracted national attention for their size and quality. Colonel Slaughter proclaimed himself as owner of the Champion Hereford Herd of the world.

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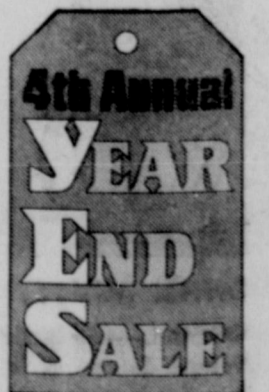
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Statistics and / or facts . . .

BY GEORGE HAGEDORN
Chief Economist
National Association of Manufacturers

In January of this year, the unemployment rate — the percentage of the available labor force without jobs — stood at 3.9 per cent. This was still below the 4 per cent which, through most of the 1960's, had been regarded as the acceptable political objective. During subsequent months the figure rose steadily and had reached 5.0 per cent in May.

If the "rate" is translated into actual numbers, we find an increase in persons unemployed from 3,172,000 in January to 4,106,000 in May.

There is a tendency to regard this increase of almost a million in the number of persons unemployed as a hard fact about economic changes during the intervening four months — as incontrovertible as the Weather Bureau's measurements of rainfall in the same period. What we want to point out here is that the published figures are not so much hard facts about the economy as they are statistical constructs emerging from the computational laboratories of government agencies.

WE WRITE THIS with no intention to disparage the unemployment figures or the U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics which compiles them. Close acquaintance with the Bureau over many years leaves us with no doubts as to its competence and integrity. Any person who approached thoughtfully and realistically the problem of measuring unemployment in this country would probably wind up with techniques very similar to those actually used. He would also have a keen awareness

of their limitations. The difficulty arises when the unemployment statistics are presented and discussed, in debate on national issues, as though they were an elemental nosecount. Since they are not (and cannot be) anything so simple, the interpretation put on them is often misleading.

ONE POINT to be noted is that the figures reported in the press are almost invariably "seasonably adjusted." This means that the number originally calculated as unemployed each month is divided by a factor thought to represent the normal pattern of changes over the year.

The figures without seasonal adjustment are published in the government compilations, but they seldom get any attention in public discussion. It turns out that these unadjusted figures reveal, not a one-million increase in unemployment, but a small decline between January and May.

If there was an increase in unemployment between January and May, it did not consist of flesh and blood human beings, but of one-million seasonally-adjusted persons — a species unknown outside of the statistical laboratories.

THE HARD (or harder) fact is that there was no rise in unemployment between January and May. But the record of changes between those two months in other years suggested that unemployment should have declined by about one million. This is then turned around and translated into the conclusion that seasonally-adjusted unemployment rose by that number.

Seasonal adjustment is a familiar and accepted technique among statisticians.

Certainly in interpreting month-to-month changes you will want to take account of the patterns within the year that have been typical in the past. However, we question whether normal seasonal movements can be expected to recur in abnormal years such as 1969 and 1970. In any case, the process of seasonal adjustment leads us one step further away from hard fact — and it is a long step.

WE DO NOT MEAN to suggest that the public should turn its exclusive attention to the seasonally-unadjusted figures and regard them as infallible indicators of the state of economy. That might lead to even worse confusion. What we do suggest is an attitude of healthy skepticism toward the unemployment rate when you read it in the newspapers in coming months.

This will be especially needed during the summer months of 1970. Shortly after this appears in print, you will read the press stories about the national unemployment rate in June. We have no knowledge of whether it will be higher or lower than the May figure. But, however it turns out, we urge you to take it with a grain of salt.

The unemployment statistics in the summer months are always complicated by the influx of students looking for temporary jobs. As long as they haven't found them and are still looking, they are counted as unemployed. The process of seasonal adjustment attempts to eliminate the influence of this factor, but it is questionable whether it does so adequately. Movements in the unemployment rate during the summer are dominated by what happens to a fringe of the labor force — the students. They may have very little to do with what happens at the core of the labor force — the full-time, year-round workers. The process of seasonal adjustment has limited capabilities for making the unemployment rate more meaningful during those months.

IN THE FALL, another set of complications will enter the picture. The students will be back in school but this is the part of the year when business is usually picking up and unemployment is falling. The seasonal adjustment eliminates this typical pattern, but 1970 is unlikely to be a typical year.

In 1969, a sudden and still unexplained



HALF A HEAD LOOP . . .

THIS COWBOY has his calf roped — but just barely. A few seconds after this picture was snapped, the little dogie slipped the loop and made his freedom. Action came during the Last Frontier Rodeo held in Morton last weekend.

★ Day care meet

Bobby C. White, Administration Technical Programs Lubbock State School, will be in Morton August 1 at 10 a.m. at the Production Credit Association to discuss the possibility of establishing a Day Care and Training Class Satellite School for pre-school mentally retarded children. All interested persons are invited to attend this valuable meeting for our community.

Rites pending for D. M. Hall

Daniel Milton Hall, 66, a Morton resident 30 years, died about 11:45 p.m. Sunday in a hospital in Lemmon, S.D. following an apparent heart attack. Services are pending with Singlet Funeral Home.

A custom combiner, Hall was on the harvest in South Dakota at the time his death.

Survivors include his wife, Sylvia; three daughters, Mrs. S. M. Monroe Anton, Mrs. Don Hendricks of Celina; Mrs. John Pool of Morton; two sons, Benny and Danny, both of Morton; three sisters, Mrs. Bertha McGaugh of Plainview, Mrs. Mary Blackshear of Mountair, N.M., and Mrs. Dora Barber Muleshoe; two brothers, Carl of Enock and Graden of Bovina; and 13 grandchildren.

Look who's new

Amie Dione, daughter of Mr. and Mr. Jerry Luper, arrived Tuesday, August 11:49 a.m., in the West Texas Hospital in Lubbock. She weighed 5 lbs. 14 oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Luper of Morton and Mr. and Mr. R. G. Herron of Brownfield.

Michael Ryan, son of Mr. and Mr. Steve White, arrived Thursday, August 6, in the Clovis Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 lbs 4 oz.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. Fields of Morton and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd White of Oskaloosa, Iowa.

Robert Hick Martin III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin, arrived Saturday August 8, in Eunice, New Mexico. Mrs. Martin is the former Miss Annie Faye Ellington.

Mrs. W. E. Ellington of Morton is the Great-grandmother.

Tony Perez, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Perez, Tony arrived at 2:50 a.m. Aug. 6 at Cochran Memorial Hospital and weighed 6 pounds 3/4 ounces.

Catherine Leigh Porter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Porter, arrived Friday August 6, at Pasadena. She weighed lbs. 8 ozs.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Porter of Pasadena, formerly of Morton and Mrs. Slocbsser, of Pasadena. Great grandmother is Mrs. Charles Taylor, c Morton.

Accent on health

"The Texas State Department of Health has made available better health services to nearly an additional half million residents of East Texas, with the creation of the first of ten proposed health regions in the State of Texas," according to Commissioner of Health Dr. J. E. Peavy. "And the goal is to eventually provide these services to more than 2 1/2 million Texans not now reached by all state health services."

The first step in reaching these citizens was taken on May 1 when the State Health Department officially instituted Region 7, with headquarters in Tyler. The new region serves 36 counties stretching from the Red River to the lower Louisiana border above the city of Orange, with some 922,183 residents. Until Region 7 was created, only 429,081 citizens were covered by ten city-county health units in the area. That left 493,102 without comparable health services. Now all those citizens will be reached by state and area health programs.

"The regional health system will allow state health programs to be brought closer to the people who need them, and will provide better administration of health services," according to Dr. Peavy.

Region 7 medical director is Dr. J. R. Bailes, who moved to his post after serving as director of the Texarkana-Bowie County Health Department since 1962. Deputy regional medical director is Dr. John P. Jones, who also supervises the Tu-

berculosis Control Program in the Tyler area. William Ballard will serve as regional engineer and will supervise the environmental health program. Dr. Jessie Gee will be the region's public health dentist, and Dr. George Kutch will serve the region as chief veterinarian. Health personnel will be concentrated into the regional office and made available throughout the region.

Eventually, the State will have 10 regions providing services to the state's entire population. All regional offices will consist of staff representing all major public health disciplines. However, technical guidance would be directly between State Health Department personnel in Austin and their regional counterparts.

Texas has 68 organized city and county health departments providing direct public health services to eight million residents in 76 counties which contain about 76 per cent of the state's 10.6 million population. The state's remaining 178 counties, with about 24 per cent of the state's population (or 2.6 million people), are left without local health units. The new regional system is setting about to alter this situation.

Miss Benham honored with bridal shower

Miss Beverly Benham, bride-elect of Weldon Joe Newsom, was honored with a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Earl Palvado Wednesday, August 5 from 4 to 6 p.m.

The bride-elects chosen colors of pink and white were carried out in table decorations.

Honored guests were mothers of the couple, Mrs. Marion Benham of Lovington, N.M., and Mrs. Weldon Newsom of Dalhart, formerly of Morton.

Out of town guests were Mrs. Fred Owens and Mrs. Danny Marrow from Levelland; Mrs. J. M. Horton and Mrs. Buford Hayes from Whitharral; Mrs. Kenneth Polk and Miss Sandy Hill from Lubbock.

Co-hostesses were: Mesdames Max Clark, Kermit Ward, Robert Yearly, Dalton Redman, Harold Drennan, Bud Thomas, Connie Gray, Ray Griffith, Karl Griffith, J. C. Reynolds and Earl Palvado.

Hostess gifts were electrical appliances.

The couple is to be married August 15 in the First Methodist Church in Lovington, N.M.

jump occurred in the unemployment rate during the autumn. Having averaged 3.4 per cent in the prior months of the year, the rate suddenly rose to 4.0 per cent in September and remained at 3.9 per cent in October. In November and December it was back down to 3.4 per cent. No one has accounted for this queer temporary bulge, but it was probably due to a distortion of the seasonal pattern.

(After the year was over, the seasonal factors were recalculated by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. The resulting figures, which are now the official figures for 1969, show a greatly reduced bulge in September and October. This simply proves that it is easier to make seasonal adjustments in retrospect than currently). The message is this: don't go overboard, on either side of the boat, when you read the monthly figures on unemployment.

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BAREBACK BRONC RIDING is always one of the feature events of a rodeo, and this rider is giving a good account of himself during the Last Frontier Rodeo held here last weekend. Whether or not they stay on their mounts until the whistle, you've got to admire these cowboys for their gallant efforts.

Comments on Conservation

BY WAYNE WILCOX

"The best laid plans of mice and man often go astray." The visitor from Turkey will not arrive in Morton. Plans were changed and he is going to Floydada.

The Cochran Soil and Water Conservation District Board of Directors and families and some of the SCS employees and their families enjoyed home made ice cream and cookies last week. The SWCD directors invited these people in to their directors meeting. Everyone, especially the children, seemed to enjoy themselves.

"First white, then red three days, then dead." Have you ever heard this saying or expression? Cotton farmers in East Texas can tell you its meaning. Farmers from that neck of the woods can also give you some very good reasons for rotating crops. Many of them had to learn the hard way. Disease damaged much of their land before they would admit that cotton on land year after year was harmful. Our tighter irrigated land will be the first to be hurt. In fact, a close look will reveal that we are already getting some damage.

Monday afternoon this writer is going

to Dalhart and vicinity. The purpose of the trip is to study Nature's oldest planting method. Seems like they are having real good luck with minimum tillage (trashy farming) up that way. A report of the trip will be made in next week's column.

Gordon Houghton just about has his mounted stadia rod finished. If you have some topog mapping that you need done, Gordon can give a demonstration with this monstrosity.

Mrs. Williams services set

Mrs. Ernest Williams, 44, of 410 S. E. 4th St. was pronounced dead of natural causes at 8:30 a.m. Tuesday, August 11, by Joe Gipson, Cochran County Justice of Peace.

Services will be at 3 p.m. Thursday in Resthaven-Singleton-Wilson Funeral Home Chapel in Lubbock with burial in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams and Denny moved here from Lubbock about a year ago. Ernest Williams, husband of Mrs. Williams, is employed at Truett's Food Store. Survivors include her husband; two sons, Denny of the home and Foy of Dallas; a daughter, Mrs. Nikki Mortin of Concord, N. C.; a sister, Mrs. George Seagler of Levelland; a brother, D. F. Eaton of Lubbock; and 4 grandchildren.

Bookmobile schedule

The High Plains Bookmobile Library will be in your area on the following dates:

Wednesday August 19: Baileyboro, 9:45-10:45; Stegall, 11:00-12:00; Enochs, 1:00-2:00; Needmore, 2:30-3:30.

COW POKES

By Ace Reid



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MEMBER F.D.I.C.

Weed control on ranges can pay rancher large dividends

Texas rangelands should produce about 90 percent of the forage required for livestock grazing; however, they are now producing only about 50 percent because of improper grazing management and heavy infestation of undesirable weeds, Garlyn O. Hoffman, Extension brush and weed control specialist, notes.

"Weedy plants use four to 11 times more water for a pound of dry matter than range and pasture grass and they also retard range improvement," Hoffman said. "While weedy plants furnish food and cover for wildlife, and some young plants are utilized by livestock, other weeds at different growth stages are poisonous to livestock."

Weed control is necessary for greatest returns from forage production and for improving ranges in poor and fair condition, he said, adding that weeds are generally a minor problem on ranges sup-

porting a vigorous, dense stand of grass. "The problem facing ranchmen is to properly balance weeds and grass by using management, control and grazing methods to maintain forage production and sustained range improvement conditions," Hoffman said.

Annual weeds usually begin growth in early spring before warm season grasses, and compete considerably with range grasses when overgrazing and drought reduce the grass vigor, he noted.

"Weeds normally occupy the bare spaces between grass clumps on overgrazed ranges," he explained. "The most common weeds on rangeland are broomweed, ragweed, cocklebur, carlessweed, bitterweed, bitter sneezeweeds, Russian thistle, sunflower, croton, snow-on-the-prairie and others in specific vegetational areas."

The three methods of controlling weeds in Texas are biological, mechanical and

chemical, Hoffman said. Biological control combines livestock, such as sheep and goats, or cattle with either sheep or goats and the sheep and goats graze upon young tender weeds, he explained.

"Mechanical mowing or shredding is used primarily on smooth terrain and near susceptible crops where herbicides are not used," Hoffman continued. "Mechanical control is less effective than biological or chemical methods, because weeds must attain sufficient height to be mowed without damage to grasses."

"By the time weeds attain this height, they have reduced production of forage by utilizing moisture and nutrients in their early growth stages. Weeds require one to four mowings per growing season for control, and each mowing costs \$2 and up per acre."

The third method of control, through the use of chemicals, is more economical and practical than mowing where there are no susceptible crops near, Hoffman said, noting that one properly timed spraying usually controls weeds for a growing season.

"On poor range sites, a second weed

crop occurs after late summer rains, particularly without deferred grazing, and a second spraying may be necessary," he said. "Herbicides cost \$1.50 to \$2.00 per acre for one application."

In all cases where field tests have been run, the use of proper weed control methods have resulted in significant increases in both forage production and stocking levels, Hoffman said.

"In this dynamic age, this age of space exploration and exploding population, we must not forget the fundamentals of conservation that must underlie wise land use and conservation. They include a full facts about soils, water, plants and people, and the interrelationship between them as a basis for land management. They relate to the need for proper combinations of uses and treatments encompassing the several sciences of agronomy, forestry, biology, hydrology, hydraulics, economics, and others that must be interwoven into what we have come to call soil and water conservation. . . ." — D. A. Williams, Past Administrator, Soil Conservation Service

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (HJR30) General Election Nov. 3, 1970

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Subsections (5), (6), (7), (8), (9), (11), (12), and (13), Section 1-a, Article V, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"(5) The Commission may hold its meetings, hearings and other proceedings at such times and places as it shall determine but shall meet at Austin at least once each year. It shall annually select one of its members as Chairman. A quorum shall consist of five (5) members. Proceedings shall be by majority vote of those present, except that recommendations for retirement, censure, or removal of any person holding an office named in Paragraph A of Subsection (6) of this Section shall be by affirmative vote of at least five (5) members.

"(6) A. Any Justice or Judge of the Appellate Courts and District and Criminal District Courts, any County Judge, and any Judge of a County Court at Law, a Court of Domestic Relations, a Juvenile Court, a Probate Court, or a Corporation or Municipal Court, and any Justice of the Peace, and any Judge or presiding officer of any special court created by the Legislature as provided in Section 1, Article V, of this Constitution, may, subject to the other provisions hereof, be removed from office for willful or persistent conduct, which is clearly inconsistent with the proper performance of his said duties or casts public discredit upon the judiciary or administration of justice; or any person holding such office may be censured, in lieu of removal from office, under procedures provided for by the Legislature.

"B. Any person holding an office named in Paragraph A of this subsection who is eligible for retirement benefits under the laws of this state providing for judicial retirement may be involuntarily retired, and any person holding an office named in that paragraph who is not eligible for retirement benefits under such laws may be removed from office for disability seriously interfering with the perform-

ance of his duties, which is, or is likely to become, permanent in nature.

"(7) The Commission shall keep itself informed as fully as may be of circumstances relating to the misconduct or disability of particular persons holding an office named in Paragraph A of Subsection (6) of this Section, receive complaints or reports, formal or informal, from any source in this behalf and make such preliminary investigations as it may determine. Its orders for the attendance or testimony of witnesses or for the production of documents at any hearing or investigation shall be enforceable by contempt proceedings in the District Court.

"(8) After such investigation as it deems necessary, the Commission may in its discretion issue a private reprimand, or if the Commission determines that the situation merits such action, it may order a hearing to be held before it concerning the removal, or retirement, of a person holding an office named in Paragraph A of Subsection (6) of this Section, or it may in its discretion request the Supreme Court to appoint an active or retired District Judge or Justice of a Court of Civil Appeals as a Master to hear and take evidence in any such matter, and to report thereon to the Commission. If, after hearing, or after considering the record and report of a Master, the Commission finds good cause therefor, it shall issue an order of public censure or it shall recommend to the Supreme Court the removal, or retirement, as the case may be, of the person in question holding an office named in Paragraph A of Subsection (6) of this Section and shall thereupon file with the Clerk of the Supreme Court the entire record before the Commission.

"(9) The Supreme Court shall review the record of the proceedings on the law and facts and in its discretion may, for good cause shown, permit the introduction of additional evidence and shall order public censure, retirement or removal, as it finds just and proper, or wholly reject the

recommendation. Upon an order for involuntary retirement for disability or an order for removal, the office in question shall become vacant. The rights of an incumbent so retired to retirement benefits shall be the same as if his retirement had been voluntary."

"(11) The Supreme Court shall by rule provide for the procedure before the Commission, Masters and the Supreme Court. Such rule shall afford to any person holding an office named in Paragraph A of Subsection (6) of this Section, against whom a proceeding is instituted to cause his retirement or removal, due process of law for the procedure before the Commission, Masters and the Supreme Court in the same manner that any person whose property rights are in jeopardy in an adjudicatory proceeding is entitled to due process of law, regardless of whether or not the interest of the person holding an office named in Paragraph A of Subsection (6) of this Section in remaining in active status is considered to be a right or a privilege. Due process shall include the right to notice, counsel, hearing, confrontation of the accusers, and all such other incidents of due process as are ordinarily available in proceedings whether or not misfeasance is charged, upon proof of which a penalty may be imposed.

"(12) No person holding an office named in Paragraph A of Subsection (6) of this Section shall sit as a member of the Commission or Supreme Court in any proceeding involving his own retirement or removal.

"(13) This Section 1-a is alternative to and cumulative of the methods of removal of persons holding an office named in Paragraph A of Subsection (6) of this Section provided elsewhere in this Constitution."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1970, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment relating to the removal, retirement, or censure of Justices, Judges, and Justices of Peace under prescribed circumstances."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT (HJR 22) General Election Nov. 3, 1970

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Subsection (a), Section 64, Article III, of the Texas Constitution, be amended to read as follows: "Section 64. (a) The Legislature may by special statute provide for consolidation of governmental offices and functions of government of any one or more political subdivisions within any county. Any such statute shall require an election to be held within the political subdivisions affected thereby with approval by a majority of the voters in each of these subdivisions, under

such terms and conditions as the Legislature may require." Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1970, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for consolidating governmental offices and functions and allowing political subdivisions to contract for performance of governmental functions in any county."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT (HJR15) General Election Nov. 3, 1970

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"(a) The State Building Commission is created and succeeds to the powers and duties heretofore vested in the agency of the same name by this Constitution and to the powers and duties the Legislature has vested or may vest in the Commission. Its membership shall consist of three Texas citizens appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate. The term of each member shall be six years except in the first appointments to the Commission the Governor shall appoint one member for two

years, one for four years, one for six years, and thereafter one member biennially. The Governor shall biennially designate one member as Chairman. Vacancies in the Commission shall be filled by appointment by the Governor for the unexpired term. The provisions of this paragraph shall be self-enacting."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1970, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment reconstituting the State Building Commission as a three-member appointive commission."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (SJR10) General Election Nov. 3, 1970

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Subsection (a), Section 20, Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"(a) The Legislature shall have the power to enact a Mixed Beverage Law regulating the sale of mixed alcoholic beverages on a local option election basis. The Legislature shall also have the power to regulate the manufacture, sale, possession and transportation of intoxicating liquors, including the power to establish a State Monopoly on the sale of distilled liquors.

"Should the Legislature enact any enabling law in anticipation of this amendment, no such law shall be void by reason of its anticipatory nature."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1970, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition:

"Repeal of the prohibition against open saloons found in Section 20, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT (HJR28) General Election Nov. 3, 1970

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Section 52, Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 52. (a) Except as otherwise provided by this section, the Legislature shall have no power to authorize any county, city, town or other political corporation or subdivision of the State to lend its credit or to grant public money or thing of value in aid of, or to any individual, association or corporation whatsoever, or to become a stockholder in such corporation, association or company.

"(b) Under Legislative provision any county, any political subdivision of a county, any number of adjoining counties, or any political subdivision of the State, or any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas, and which may or may not include, towns, villages or municipal corporations, upon a vote of two-thirds majority of the resident property taxpayers voting thereon who are qualified electors of such dis-

trict or territory to be affected thereby, in addition to all other debts, may issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of such district or territory, except that the total bonded indebtedness of any city or town shall never exceed the limits imposed by other provisions of this Constitution, and levy and collect taxes to pay the interest thereon and provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof, as the Legislature may authorize, and in such manner as it may authorize the same, for the following purposes to wit:

"(1) The improvement of rivers, creeks, and streams to prevent overflows, and to permit of navigation thereof, or irrigation thereof, or in aid of such purposes.

roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof.

"(c) Notwithstanding the provisions of Subsection (b) of this Section, bonds may be issued by any county in an amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property in the county, for the construction, maintenance, and operation of macadamized, graveled, or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, upon a vote of a majority of the resident property taxpayers voting thereon who are qualified electors of the county, and without the necessity of further or other legislative action. The county may levy interest taxes to pay the interest due on the bonds as they become due and to provide a sinking fund for redemption of the bonds."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1970, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment authorizing any county, on the vote of a majority of its qualified property taxpayers voting thereon, to issue road bonds in an amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property in the county."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (SJR15) General Election Nov. 3, 1970

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Section 1-d, Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 1-d. The Legislature shall have the power to provide by law for the establishment of a uniform method of assessment of ranch, farm and forest lands, which shall be based upon the capability of such lands to support the raising of livestock and/or to produce farm and forest crops rather than upon the value of such lands and the crop growing thereon.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1970, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition:

"The constitutional amendment to provide by law for the establishment of a uniform method of assessment of ranch, farm and forest lands, which shall be based upon the capability of such lands to support the raising of livestock and/or to produce farm and forest crops."

Bruce Ayres to perform on national TV program Sunday

DAVID MURRAH
Bruce Ayres, former choral director for Gruver High School, will be featured on a nationwide television Sunday, August 16. Ayres, 28, will appear on Ted Mack's "Night Train" on the CBS network, along with other Texas talent. The program may be seen in the area on KLBK-TV, channel 13, at 4:30 p.m. Ayres will perform one of his original compositions. Originally scheduled for July, the show was rescheduled recently.

Ayres recently moved from Morton to his wife and son to Nashville, Tennessee, "Music City, U. S. A." He is promoting songs that he has written. In 1967 an Abilene group, The Brothers-In-Law, recorded Ayres song, "Wanderlust." The record was cut in Houston and Ayres played guitar during the recording session. Ayres has written about 35 songs and has performed several times on area television stations.

A 1960 graduate of Gruver High School, Ayres attended Hardin-Simmons University for three years before becoming engaged in farming and ranching in Hansford county. In 1967, he returned to H-SU and received his degree in English and Speech the following year.

Before moving to Morton, Ayres served as music and youth director of the First Baptist Church of Gruver. He served on the faculty of the Glorieta Baptist Assembly in New Mexico during the summer of 1969.

While at Morton, Ayres became well-known across the South Plains area as he performed at banquets and meetings. His high school choir participated in area choral meetings. Their annual spring production, "Indian Capers," under Ayres' supervision, was lauded as "one of the best ever" by area music fans.

Ayres also taught English at Morton, and co-directed the 1970 Junior Play. Ayres is married to the former Martha Blair of Farwell. Their son, Barris, is five years old.

Ayres has been interested in music all of his life and became acquainted with country and western music while a boy in junior high school. He learned to play the guitar before he entered high school and began entertaining during his teen years.

The August 16 appearance was taped in Dallas in March. Over 27,000 applicants were interviewed for the several Ted Mack shows that originated in Dallas.

If you have trouble with lures hanging on old tree tops either above or below the water, try using an expandable golf ball retriever. They telescope out to 6 feet and are ideal for knocking plugs loose.



Bruce Ayres

SPC offers women's physical fitness course

A course in Physical Fitness for Women will begin at South Plains College Monday, August 24.

This was one of the popular adult education non-credit short courses offered at the college last year. Over forty women were enrolled.

This is a 16-weeks course meeting each Monday from 4 to 5 p.m. Miss Debbie Nichols will be the instructor.

Other non-credit short courses will include Wiglet Styling, Powder Puff Mechanics, Personality and Charm, Poodle Grooming, Personal and Family Budgets and Finance, Make-Up Techniques, Income Tax, and Ceramics (new method).

For additional information concerning any of the above mentioned courses, contact Don Yarbrough, Director of Continuing Education.

W. B. Lackey ...

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toon, Ill., and Mrs. J. F. Cooper Jr. of Morton; a son, Kieby of Perryton; three sisters, Mrs. Iva Burke, Mrs. Hazel Holloman and Mrs. Rosie Wallace, all of Morton; a brother Jerry, of Bethany, Okla.; and nine grandchildren.

Of all Texas wells drilled in 1969, about 37.9% were dry.



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recreation conference. Pictured above are from left to right: Forest and Nedene Hoch, Olin Field Representatives from Brownfield; Mildred and Charles McDermott; Ruby and Daryl White, Olin District Sales Manager from Lubbock.

Worker allowed compensation for injury during lunch hour

Near the end of her lunch hour, a stenographer sat down in the company lounge to put on lipstick. But she lost her balance and fell, suffering a back injury. Could she collect workmen's compensation?

The company insisted that the girl was not entitled to compensation because she was not "on the job" when hurt. Nevertheless, a court upheld her claim.

"Applying cosmetics was not an abandonment of her employment," said the judge. "It added to her comfort and self-esteem, and thereby permitted her to more efficiently concentrate upon her duties."

Generally speaking, workmen's compensation covers injuries that occur not only during the work itself but also during other activities closely related to the job. For example, it applies while an employee is getting a drink of water or going to the lavatory.

In fact, workmen's compensation may apply even before the day's work has begun. Take this case:

A hotel waitress, arriving early, headed first for the powder room to change into working shoes. On the way, she slipped and broke her arm. Even though she had not yet been on the job, she was held entitled to workmen's compensation — because changing her shoes was so closely related to her work.

However, the law usually will not ap-

prove a compensation claim if the victim's activity was in violation of company rules and regulations.

In another case, a bakery worker was injured while trying to force open a tight window. He claimed later that the room

had been stuffy, and that he needed some fresh air to help him work better.

However, there happened to be a company rule against anyone opening windows without the permission of the foreman. Accordingly, a court ruled that the claimant was not entitled to compensation. The court said he could not logically be considered "on the job" while doing something that his employer had specifically forbidden.

A public service feature of the American Bar Association and the State Bar of Texas. Written by Will Bernard.

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Dr. Bobby N. Lawdermilk

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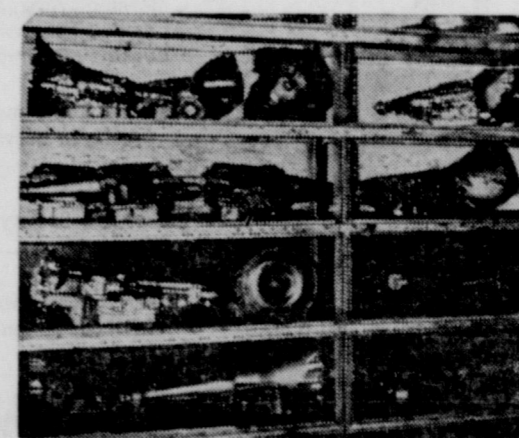
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TRUETT'S Food Store

Mrs. Spence honored with bridal shower

Mrs. Steve Spence, the former Miss Jan Thomas, was honored with a wedding shower in the home of Mrs. Joe Seagler, Monday July 27.

The serving table was arranged with a centerpiece of pink roses on a white linen cloth.

Mrs. J. D. Thomas and Mrs. Bob Spence, mothers of the couple, were honored guests.

Hostess were Mesdames Joe Seagler, Roy Hill, W. G. Freeland, J. R. Kuykendall, E. C. Hale, Connie Gray, Alvie Harris, J. N. Leavitt, Don Lynskey and Ross Shaw.

Hostess gift was a set of stainless steel cookware.

The couple is living at Killeen, Texas. Spence is stationed at Fort Hood.

Rodeo ...

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Benny Fullingham, 11.1.

Bull riding — first, Terry Childers, Lubbock, 60 points; second, Kenneth McKee, Lubbock, 57 points; third, tie, Eddie Eickie, Snyder and D. M. Sims, Clyde, 55 points.

Bareback riding — first, Rex Rash, Abilene, 59 points; second, J. W. Myers, Lubbock, 58 points; third, Frank Hunter, Amarillo, 57 points; fourth, John Sloan, Portales, 56 points.

Calf roping — first, Oscar Henard, Plains, 11.2 second, Joe Hall, Goldsmith, 11.5; third, Tutt Garnett, Mador, 11.7; fourth, Horace Rankin, Big Spring, 11.9; fifth, George Rowland, Hobbs, 12.1; sixth, Bo Wilson, Winters, 12.2.

"Only by conservation in the fullest sense, of the basic resources of land, water, and the spirit of peoples, can we maintain the human values of wholesome standards of living, opportunity, freedom, justice, and faith in the destiny of modern civilization." — W. C. Lowdermilk

Texas receives about \$500 million a year for gas sold to other states.

About local folks . . .

BY DUTCH GIPSON

Mrs. Charlotte Doyle and daughters, Delana and Vevery, from El Paso, visited a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lindsey, and other relatives here and at Levelland. Visitors Sunday afternoon in the Lindsey home were Mr. and Mrs. Presley Tharp and Allen and David Hogan from Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Wright of Levelland.

Rush and Rex Coffman flew to Corpus Christi for a two weeks vacation. Mr. and Mrs. John Coffman joined them there later. They visited in Mexico and enroute home stopped in Dallas for a visit with Mrs. Coffman's father, Mr. E. W. Jones, and Miss Faye Fincher.

Ernest G. Chesshir, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Chesshir returned home Friday from Texas National Guard Camp at Fort Polk, La. Ernest will be a Senior at Texas Tech University this fall majoring in finance.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gray of Hobbs, N.M. and Misses Ruth and Elsie DeWitt of Dallas visited with their friends, the W. E. Childs, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Curtis of Wichita Falls visited briefly Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Curtis' grandmother, Mrs. W. L. Miller. The Curtis' were enroute to Midland for a brief visit with his mother, Mrs. Curtis, former Susan Watson, teaches in Wichita Falls and Raymond is stationed in Wichita while in service.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Webster and children, Kevin, Doug, Dean and Cheryl of Grover City, Calif. arrived in Morton Friday afternoon for an extended stay in Morton. Mrs. Webster is a sister of Mrs. Mearl Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. John St. Clair moved to Houston Sunday where John will be a student at the University of Texas Dental School for four years. Mrs. St. Clair, who is a senior in college will be studying at the University of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Baird visited in El Paso for a few days this week. Chet also attended a meeting of Scottish Rite while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lewallen returned last week after a brief vacation in Pecos and Cowles, New Mexico.

Visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lewallen and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Foust over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Lawson and Ricky of Okla-

homa City. Mrs. Lawson is a sister of Mrs. Lewallen and Foust. The Lawson's were enroute to Colorado for a sight-seeing trip. Also visiting in the Lewallen home were Mrs. Rodney Holloman and children, Gregg and Julie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Hollomon and his mother, Mrs. Burt Hollomon were in Abilene over the weekend for a family reunion of the Duke family. Mrs. Holloman, a former Duke and one other girl are the sole survivors of Duke children. About 40 attended the reunion.

Mrs. Maude Miller is a patient in the St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock where she had surgery on her knee. She suffered a fall August 3 injuring her knee. Mrs. Miller's family from California are here visiting with her.

Mrs. Evelyn Seagler and her mother, Mrs. M. W. Ellington are vacationing in Austin with Mrs. Seagler's son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Doug Rose. They will also visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Doa Mathas of Houston. Mrs. Mathas is the former Linda Rose. Mrs. Charles Taylor accompanied them to Austin.

Mrs. M. W. Ellington visited briefly in Eunice Sunday with Mrs. Ellington's granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin and infant son Robert H. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Hume Russell were visitors in Ruidoso this weekend.

Mrs. Joe Seagler, Mrs. John L. McGee, Mrs. E. O. Willingham, Mrs. W. C. Benham and Mrs. C. H. Silvers spent the weekend in Ruidoso. While there their time was devoted mostly in a program planning for W.S.C.S. for First United Methodist Church of Morton.

Weekend visitors in the Brad Stovall home to help celebrate the birthday of Mr. Stovall were: Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Clewenger and daughter, Christy and son Joey, from Whitharrel; Mr. and Mrs. Don Walker, Debbie, Sisie and Donnie, from Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stovall, Bryan and Royce, from San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Christian, Richi, Bradley, and Patrick and Mrs. Brenda Ragsdale and Michel Ray, of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hudson, Tommy and Mary Jo, Ruby Hudson and Becky and Erwind Hudson from Morton; Reba Sawyer from Mt. Vernon, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Smith, Bryan and B. J. from Burnett.

Visitors in the George Trejo home Sun-

Elizabeth Deavours attends Seminar

Some 425 students from all over Texas attended the eighth Annual High School Students Citizenship Seminar at Waco, July 28-31 which was sponsored by the Texas Farm Bureau.

These students were selected to attend the seminar on the basis of scholarship and leadership. During those three days, they received orientation on the American Way of Life. Emphasis was placed on the economical, moral, and social aspects of the American society.

Seven area students sent by the Hockley County Farm Bureau attended. They include: Johnny Drachenburg of Smyer, Elizabeth Deavours of Whiteface, Jana Odum of Ropes, Marla Sadler of Whitharrel, Joyce Albus of Pep, Pattie Stone of Anton, Cathy Rand of Levelland.

Four nationally-known lecturers conducted the courses. They were: Dr. Clifton Ganus, President of Harding College, Searcy, Ark.; Dr. C. L. Kay, assistant president of Lubbock Christian College; John Noble, Muncy, Pa., author of "I Was a Slave in Russia"; and W. Cleon Skousen, Salt Lake City, author, lawyer, educator, and former FBI agent.

Instructions at the seminar consisted of lectures, films, and panel discussions. The 425 students representing 150 counties were sponsored by local Farm Bureaus and Civic Clubs.

Hospital notes

Patients admitted to Cochran Hospital August 4 through August: T. J. Shaw, Helen Click, Ernest Wilson, Lonnie Doyle, Pedro Padron, Cecil Kirk, Phebe Howard, J. B. Lindsey, Jessie Mercado, Mrs. Mary Seaman, Johnny Rozell, Mildred Faye Williams, Ricky Carl Hodge and Rodney Baker all of Morton and Elmer Baiteas of Goodland.

day were Augustin Cantu, Antonio Estrada and Carmon, of Maple; Fedencio Cruz, Lou and granddaughter, of Goodland; John Trejo, of Brownfield; Ramario Trejo, of Littlefield, nephews of George, Alex, Vicki Rodriguez, Jr. Vasquez and Alex Perez of Morton.

Texas has 70,200 miles of oil pipelines; 30,000 miles of trunk lines, 27,800 miles of gathering lines, and 12,400 miles of product lines.

'Sound of the Seventies' reveals goals of Baptists

Since 1837 when Z. N. Morrell led eight other Christians to found a Baptist church at Washington on the Brazos, Texas Baptists have grown into the state's largest religious body, embracing 1.8 million members in 4,000 churches.

Despite their apparent success, say the authors of a new book, Texas Baptists, like other denominations in the 1970's

face a crisis created chiefly by a mushrooming population and the movement of most Texans into 23 metropolitan areas.

The book, "Sounds of the Seventies," combines the years of Christian service by Mrs. Ophelia Hutton Humphrey, wife of a prominent Amarillo attorney and a longtime leader in the Texas Woman's Missionary Union, and Charles Lee Williamson, director of the Texas Baptist Missions Division. The 135-page work was produced jointly by the WMU and the State Missions Commission.

Birth certificate is record often needed

For thousands of Texas youngsters, summer vacation will soon be over. And many thousands more will be enrolling in school for the first time. Last fall more than a quarter-million children entered school for the first time, and most needed a certified copy of his or her birth certificate, and proof of vaccination against smallpox and other diseases.

Statistics may seem like a bore to a lot of people, but to the Texas State Department of Health its Records and Statistics Section is an active and very necessary part of its services to the people of Texas. The Bureau of Vital Statistics is the one place for storing the vast numbers of records of Texas births, deaths, marriages, divorces, adoptions, and other matters.

In earlier times the fact that you were alive and breathing was enough to satisfy any inquiry about your birth. But now most schools require a birth certificate for children entering the first grade. A birth certificate is the best proof of citizenship for your passport. You may later need it to satisfy military requirements, to satisfy the Internal Revenue as to your dependents, to satisfy Veteran Administration, or other claims against the govt. But one of the biggest demands each year is from parents wishing certified copies of their children's birth certificates to meet school enrollment requirements.

WITH OVER 250,000 children entering the first grade each year, the demand for certification is great. Many times these records can be obtained in the counties or cities of birth, or they may be obtained from the Austin office of

THE AUTHORS of "Sounds of the Seventies" note that the life-style of the large densely settled cities produces persons marked by a sense of isolation and powerlessness who are longing for involvement and activism.

They predict that "The church in the 70's, attempting to minister the gospel of wholeness, will return to some of the basic principles of the New Testament which drew life-changing response from first century persons in a depersonalized society."

Another goal of the 70's, say the authors, is the improvement of the Bible teaching done in the Sunday School classes through Bible-teaching seminars and

the State Health Department for a \$1.50 fee. Searching for records — on request — can be a time consuming process. The quantity alone makes the task a tremendous one. The "searching" branch of the Vital Statistics division last year conducted 307,000 searches of the files upon request. A total of 200,000 certifications and verifications were made. Parents are urged to obtain copies of birth certificates now before the volume of requests causes delay.

Every certificate must be checked for omissions or errors to make certain they meet statutory requirements. Mistakes could result in a lot of problems later on. Last year more than half a million current records went into the files. By the end of 1970, total vital records on file will reach the 17 million mark.

"When the lands are impoverished, people lower their standards, both physically and spiritually." — Dr. Walter Lowdermilk

clinics, improved Bible study and a National Bible Conference.

Better use of church buildings is in the offing, not only through week-day ministries, but through multiple Sunday Schools and worship services during the week for those who cannot come on Sunday.

SPECIALIZED ministries to be offered by more and more churches will be care and after school activities for children of working mothers; summer programs for children who otherwise roam the streets; referral, counseling and placement services; literacy classes; domestic classes; senior citizens' coffee house ministries; juvenile, pre- and alcoholic rehabilitation programs.

Some Texas churches are already demonstrating that involvement bridges the generation gap and closes the gulf between the pulpit and pew. For example, Christian young people and laymen have labored with pastors to help underprivileged people in a Rio Grande River Ministry.

Texas Baptist college students are spending about two months this summer conducting Vacation Bible Schools on both sides of the river.

A FORT WORTH church honored the pastor with a memorial gift of a well in the Mexican community of Pecos. Other Texas churches followed suit in providing five wells to villages along the river.

As a result of a group from First Baptist Church, Seminole, going to the Rio Grande to assist in flood relief, the First Baptist Ambassadors were formed to provide medical treatment and supplies for people along the Rio Grande and to tell the about Jesus.

"Those who think the sounds of the seventies will be the death rattle and dirge of the last days of the church, may look elsewhere," said Dr. Jimmy Allen, president of the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

"The authors have caught the vibrant sounds of a contemporary day with its complex needs being faced squarely and effectively by Christians who care."

"For the very endurance of the race an ethical approach to land use as trusteeship, to be used and handed down to a productive condition to succeeding generations, becomes imperative. Man expresses his moral obligations to posterity more surely through the earth. The fertile sterile lands which are passed on to future civilizations are, apart from blood descendants, our most direct link with the future . . ." — W. C. Lowdermilk

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 7:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:45 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.

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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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Mobil Products — 266-5108
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Bula-Enochs news

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Vanlandingham Thursday and Friday were their son, Rev. and Mrs. Charles Vanlandingham from Raton, N.M. and their grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Vanlandingham and son from Larmie, Wyo. Other guests Saturday and Sunday were Mrs. Della Ables, Mrs. Lena Seagraves and Tommie Rainey all from Shawnee, Okla.

Miss Kathie Brasher of Houston, being the bride of James Gillard also of Houston, June 30. She is the daughter of Mrs. Kenneth Montgomery of Plainview, and the grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bryant of Enochs.

Mrs. Terry Turner and children, Kelly and Ronald of Las Cruces, N.M. are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Seagraves this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Snitker were in Littlefield, Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. Clara Peck who is ill.

Donor guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. McCall Sunday were her mother, Mrs. Lorean Crockett of Morton, and her daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Burley Roberts and children of Enochs, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Medin and children of Littlefield.

Milton Scillian from Hitchcock, Texas visited his mother Mrs. Scillian at the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Williams Friday till Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Layton took his mother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Cleburne, Tuesday where they spent the week visiting their brother, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Layton.

Raymond Austin was able to come home from the Medical Arts Hospital in Littlefield, Monday, where he has been a patient since his accident with a broke tractor.

Carl Hall received word Sunday morning that his brother, Dan Hall, suffered a heart attack at 3:00 a.m. and died Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Hall and their children, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Hall were in North Dakota, in the wheat harvest at the time of his death. Funeral services are pending.

Mrs. Clyde Price visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Campbell at Las Cruces, N.M. Sunday till Tuesday.

Mrs. H. B. King spent the weekend in Dallas, with her mother Mrs. Clara Childers to attend her niece, Susan Gilberts, bridal shower Saturday afternoon. She

and her mother attended the old settlers barbaque Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Davis of Houston were guests in the home of Mrs. Olive Angel Sunday afternoon.

Tom Byars of Lubbock, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Byars Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bowers and son, Ty, of Levelland, visited her mother, Mrs. Alta Salyer Sunday.

Mrs. Edd Autry went home with her daughter, Mrs. Billy West, last weekend and she visited her sister, Mrs. Mamie Chambers at Burkburnett, over the weekend.

We wish to express our sympathy to the Dan Hall family in the loss of Dan who died Sunday night with a heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Pollard and family of Lamesa and Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Pollard and family of Levelland spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Pollard. They all attended the reunion of the J. M. Phillips families, at the American Legion Hall in Muleshoe, Sunday August 9. Everyone carried lunch for the noon meal. All the children were present but one, there were 70 in attendance from Winsboro, Plainview, Littlefield, Hart, Dimmitt, Lamesa, Levelland, Lubbock, Muleshoe, Bula, Amarillo, and Rogers, N.M.

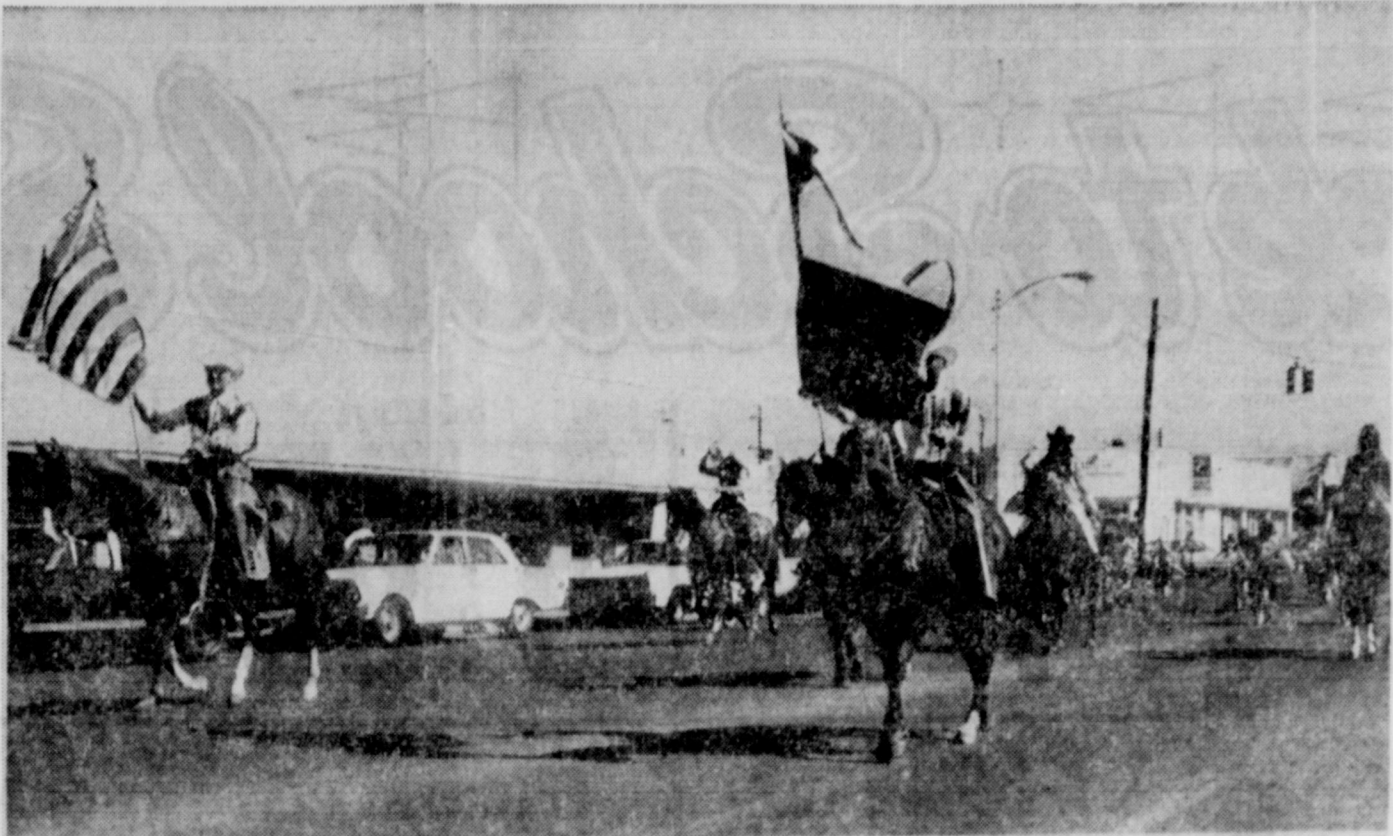
Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Archer Tuesday and Wednesday was her brother, Buster Hubbard from Lakewood, Calif. Lawrence Hall of Calif. also visited Tuesday afternoon. Supper guests Wednesday night were her brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hubbard of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. John Hubbard of Bula, Buster of Calif., her sister, Mrs. Bertha Roberts of Morton, and a nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Burley Roberts and family.

Mrs. W. M. Bryant was admitted to the Medical Arts Hospital in Littlefield, Wednesday August 12, for tests and X-rays.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hall left for home Wednesday and Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Hall and children left Friday.

Steve Cox was a patient a few days last week from poison he spilt on his clothes he was poisoning feed with.

The crappie is an early spawner and is not affected by cold water as much as the bass. However, the best place to catch them in the early spring is where the sun is warming the water.



MORTON COLOR GUARD...

MOUNTED COLOR GUARD of Cochran County Sheriff's Posse escorts last year's rodeo queen and the three candidates for the title this year, in Thursday's parade kicking off the 20th annual Last Frontier Rodeo. The colorful

parade through downtown Morton was staged in almost perfect weather and was watched by the usual good crowd of admirers.

ASCS Farm News

By John W. Hall

BY JOHN HALL

Eligible farm voters have only 6 days left in which to circulate and sign nominating petitions for ASC community committees. August 17 is the final date petitions may be filed at the Cochran County ASCS Office. Mail elections are set for the second week in September.

"I want to re-emphasize to farmers who are eligible to vote that nominating candidates are nominated by petition in an ASC community, no other names will go on the ballot. In the past, the incumbent community committee also had the privilege of making nominations. Now, a community committee may nominate only if fewer than the six eligible candidates are nominated by petition — and

the committee may nominate only the number of candidates needed to make up a full slate of six nominees," Danny Key, Chairman of the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, said.

No special forms are required for a petition — only a sheet of paper naming the candidate and the ASC community. Signatures of at least six eligible voters in the community are required on each petition. Only one candidate may be named on a petition but voters may sign as many petitions as they want.

In general, to be eligible either to become a candidate or to vote, a person must have a farm interest in the community and must be eligible to participate in one or more programs administered by the County ASCS Office. Full details on eligibility requirements for candidates and voters are available at the County ASCS Office, along with a list of known eligible voters in the county.

Each year eligible farmers nominate and elect ASC community committees of three members and two alternates. The community committees elect persons to fill vacancies on their County ASC Committee and also help administer farm programs such as farm acreage allotments and bases, and conservation cost-sharing.

"They are the key people the U. S. Department of Agriculture relies upon for direct contact with producers. Community committees help keep farmers informed of farm program provisions. They advise their County ASC committees on the farm situation in their communities and assist

in administering farm programs on the local level," Key explained.

"Our County ASC Committee hopes that this year farmers will nominate by petition every candidate whose name goes on a ballot," he concluded.

Phone your NEWS to 266-5576

Three Way news

BY MRS. H. W. GARVIN

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Garvin were dinner guests in the Johnnie Wheeler home Sunday.

Visitors in the Leon Dupler home Saturday night for a barbaque supper were Mr. and Mrs. Gib Dupler and Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson.

Mrs. Jimmy Emerson and daughter of Wilcox, Arizona are visit. 2 her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Davis and children visited last week in Mountain Home, Idaho with their daughter and family, the Tommy Terrels.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carlisle from Littlefield visited their son and family, the Nelson Carlisle, Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Latimer are in Temple where Mr. Latimer is going through the Clinic.

Mrs. Jimmy Gillentine and Roy visited her parents, the H. W. Garvins, Saturday. Jimmy returned home with his mother after spending the summer with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Meek and children from Wheeler spent the weekend with her mother and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson visited the Buck Tysons in Morton Sunday. The Community received a good rain Sunday night, 1/2 inch up to 2 1/2 inches. Crops are good all over but need more rain.

If you are getting too much static from your auto radio while trailering your boat, blame static electricity. Source is the trailer's wheels and axles. Static can be minimized by grounding the axle and frame with a short heavy wire or chain.

THANKS

FOR ATTENDING OUR OPENING

We appreciate the Welcome Morton Has Given Us.

STOP IN AND SHOP WITH US THIS WEEK

COMPLETE SELECTION OF HOSE

SPECIAL THIS WEEK —

Little Boys' WORK SHOES 2 for 5.00

Come In and Claim These Tickets — 082114 — 082089
Congratulations to Lesie Nesbitt on his winning ticket

WE GIVE S&H GREEN STAMPS

SHOP RITE SHOES

South Side Square

Morton

COCHRAN COUNTY TREASURER'S 2nd QUARTERLY REPORT

April, May, and June, 1970

	Balance 4-1-1970	Receipts 2nd Quarter 1970	Disbursements 2nd Quarter 1970	Balance 7-1-1970
Officers Salary	53,946.26	6,657.76	28,098.84	32,505.18
General Fund	38,188.19	1,852.76	14,480.36	25,560.59
R & B No. 1	18,586.28	8.00	6,440.18	12,154.10
R & B No. 2	19,326.18	.00	14,837.21	4,488.97
R & B No. 3	8,139.14	15.00	6,609.06	1,545.08
R & B No. 4	31,232.18	6.77	9,284.09	21,954.86
R & B No. 5	15,553.13	668.29	8,146.53	8,074.89
Jury	9,468.18	157.35	1,821.61	7,803.92
C & J	43,796.63	1,901.82	12,647.19	33,051.26
Special Ad Valorem Tax	4,653.94	575.10	.00	5,229.04
Lateral Road	16.87	.00	.00	16.87
Car License	35,328.88	27,797.54	.00	63,126.42
Social Security	3,210.22	4,698.50	4,769.94	3,138.78
Withholding Tax	3.37	5,232.90	5,232.90	3.37
Group Insurance	706.83	2,588.23	2,588.23	706.83
Law Library	679.93	88.00	224.02	543.91
C & J Sinking	6,834.51	277.02	.00	7,111.53
TOTAL	\$289,670.72	\$52,525.04	\$115,180.16	\$227,015.60

I, Bill A. Crone, Treasurer, Cochran County, Texas, certify that this report reflects condition of Receipts, Disbursements and Balances for the Second Quarter April, May and June, 1970.

Signed: /s/ BILL A. CRONE
Treasurer, Cochran County, Texas

Examined and Approved August 10, 1970

/s/ ROBERT H. GEORGE
Notary Public, Cochran County, Texas

/s/ J. B. NICEWARNER
County Auditor

/s/ T. A. WASHINGTON
Commissioner, Precinct No. 2

/s/ J. A. LOVE
County Judge

/s/ HARRAL RAWLS
Commissioner, Precinct No. 3

/s/ LEONARD O. COLEMAN
Commissioner, Precinct No. 1

/s/ U. F. WELLS
Commissioner, Precinct No. 4

The New York Store

Morton, Texas

Stock Reduction

and

Back to School Sale

Prices unheard of - Save up to 50% during this gigantic store wide sale. We are overstocked - We must make room for our fall goods that are arriving daily. Take advantage of the tremendous savings for your back to school buying.

Bring the whole family, browse around and see for yourself. Remember - this sale lasts only two weeks.

First 50 people who enter our store Friday morning will receive a valuable gift.

Sale Starts Fri., Aug. 14
at 9 o'clock

Back to School Sale

Specials Good Friday, August 14 through Thursday, August 20

Double Gold Bond Stamps Wednesday With Purchase of \$2.50 or More!

BAMA SALAD DRESSING
32-Oz. Jar **35¢**

DEL MONTE **FRUIT COCKTAIL**
17-OZ. CAN **4 FOR 1⁰⁰**

DEL MONTE **GREEN LIMA BEANS**
16-OZ. CAN **3 FOR 88¢**

DEL MONTE **CUT GREEN BEANS**
16-OZ. CAN **4 FOR 1⁰⁰**

DEL MONTE **C. S. GOLDEN CORN**
16-OZ. CAN **4 FOR 1⁰⁰**

DEL MONTE **BLACKEYED PEAS**
17-OZ. CAN **4 FOR 1⁰⁰**

DEL MONTE **CHUNK LIGHT TUNA**
6 1/2-OZ. CAN **3 FOR 1⁰⁰**

No. 2 **PENCILS**
1¢ Each

2 Hole or 5 Hole **NOTEBOOK FILLER**
650 Ct. Pkg. **99¢**

PINEAPPLE JUICE DEL MONTE 46-OZ. CAN **35¢**

BAMA **RED PLUM JAM**
18-OZ. JAR **33¢**

DEL MONTE **W.K. GOLDEN CORN**
16-OZ. CAN **4 FOR 1⁰⁰**

DEL MONTE **CATSUP**
14-OZ. BOTTLE **4 FOR 1⁰⁰**

BAMA **MAYONNAISE**
32-OZ. JAR **49¢**

ENERGY Powered Detergent 49-Oz. Box **59¢**

Soflin Asst. Colors **TISSUE**
200 Count **5 FOR \$1**

Shurfine **POP**
Assorted Flavors **6 FOR 59¢**

Soflin Asst. Colors **NAPKINS**
200 Count **2 FOR 59¢**

Assorted **KLEENEX**
Juniors **4 FOR 39¢**

KIDS LOVE IT!
PICTURE PUZZLE MAP of the United States
FREE
When you buy Giant Size Joy
Get yours at our special Display while they last!

PANTY HOSE
PAIR **2 99¢**

Del Monte **PINEAPPLE**
Tidbits - Chunks - Crushed
4 12-Oz. Cans **1⁰⁰**

Del Monte **PINEAPPLE**
Tidbits - Chunks - Crushed
3 15 1/4-Oz. Cans **88¢**

SCOPE FAMILY **MOUTH WASH**
17-OZ. BOTTLE **1¹⁹**

CINDERELLA **HAIR SPRAY**
Reg. - Super - Unscented **43¢**

GLEEM **TOOTH PASTE**
Family Size **84¢**

SHURFINE **FROZEN ORANGE JUICE**
2 6-OZ. CANS **37¢**

SHURFINE **FROZEN GRAPE JUICE**
2 6-OZ. CANS **49¢**

DOSS' FRESH PRODUCE
CARROTS Calif Fresh 1-Lb. Bag **2 FOR 25¢**
CABBAGE Colorado LB. **7¢**
BANANAS CABANA LB. **10¢**
PLUMS Calif. Santa Rosa LB. **19¢**

BAMA **Pineapple Preserves**
18-OZ. JAR **39¢**

BAMA **Peach Preserves**
18-OZ. JAR **39¢**

Save TenderCust COUPONS FOR VALUABLE PRIZES ABSOLUTELY FREE

AN EXTRA BONUS
SHURFINE COUPONS are good for valuable prizes or absolutely no additional cost to you. Get free reports, equipment, loans, daily, prizes and toys when you...
SAVE SHURFINE COUPONS



Shurfine Flour
5-LB. BAG **39¢**

QUALITY MEATS ALWAYS... AT DOSS
SHURFRESH **ALL MEAT FRANKS** 12-Oz. Pkg. **49¢**
RATH BREAKFAST **LINK SAUSAGE** 8-Oz. Pkg. **39¢**

BOLOGNA SHURFRESH SLICED 12-OZ. PKG. **49¢**

CHEESE Shurfresh Sliced American or Pimiento 8-Oz. Pkg. **2 FOR 89¢**

SHURFRESH SWEET or BUTTERMILK **BISCUITS**
3 CANS **29¢**

SHURFRESH **MARGARINE**
2 LBS **45¢**

SHURFRESH CANNED **HAMS** 3-LB. CAN **2⁹⁸**

STORE COUPON
ENZYME ACTIVE **AXION** FOR PRE-SOAKING LAUNDRY
with this coupon **1¢**
Without Coupon 21¢
LIMIT ONE COUPON PER UNIT PURCHASED
COUPON EXPIRES ON Aug. 20
This coupon redeemable only at Doss Thriftway

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