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Reed named MHS grid coach

A major coaching change for Morton High School was made at the regular monthly meeting of the MISD Board of Education Monday night.

In unanimous action by the board members, Ted Whillock was granted his request to be relieved of the duties of head football coach and Doug Reed was appointed to fill the post.

The action came after Superintendent Bob E. Travis read to the board a letter from Whillock asking to be relieved of the football responsibilities. After granting the request, a motion carried to re-employ him as head basketball coach and athletic director in charge of the financial affairs of the athletic program.

Both Reed and Whillock's contracts and coaching assignments are understood to be for the 1971-72 school year.

It was contract renewal time throughout the school system and a large number of teachers received the green light from the board for the coming year.

Supt. Travis advised the Board that March is the month to consider teacher contracts for the coming year. He further stated that the principals had been invited to the meeting to present their various programs and discuss renewal of their

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Boy Scout breakfast kicks off fund drive

The Cochran County Boy Scout Fund Drive Kick-off Breakfast was hosted by Morton's First State Bank last Tuesday at 6:30 a.m. in the County Activity Building.

Kenneth Cole, Scout Executive Director for the district from Levelland, and Jerry Kehoe, Volunteer Finance Chairman for the Council from Littlefield, were on hand for the breakfast.

Cole told the approximately twenty-five in attendance, that Boy Scouting does teach respect for the law, it does build character, boys learn self-discipline through scouting, it helps a boy distinguish between right and wrong and with twice as much public support, it is possible to have twice as many boys in scouting.

Tom Sneed, Cochran County Finance Chairman, and other members of the committee will be soliciting funds from businesses and individuals during the ten day drive, to help finance the program in Cochran County.

Eggs for the breakfast were furnished by the Cochran County Egg Ranch.



BELL RINGS FOR TRIBUNE . . .

IT WAS SMILES all around Friday morning in Memorial Auditorium in Dallas as Morton Tribune publisher Bill Sayers, second from left, received the Texas School Bell Award for the newspaper's support and service to the Morton school system. The School Bell Award is a handsome certificate for framing and an authentic polished brass school bell seated in an oak plate for desk display. Nomination for the award was made by the local Chapter of the Texas State Teachers

Association which confers the coveted prize. Mrs. Neal Rose, curriculum coordinator at MHS, prepared the brochure that was the basis for Morton's winning entry. Presenting the award, at left, is Mrs. Jewell Harris, TSTA President. Second from right is Archie Roberts, TSTA President Elect. Harold Drennan, Morton TSTA chapter president and delegate to the convention, is at right.

Local women convention leaders

Morton women will play a prominent part in the activities as the clubwomen of Caprock District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, gets underway tomorrow. Using an "Americanism" theme for their 11th annual convention, the clubwomen will meet at Holiday Inn in Plainview Friday and Saturday, March 19-20.

Activities will get underway on Friday with registration beginning at 10 a.m. and continuing until 1 p.m.

Mrs. Phillip A. Carpenter of Burk Burnett, TFWC president, and Mrs. LeRoy Johnson of Morton, Caprock District president, will be honored with a brunch to be given at 10:30 a.m. Friday in the home of Mrs. J. W. Walker, past district and state president. She will be assisted by Mrs. A. E. Boyd, also a past district president, and Mrs. Pete McLaughlin, president of Plainview Women's Club and general chairman for the convention. Other guests will be the district executive committee, honorary presidents and TFWC and Caprock life members.

Following the executive committee meeting and official board meeting in the First Christian Church at 1:30 p.m., the convention will formally open at 2 p.m. in the church with Mrs. Johnson presiding.

The executive committee will present its recommendations, and distinguished guests will be introduced. Presentation of honorary presidents and life members will be made by Mrs. Neal Rose of Morton. Caprock projects termed "Time of Chal-

lenge" will have the limelight at 2:30 p.m. Friday. Giving reports will be Mrs. James Lattimore of Levelland, "Technical Education and Special Education"; Mrs. Roy McQuatters of Littlefield Big Thicket; Mrs. A. T. Cocanougher of Lubbock, Golden Book; Mrs. Jimmie Harris of Morton, Easy Money and NARC; Mrs. C. Joe Taylor of Lockney, TFWC global tours; Mrs. Grank Gaston of Plainview,

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Absentee balloting in seven elections gets underway here

Absentee voting for the seven elections being held on April 3 in Cochran county got underway Monday and will continue through March 30, 1971.

The elections being held and the places for absentee voting are as follows: Morton city officers election and a special election on the adoption of a 1 percent city sales tax — Morton City Hall 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Election of county school trustees for Precinct Three, Four and one county-at-large — for Precinct 3, Bledsoe school; for Precinct 4 and County-at-large, County Clerk's office. Voting during normal office hours.

Election of a member-at-large to the board of directors of the Cochran County Hospital District — Precincts 1 and 4, County Clerk's office; Precinct 2, Whiteface City Offices and Precinct 3, Bledsoe school.

Election of members to the Morton school board of trustees — School tax assessor-collector's office during normal office hours.

Election of members to the Whiteface school board of trustees — School tax assessor-collector's office during normal office hours.

Election of Members to the Bledsoe school board of trustees — Bledsoe school. The voting places named above also are the addresses to which requests for ballots by mail may be addressed.

Candy Stripers 'special'

If you have been a patient or visited with someone hospitalized at Cochran Memorial Hospital, chances are you have seen some young ladies in red and white striped pinafores and have wondered who they are.

Actually, they are a group of local high school students, sponsored by the Hospital Auxiliary, who are very special and this is why . . . Somewhere between the ages of fourteen and eighteen there emerges a wonderful creature known as a Candy Striper.

She comes in all sizes, shapes and color, yet somehow Mother Nature manages to have given her just the right combination that constitutes your conception of the ideal teen-ager. You will find her in all departments of the hospital, running errands, delivering the mail or doing all the

million and one things that add warmth to that reliable friend serving the community known as the hospital. She will be wearing a smile and an inexpensive red and white striped uniform as though it were a Christian Dior original.

She's the contradiction to the statement that "the world is going to the dogs." This girl in the striped pinafore has tied up her long hair, lengthened her hemline, wiped off the surplus make-up, left her jewelry, her mothers perfume, her sneakers, levis and mini-skirts at home. Instead of talking on her princess phone, listening to the Four Corners, or just lolling away the time, she's "doing her thing" — which is making beds, refilling water pitchers, running errands, shampooing hair, delivering the mail, wheeling the

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MORTON GIRL TAKES TOP HONORS . . .

MICKIE DEWBRE of the Morton 4-H club proudly displays the crossbred steer that she showed to the Grand Championship of the Hockley County Livestock Show held in Levelland Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Mickie's 945 lb. calf, better known as "Black Eye", was purchased by a group of Morton merchants and individuals for \$1.05 per pound. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Dewbre of Morton.

Morton Youth Center is rapidly making progress

Rules and regulations for the operation of the Morton Youth Center and the setting of the hours it will be open were the main items on the agenda of the youth center committee meeting Monday night.

Some items receiving approval included raising the age limit for membership at 20 years of age. A Family Night each Friday was approved in which the whole family, regardless of age, can attend the center on that night providing they are accompanied by a teenager with a membership card.

The four boys who are members of the youth committee were appointed as youth center captains with the responsibility of seeing that the rules are obeyed and to assist the adults who are on duty.

The open house held Friday night following the junior play was termed a success by the committee, with approximately 200 youths attending during the course of the evening. The committee expressed gratitude to the women of Morton who prepared the cakes, pies and other refreshments that were served.

The center has been closed this week to enable the completion of remodeling. It will re-open at 3:30 p.m. Friday at which time membership cards will be sold at the door. No one will be admitted without a card. Membership dues have been set at \$1 per month.

Committee chairman Rev. Mearl Moore states that adult volunteers are needed to supervise and those wishing to help are asked to contact Mrs. W. O. Fluitt.

Hours of operation of the center are as follows:

- Monday — 3:30-5:30 — 7:00-10:00.
- Tuesday — 3:30-5:30 — 7:00-10:00.
- Wednesday — 3:30-5:30.
- Thursday — 3:30-5:30 7:00-10:00.
- Friday — 3:30-5:30 — 7:00-11:00.
- Saturday — 3:30-11:00 p.m.
- Sunday — 1:30-4:30 — 8:00-10:00.

* Boosters

The Three Way Boosters Club will sponsor a "42" party Saturday beginning at 8 p.m. in the Three Way schools cafeteria. Object of the party is to raise funds which will go to further the activities of the Booster Club.

Club officials emphasized that the public is cordially invited to the party and that refreshments will be served. Admission will be \$1.00 per person.

Bill Ault speaks to CAC directors

Bill Ault, Director of Panhandle South Housing Agency in Amarillo, spoke at a meeting of the Cochran County Community Action Board Tuesday, March 9. Ault explained two types of loans that could be made available to persons in Cochran County. One, the individual could apply through FHA. The other alternative, which takes care of the lower income and "hard" people, would go through a local Housing Authority.

The Community Action Board gave their approval to join the Housing Authority combining several counties with Hockley county being the central agency. This would afford Cochran County the necessary agency to work through to aid the lower income and older people needing housing.



QUOD OF THEIR STRIPERS . . .

AND RIGHTLY SO are Mrs. Cammie Jackson, coordinator, Mrs. Betty Mundenko, R.N., supervisor of nurses, Mrs. Bess Tiger, past president of the Ladies Auxiliary and Tru-

man Swinney, hospital administrator. Stripers standing are Gail Sanders, Kathy Freeman, Becky Greene and Nan Ray, former Striper and now in pre-nursing program.

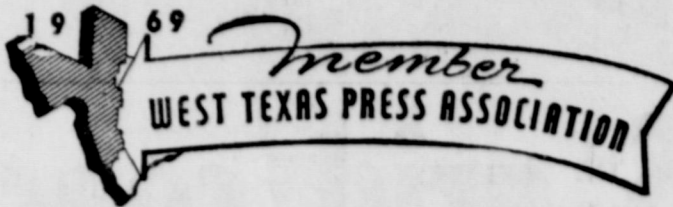
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CARD OF THANKS —

(Due to a typographical error in last week's issue, this card of thanks is being published again with the Tribune's apologies.)

CARD OF THANKS
Teener, Reuben and I want to take this means of conveying our heartfelt gratitude to all of you for your deeds and acts of kindness towards our "Daddy" and "Grandpa" during his last days and recent death. Bob Vestal refused to give up following his fall which required surgery and a hip prothesis, and many of you gave him a helping hand which enabled him to remain active until the end — to all of you, we say "God Bless You" for your acts of kindness. Also, we're especially grateful to Mrs. Brownlow and the other nurses to whom we gave him over unto their excellent care, and later, their reassurance of Daddy's relationship to our God who has released him from this world of strife unto the joys of his eternal home with God.

As I, R. A. Vestal, was held in confinement and was unable to be here except for the few short minutes of the funeral services of my father, Robert Allen Vestal, I want to join my sister, Florence, in this heartfelt thanks to all of you for the kindness bestowed upon my daddy.
Thanks to you all
Florence Hancock
R. A. Vestal, Jr.
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CARD OF THANKS
We would like to thank our friends for all their kindness and concern during my recent surgery. A special thanks to Dr. Dubberly and staff at Cochran Memorial Hospital.
W. G. Baker and family

For **COLDS** take **666**

'Through the Years' theme for Bula Athletic Banquet

"Through the Years" was the theme for the Bula Athletic Banquet held Saturday night, March 6, in the school auditorium. In keeping with the theme, the walls were decorated with year numbers, in ball shaped balloons hung from the walls surrounding the lettering "Through the Years" in silver glitter. Other decorations were trophies the school have won placed around the room and each serving table was centered with a trophy on a styrofoam base, surrounded with colored carnations. Menu and programs were in red and black in basketball shape.

Junior Austin, master of ceremonies, gave the welcome. Edward Crume offered the invocation. Bennie Claunch introduced the speaker, Claude Morrison of Fort Worth, former coach at Bula School and Mrs. Morrison, former homemaking teacher at the school.

Entertainment for the evening was provided by Donna Crume, Sharon Turney and Judy Snitker with Margaret Richardson, at the piano. They sang numbers in keeping with the program.

Presentation of student awards were made by Coach Halbrooks. In Junior High, Lisa Risinger was presented the basketball award for the girls and Wayne McKinney for the boys.

For the High School, Ron Risinger was recognized as Mr. Offense and Steve Newton as Mr. Defense. Pamela Layton was crowned football sweetheart and Steve Newton, football hero.

In basketball, Ron Risinger was recognized as Mr. Basketball, Terry Claunch, Miss Guard and Sheila Medlin, Miss Forward. Fighting Bulldogs award went to Larry Clawson and Diane Crume.

Wendell Jones presented special award to Morrison. Sandra Austin presented W. C. Risinger a plaque with engraved recognition of his service in the community as a citizen and his outstanding work as a teacher and coach for the years 1953 to 1965.

Iva Clawson, school board member, gave the benediction.

Food was prepared by Mrs. Peterson, Mrs. McDaniel, Mrs. Neil and Mrs. Risinger. Ladies assisting in the serving were Mrs. V. C. Weaver, Mrs. Flo Nichols, Mrs. Lorella Jones and Mrs. Bill Brewer.

★ Sheriff's Posse

Anyone interested in joining the Cochran County Sheriff's Posse are asked to contact Harold Reynolds 525-4278 or Rob Richards 266-8957.

It has also been announced that the trophy case, built with donations, and housing the awards won since 1951 are now on display at the Cochran County Activity Building. Everyone is invited to view these trophies.

Five rural crashes Cochran February toll

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated five accidents on rural highways in Cochran County during the month of February, according to Sergeant H. E. Pirtle, Highway Patrol Supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in no persons killed and seven persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first two months of 1971 shows a total of nine accidents resulting in no persons killed, and 12 persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for February, 1971 shows a total of 473 accidents resulting in 24 persons killed and 254 persons injured as compared to February, 1970 with 404 accidents resulting in 22 persons killed and 181 persons injured.

Rites for well-known local area pioneer are held in Decatur

Rites for Lee Cooper, 83, were held in Decatur at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Decatur Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was in Decatur.

Cooper, born September 30, 1888 died Sunday. He was a former resident of Cochran and Hockley counties, having moved to Lamesa approximately eight years ago and to Decatur three years later.

Cooper was a cowboy on the Spade Ranch for many years and helped in founding both Hockley and Cochran Counties. He was the first Tax Assessor-Collector for Cochran County. Cooper leaves a colorful legend of his life in this area. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge and while a young man walked to Littlefield to attend meetings before he was instrumental in establishing a lodge in Morton.

Cooper is survived by his wife, Daisy, three daughters and two sons.

Delta Kappa Gamma meets in Levelland

The Theta Epsilon Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society met March 13 in the Nathan Tubb home in Levelland. The Collect was read by Irene Galvin.

Following the business meeting the president, Marie Stockard, introduced Mrs. Dorothy Rose and Kathy Powell who presented the program.

Mrs. Rose gave a briefing on a reading conference she attended in El Paso. She stressed the aids now available to help students with reading problems and the methods teachers might use to help them in learning to read. She concluded with her views in observation of a day spent in an El Paso Public School.

Kathy Powell spoke on the topic "How good is your child's school." The meeting ended with the Delta Kappa Gamma song.

Attending the meeting were: Mildred Baker, Wanda Balch, Nina Birtel, Ruth Breed, Flora Bryant, Anne Bulls, Luann Cole, Cornelia Couch, Irene Galvin, Cherylne Inglis, Lonora Jackson, Mary Lou Ledbetter, Lasca McChristial, Jerry Nowlin, Polly Ann Farmer, Kathy Powell, Dorothy Rose, Mabel Sanders, Evelyn Seagler, Lois Selman, Lessey Silver, Marie Stockard, Hazel Sylvester, Frances Tubb, Frances Watkins, Inez Witte and Virginia Yarbough.

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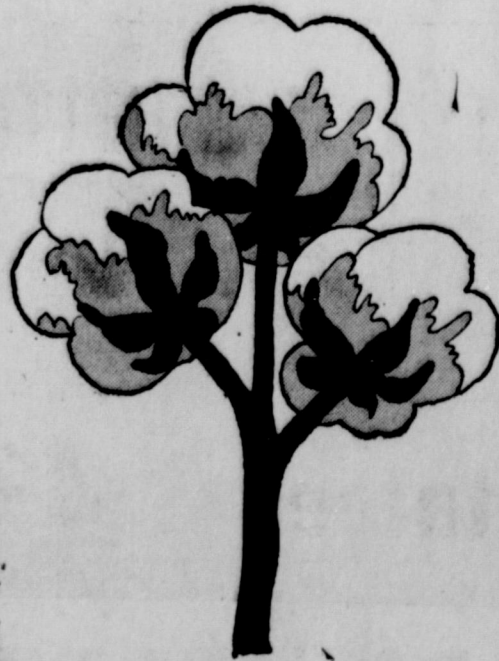
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GA coronation services are Sunday in church ceremony

The First Missionary Baptist Church held their annual coronation services Sunday at 6 p.m. in the sanctuary.

Girls and their escorts were seated in special pews and as each girl approached the altar, they were escorted by their father, relatives or friend. A pin was presented to each in relation to steps ac-

complished.

Mary Jo Hudson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hudson, was crowned GA Queen. She will be eligible to compete in District GA for further honors.

Theme of the service, chosen by the participants was "The Way of Gladness." Miss Donna Wright of Levelland sang "The Way of Gladness" and Mrs. Wayne Wright, State Worker of G.A.'s conducted the coronation service.

Decorations were in spring colors of green and gold.

New members participating were: Donna Reeves, Darlene and Doris Stevens. Maidens included: Connie Berggren, Connie Randolph, Donna Lynskey, Mitzi Baker, Lynette Hall, Lisa Hodge, Tonya Hodge, Carla Sealey, Kim Fred and Ladies in Waiting: Belinda Huner, Tommy Baker, Mary Jo Hudson, Debra Moore, Susan Baker, Donna Cox and Vicky Lewis.

Mrs. Truman Anglin, Mrs. C. W. Wiggins, Mrs. Lewis Hodge and Mrs. Leonard Gandy, leaders of the GA were in charge of the ceremony. Mrs. Royal Berggren assisted at the piano.

A reception was held in the Educational Wing following the ceremony.

David Murrah reviews life of Col. Slaughter

David Murrah, MHS teacher, reviewed the life of Col. C. C. Slaughter for members and guests at the meeting of the 1936 Study Club March 3.

The club met in the home of Mrs. Lloyd Miller, located on the Slaughter ranch.

"Col. Slaughter was a colorful figure in Texas history, he was a pioneer rancher and built the ranch headquarters located south of Morton," Murrah stated in tracing the history of the building of a ranching empire from its beginning to the division of that empire upon Col. Slaughter's death. Murrah pointed out the various buildings, which make up the headquarters and noted that they were built at a cost of \$3600.

Mrs. LeRoy Johnson, president of Caprock District TFWC, was guest of honor at the meeting. Other guests were Mmes: C. E. Dolle, C. C. Nettles, H. B. Barker, E. Greer, R. C. Strickland, Phyllis Ramsey, Hessie B. Spotts, J. W. McDermott, and Pegues Houston.

In the business session following the program, Mrs. Maurice Levelland was elected to serve as a delegate to the District meeting of the Caprock TFWC to be held in Plainview. Members were asked to make cookies for the City Federation Get Together March 29 in the County Activities Building.

Members present for the meeting were: Mmes D. E. Benham, Willard C. Benham, John Crowder, Joe Gipson, L. F. Hargrove, Gage Knox, Lewallen, John L. McGee, Joe Nicewarner, Neal Rose, Hume Russell, W. W. Smith, James St. Clair, B. H. Tucker, C. H. Silvers and Iva Williams.

THREE WAY NEWS

Mrs. Freddie Parkman and daughter, Princess, Cass Stegall, Mrs. C. B. Hightower and W. Garvin are painting in Cochran Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Wheeler were in Floydada Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sowder spent last week fishing at Lake Hemstead.

Mrs. Hope Poe from Munday is visiting her daughter, the Ronald Bruces.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson were supper guests in the home of their daughter and family, the D. A. Williams, Thursday night.

The Hicks Chapel Baptist Church had a Thursday night supper honoring the Three Way Seniors.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Dunlap and children from Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Taylor and children from Odessa were all week-end guests in the C. B. Hightower home.

WYTRDA to sponsor 'Cross & Switchblade'

Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, Board Member from Cochran County of the West Texas Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association, has announced that WYTRDA will sponsor "The Cross and the Switchblade" in its Lubbock showing at the Fox Theatre March 24 through April 6.

Featuring Pat Boone as Dave Wilkerson, this is the true story of the Rev. David Wilkerson, who dedicated his work to the ghetto in New York. Over 5 million paperbacks of his story have covered the world in 28 different languages, ranking it among the best sellers of all time.

The picture was filmed in the very streets, alleys and tenements where the story took place and the New York cast which supports Boone is frequently acting its own deeply personal ghetto background. It shows young people engulfed in the tidal wave of narcotics addiction, race hatred and violence.

Mrs. Reynolds also announced that the WYTRDA Mobile X-ray Unit will be in Morton May 19.

School menu

Monday, March 22 — Baked cheese sandwich, pea salad, buttered corn, peaches, pickles, milk.

Tuesday, March 23 — Enchiladas, bar B one green beans, green salad, cherry cobbler, cornbread, milk.

Wednesday, March 24 — Turkey w/ noodles, buttered green lima beans, carrot raisen salad, chocolate pudding, hot rolls, milk.

Thursday, March 25 — Hamburger on bun, relish, potato salad, English peas, ice cream, milk.

Friday, March 26 — Seasoned white beans, buttered spinach, tomato salad, orange cake, cornbread, chocolate milk.



BRIEFING . . .

CANDY STRIPERS Becky Greene, Gail Sanders, Kathy Freeman and Nan Ray receive briefing and instructions from Mrs. Betty Mundhenke, Mrs. Bess Tilger and Mrs. Cammie Jackson before starting their duties for the day.

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patients to X-ray or Physical Therapy.

She's pushing the library or the welcome cart, filing or typing or a myriad of other jobs wherever she's needed around the hospital. She has the energy of an atomic bomb, more questions than an encyclopedia could answer, the perseverance of a bill collector, the understanding of a friend, the trust of a child, the warmth of sunshine, the song of a bird and the gentleness of a mother.

She is a girl becoming a woman, more dazzling in her uniform than any glamor girl. She is a creation of God and it is no wonder that he loves her and so do we all nine of them that serve at Cochran Memorial Hospital, Cassandra Reeder, Nan Ray, Donna Arnold, Elizabeth Herlocker, Kathy Freeman, Rebecca Greene, Gail Sanders, Vanessa Powell and Laneta Powell.

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respective teachers' contracts. After a discussion of teachers and answering various questions directed by the board the principals, along with Mr. Travis, recommended that the following contracts be renewed for the 1971-72 school year:

Dorothy Rose, Connie Cumpton, Iva Williams, Mary Ann Ashbill, LaVelle Hawkins, Carol McClung, Mabel Ann Sanders, Rowena Amason, Linda Dupler, Letha Mauldin, Juanita Shaw, Vera Bailey, Etta Marie Doty, Sherry Fre1, Mary Sue St. Clair and John E. Coffman, Jr.

Also Robert W. Taylor, Minnie D. Whitteburg, Cassie J. Benham, Lena Mae Graves, Katie G. Ross, Ina Fern Gray, Vanice Lovett, Phyllis Reed, Evelyn Seagler, Neta Mae Terry, Mildred Ward, Jewell J. Bratcher, Orien A. Graves, Richard Houston, Malone H. Love, Wanda J. Sanders, Naomi Thompson, Thomas E. Thomson, Edgar P. Ward and Ruth Whitecotton.

Also June Arnold, Donald L. Chandler, Helen Crone, Lester B. Dupler, Dennis B. Howell, Cherylne Inglis, Lonora E. Jackson, Inez P. Knox, Margaret Masten, David J. Murrah, Douglas C. Reed, Mary Elizabeth Whillock, Wayne M. Rowden, Peggy Silhan, John Stockdale, Cynthia A. Thomson, Jeff A. Townsend, Ted Whillock, Jeannette Young, Owen Young.

In other business, the board set April 6, 1971 as the date for a special meeting for the purpose of canvassing the election returns in the MISD trustee election to be held April 3.

A motion for approval of the list of textbooks selected for adoption by the textbook committee to be used in the Morton schools during the coming year was carried.

Approval was given for the payment of bills for the month of March in the amount of \$65,809.88.

MHS golfers third in first half of district tournament

Morton High School golfers finished third in the first half round of the district 3-AA golf tournament, played Monday afternoon at the Morton Country Club course.

Friena's linksters turned in a combined 348 score on the 18 holes to take a comfortable lead.

Only the Western members of the district participated in the Morton based tourney. The other schools will play their first rounds at Olton on Friday. Those schools playing at Morton included the host school, two teams from Friena and Dimmitt, and Littlefield.

The second half will be played at Friena on April 1, with the winner advancing to meet the eastern winner on April 5.

Morton senior M. C. Collins carded an 88 on the two rounds, only three strokes off the medalist pace set by a freshman from Friena.

Morton's team was 17 strokes behind the leaders after the Monday match. Indian senior Eddie Turney was only one stroke behind Collins with 87. Stan Coffman carded a 90. Larry Moore and Jackie Watts turned in rounds of 99 and 102.

Morton's golf team is coached by Ted Whillock.

★ Campfire Birthday

The Morton Campfire Girls are celebrating their 23rd birthday this week. Organized in 1948 by Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter and Mrs. Fred Stockdale, there are 99 registered members in Morton.

In conjunction with the celebration, the girls will be recognized by their churches in Sunday services.

Local women

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Mrs. Shern Henerd, Plains, CITGO; Kenneth Holt of Lockney, Project Concern; Mrs. Bob Polvado of Morton, Healthy Baby; Mrs. Connie O'Donnell, Girlstown U.S.A.

"Time to Show and Tell" will follow Mrs. H. B. Barker of Morton discussing legislation; Mrs. James T. Harris of public relations; Mrs. H. T. Wilcher of Plainview, subscriptions; and Mrs. John Meador of Meadow, Maintenance; Mrs. L. Jones of Post, Club Ethics; Mrs. Ann of Muleshoe, Courtesy; and Felicia Applewhite of Lockney, Headstart Art Gallery.

The state president will give the keynote address "In the Know Through Federation" session at 3:15 p.m. Friday. The convention will be recessed at 5 p.m. and exhibits of yearbooks, crafts, stichery, pottery, collections of "boards" may be viewed at the convention. Day events will be climaxed by an



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Swindlers Sell Fabrics Marked "All Wool"

SALT LAKE CITY—A smoothly operating band of door-to-door salesmen who sell cheap substitute fabrics as "all-wool" are cheating the nation's housewives out of hundreds of thousands of dollars each year, the American Wool Council has warned here.

The swiftly spreading racket, which foils local authorities in most communities, has reached as far West as Southern California and as far East as Hartford, Conn., according to the Better Business Bureau in New York. In most cases, victims are persons who can ill afford to be swindled.

Fast-talking and fast-moving members of the organization hit with greatest frequency in rural America. Here, in smaller towns with few stores, these slickly polished rags can reach the heart of the nation's budget-conscious, home-sewing market.

Telling a story of personal hard luck, the itinerant salesman offers what are described as luxury wool fabrics at sacrifice prices. Authentic-looking labels identifying the fabrics as "all-wool" play a big part in clinching most sales, they add.

Only after the salesman has sped away in his high powered car do both the salesman's story and fabric prove to be synthetic.

"These operations, which constitute a nationwide swindle of gigantic proportions, are cleverly devised to escape effective prosecution and are geographically planned to victimize widely scattered segments of the population," says W. H. Steiner, the American Wool Council's president.

"For every one of the hundreds of local incidents reported each year," he adds, "thousands of sales unquestionably go unreported."

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2. Don't display your rudeness by asking him to further jeopardize his immortal soul by inquiring where he could be found by tomorrow if you had to try to collect on his guarantee.

LESSON THREE - Forget

1. Forget that you may want the people you do business with to help out with local money-raising projects. And where will the peddler be then?
2. Forget that about one-third of the money you spend with local business establishments finds its way into community upkeep and progress, while the peddler puts this part down in his sock.

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About local folks . . .

DUTCH GIPSON
Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Cook of Greenville spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Fowler, in Hobbs, N.M.

Mrs. Jackie Pinson and son, Brandon, Brownfield spent the week-end with mother, Mrs. S. A. Ramsey, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Straw and daughter, Vicki, and Mrs. Maurine Strickland, son, Ronnie, of Albuquerque, N.M., were guests of Rev. and Mrs. Mearl Straw. Mrs. Straw is a sister of Rev. Straw.

Mrs. Orie Ellington has returned to home after spending several days with her granddaughter and family, the former Anna Faye Ellington, who lives in Hobbs, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Luper and family from Lubbock visited recently with their parents, the Carlton Lupers. Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts, Cochran County

Librarian, attended City County Library Workshop in Lubbock two days. Librarians from out lying counties attended and each librarian was given 26 children's books for their respective library. The workshop closed with a luncheon at the Ming Tree Restaurant.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. House and Lessee were in Arkansas last week for the funeral of Mrs. House's uncle.

Mrs. Iva Williams and Mrs. Connie Gray attended a meeting Saturday, March 13, at Texas Tech University. The meeting was in connection with certification of Texas Teachers. Ballots were given to those attending to indicate the methods thought best for Texas Teachers and administrators. The information will be computerized for use in future certification of teachers, councilors, supervisors, principals and superintendents. Much discussion was held and it is thought certification should be updated.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Gipson of Spur



ASSURES CLEAN SWEEP . . .

TOMMY LEWIS of the Whiteface FFA chapter, did his part in making it a clean sweep for Cochran county in the calf division of the Hockley County Livestock Show held in Levelland Thursday, Friday and Saturday. He was runner-up to Mickie Dewbre of the Morton 4-H Club with his Reserve Grand Champion Hereford steer. Other Cochran countians placed high in the lamb division to make a good account of the local entries. Tommy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Lewis of Whiteface.

were Saturday visitors with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gipson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miolli, Cindy, Cathy and Tina of Morton in company with Mrs. Miolli's grandmother, Mrs. Hazel Russell of Whiteface, attended a birthday dinner in Plainview at the home of Mrs. Russell's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Medley. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stapp and family of Amarillo were guests of honor. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Medley of Plainview were also present to help celebrate his sister's birthday.

D. G. Henry and Bill Martin of Tucumcari, N.M. were in Morton Tuesday transacting business and greeting old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Stokes attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Dovey Tiley, 74, of Hereford Monday. Mrs. Tiley was buried in Tulia. Other relatives accompanying the Stokes were Mrs. Viola Walker and son, Reubin, and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Wessley.

Mrs. Loy Kern hosts Junior Study Club

The Emla Smith Junior Study Club met Thursday, March 11, in the home of Mrs. Loy Kern.

"The Liberated Woman" was the title of the program given by Mrs. James Walker and Mrs. Gary Willingham. They told the members that statistics showed a housewife would earn \$12,000 per year for her services were she employed outside the home.

In the business meeting, it was voted to have the Installation Dinner catered by Temple Kern and to invite the Friona Junior Study Club as special guests. A motion was made and carried that each member would make a donation to the Morton Youth Center and the donations would be collected at the dinner.

Members and guests present were: Mmes Rodney Fralin, James St. Clair, Bob Polvado, Glenn Lowe, Robert Terry, Griffith, Robert Taylor, Bill Foust, Donnie Dewbre, Ray O'Drien, Mary Brownlow, Earl Polvado, James Walker and Gary Willingham.

Committees are named for LeFleur Club flower show

Mrs. Olin Darland, president of the LeFleur Garden Club announced the committees for the annual Flower Show, to be held May 8, at a meeting of the club March 11. The club met in the home of Mrs. E. R. Fincher.

Committees named were: Schedule, Mrs. Murry Crone, Mrs. Ray Griffith and Mrs. J. L. Thomas; Staging and Placement, Mrs. Jack Baker, Mrs. Darland; Entries and Classification, Mrs. Fincher, Mrs. W. A. Woods; Publicity, Mrs. L. Z. Scoggins, Judges, Mrs. Roy Hill; Hospitality, Mrs. Owen Egger; Awards, Miss Lessye Ward and Clerks, Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Scoggins. The flower show will be held in the home of Mrs. Griffith, 704 E. Garfield.

Mrs. Don Samford gave the program on "Vases, Containers and Backgrounds." She told the group to make an arrangement the first thing to do is check through your vases and containers and also decide where the arrangement will be used. The type of arrangement will depend on furniture, space, lighting, background and flower material available. "The container or vase should not be ornate nor predominant. It should however be of material to coordinate and or enhance the overall effect." Mrs. Samford continued "Many articles in the kitchen, garage and even the trash can be very effective, useful and unique with a little glue, paint or as is" a few things she suggested using were glasses, bowls, pans, bottles, cans, skillets, tea kettles, cake plates and stands. In closing she encouraged members to plant a new seed this year to be used in fall and winter arrangements. Some suggested that dry well were straw-flowers, various grasses, wild oats and Bachelor Buttons. Demonstrations using varied background and containers were given.

The arrangement for the day was a "Tricky to do" mobile made by the hosts in which miniature decorated baskets, dip net, complete with fish, and other objects were balanced and suspended from a crumpled wire base.

It was announced the District Convention will convene in Amarillo March 23 and 24 in the Garden Center and four members will attend.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Scoggins April 1. Mrs. Fincher will give the program on "Tried and True Fertilizers."

Indians cop eighth place in rugged Denver City meet

Morton's track team found the competition quite tough at last week's Denver City Relays and finished eighth in an eleven team field.

Willie B. Holland took high honors for the Indians in the broad jump with leap of 20-10, his best of the year in competition. Holland also took fifth in the high jump.

The only other Indian to finish in the top three of each event was Elton Patton, who took third in the 220-yard dash.

Host Denver City took top scoring honors in the meet with a 94-point output. Jal, New Mexico, was runner-up with 83 points. Morton was the only school from district 3-AA represented in the relays. Most of the other conference schools were competing at Abernathy.

Others to place for the Indians included a sixth place finish in the high jump by Jimmy Harvey and a 19-3 leap in the broad jump by Larry Thompson that was good for sixth also.

Amado Arteaga turned in a good performance in the mile with a 5:29 run for seventh place. Rick Woods took seventh in the 880 with a time of 2:14, followed close by Keith Embry's run of 2:14.

Morton's sprint relay team took fourth place in the meet with a 45.1 in the finals. The team, composed of Eddie Lewis, Kevin Kuehler, Larry Thompson, and Patton, ran a 45.0 in the preliminaries, the best time in the opening round.

The Morton thinclads will travel to Hale Center for a meet this Saturday and then will go to Roosevelt for its meet the following week.

Picture transfers program for Tops

Mrs. Ruby Davis demonstrated transferring pictures to canvas board at a meeting of the Lighter Later Tops Club March 10 in Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church.

Gene Bridges led the Tops pledge and Jane Sinclair recorded the best weight loss of 7 1/4 pounds.

A prayer closed the meeting. Persons interested in joining the club are invited to attend the weekly meetings.

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Tribe takes two tennis matches in district competition warmup

Morton tennis teams took matches from Friona and Whiteface this week as they prepare for the first round of district matches at Littlefield next Tuesday.

Keith Embry led Indian tennis players with clean sweeps over his opponents from Friona and Whiteface.

In other matches, Shelby Race and Ralph Mason topped Friona in two out of three sets. In girls doubles, Becky and Teri Harris lost to Friona, 2-0. Mark Fluitt and David Barrera split with the Chiefs' frosh team, 6-2, and 4-6.

Embry defeated his Whiteface opponent in two 6-0 sets Tuesday afternoon. Teri and Becky Harris won both sets of girls doubles as did Race and Mason in boys' doubles. Junior high girls Sherita Fluitt and Kathy Mason won a single set, 6-2, and Julie Cooper won in girls' singles, 6-4. Morton won the match, 6-0. Morton will host Whiteface in a rematch next Wednesday.

Eight high school students and 10 from junior high composed the Morton tennis teams this year. Embry, district finalist for the past two years, is expected to pace the team once again as the Indians have changed districts and are expected to make a strong showing in conference 3-AA. Embry will compete in the boys' singles matches.

Sophomore Ted Thomas and senior Shelby Race will compete in boys' doubles. Senior Becky Harris and sister Teri Harris advanced to the district semifinals last year and are competing again this season in the girls' doubles.

In the freshmen division, Ralph Mason will compete in boys' singles. Mason advanced to last year's finals in junior high. The boys' doubles will be represented by freshmen Mark Fluitt and David Barrera. Both competed in the district finals last year.

Two district finalists return to head Morton junior high's tennis team this season. Eighth grader Julie Cooper finished second last season in girls' singles. In girls' doubles, eighth graders Sherita Fluitt and Kathy Mason will be competing. Their team finished second last season also.

Seventh graders Randy Coleman and David Ramby will play boys' doubles as will Arthur Thomas and Allen Steed. In the girls' doubles for seventh grade,

Gail Lassiter and Deborah Hodge will compete. Schelle Key will compete in seventh grade girls' singles.

Indian tennis teams will warm up for the district matches at Littlefield by competing this week-end at the Lubbock Estacado Tournament, to be played Friday and Saturday, then travel to Plains Monday.

The district matches against Littlefield will be played on Tuesday and Friday. The Tuesday matches will begin at 2 p.m. The Friday contests will begin at 1 p.m. Morton players must win two out of three of the matches against Littlefield in order to advance to the district tournament. The conference tournament will be staged at Floydada on April 5. Dimmitt is matched in a preliminary round against Friona, Abernathy meets Floydada, and Olton faces Lockney.

Morton's tennis teams are coached by Tommy Thomson.

Texas April draft call total 1,033

The April draft call by the Department of Defense is for 17,000 men, all for the Army. Colonel Melvin N. Glantz, State Director of Selective Service for Texas, today announced the draft call in Texas as 1,033.

Most of the men selected for induction in April will come from the first priority group for 1971, however a few men in the extended priority group, who were needed by their local boards to fill the March call, but who were unavailable for induction in March for several reasons, will be included.

Glantz said the limitation on lottery numbers for April would be the same as in earlier months of 1971. He explained that no one in the 1971 first priority group with a lottery number above 100 would be inducted.

The State Director said the pre-induction physical examination call for Texas in April will be 4,001 men.

Glantz pointed out that the special call by the Department of Defense for Doctors and Dentists, which is being processed within the next few days, is separate and apart from the regular draft call.

County ACS Crusade slated April 1-16

The Cochran County Unit of the American Cancer Society met in regular session March 16 at the Wigwam Cafe.

Mrs. James St. Clair, crusade chairman, reported on plans that have been made for the April crusade.

Harold Drennan reported on April 3, Eddie Nicholson will make a personal appearance in Morton. A local talent show will be conducted at that time and all proceeds above expenses will go to the American Cancer Society.

Dan Harris, District Chairman, presented the local unit with an Award of Merit for exceeding the per capita income goal of the Texas Division. This was for the crusade conducted in 1970.

Harris also pointed that 17 out of 24 counties in the District have an active unit.

Mrs. St. Clair stated that the Citizens Band organization would canvass the rural area of the County for the crusade. Bill Smith will be chairman of this group. Other workers named for the upcoming crusade are as follows: Mrs. Joe Nicewarner, Mrs. Bobby Smith, Mrs. Kenneth McMaisters, Mrs. Ed Pruitt, Mrs. John Hall, Mrs. Sherell Griffith, Mrs. Fred Payne, Mrs. Robbie Key, Mrs. Elic Cox, Mrs. Chester Miller, Mrs. Carrol Shelton, Mrs. Gary Willingham, Mrs. James McClure, Mrs. Mike Walden, Mrs. Dexter Nebhut, Mrs. Al Mullinax, Mrs. Maurice Lewallen, Mrs. Wayne Patten, Mrs. Joe Seagler, Mrs. Bill Crone, Mrs. W. O. Fluitt, Mrs. Wilson Hodge, Mrs. Jimmy Cook, Mrs. Lewis Hodge, Mrs. Jimmy Webb, Mrs. Donnie Simpson, Mrs. Bill Thomas, Mrs. Elra Oden, Mrs. John L. McGee, Mrs. Zeke Sanders, Mrs. Bob Vinson, Mrs. Russell Hudson, Mrs. James Dewbre, Mrs. Joe Gipson, Mrs. W. G. Freeland, Mrs. Bryon Willis, Mrs. Don Smart, Mrs. Kermit Ward, Mrs. Johnny Hancock, Mrs. Lee Taylor, Mrs. Jim Waters, Mrs. Billy Foust, Mrs. John Holden, Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter, Carolyn Turney — Bula, Mrs. Whitecotton — Griffith, Mrs. Alvie Harris — Blesjoe, Whiteface Study Club — Whiteface, Mrs. Ralph Beasley — Enochs, Mrs. Charles Abbe — Maple, Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, Mrs. T. M. Tanner, Mrs. Willard Henry, Mrs. W. D. Christian, Mr. and Mrs. Trejo, Mrs. Hardy Rhine, Mrs. O. L. Tilger, Mrs. C. E. Luper, Mrs. D. E. Benham.

All workers are invited to a coffee at the home of Mrs. James St. Clair on March 24, 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. Envelopes for the crusade may be picked up at that time. The crusade will run April 1 through April 16.

Campfire Branches honor 'Dads' at annual banquet

The Bluebirds, Campfire and Horizon Clubs, all branches of the Campfire program, honored their "Dads" at the annual Dad and Daughter banquet held in the Morton School Cafeteria Saturday, March 13.

Debra Williams, Horizon Club, served as Mistress of Ceremonies and welcomed the guests. Following the welcome, each girl introduced herself and her Dad.

Cassandra Reeder led the group in singing the "Campfire Girls Grace." The flag was presented by Sherry Owens and the Pledge of Allegiance and the singing of "America" was led by Jeannie Coker, Malinda Webb and Cassandra Reeder.

The program and table decorations were by individual groups.

Second grade Bluebirds, led by Mrs. Bill Foust, sang "Hokey Pokey." Their table was decorated with spring flowers.

Third grade Bluebirds, led by Mrs. Robert Yearly, did the Bunny Hop and sang an Easter song. Their table, in keeping with the program, was decorated with an Easter motif.

Fourth grade Campfire girls, directed by Mrs. James Dewbre, gave a reading "Wild West Weaking." Their table was decorated with spring flowers and candles.

Fifth grade Campfire girls, directed by Mrs. Earl Polvado, portrayed a skit titled "At the Movies." Their table was decorated with flags.

Sixth grade Campfire girls, led by Mrs. LeRoy Owens, sang "I'm a Yankee Doodle Dandy." Their table was done in a St. Patrick Day motif.

Seventh grade, directed by Mrs. Earl Evans, did a skit on radio and tv commercials. Their table was decorated with a table with St. Patrick decorations.

The Horizon Club, under the leadership of Mrs. E. L. Reeder, presented a style show of the styles of today. Their table was decorated in honor of the Horizons. The program closed with a favorite Campfire Girls song, "Sing Your Way Home." Food for the banquet was prepared and served by Temple Kern and staff.

Morton teams enter Levelland cage meet

The Levelland High School Choir is sponsoring an Independent Basketball Tournament March 18, 19 and 20. Four games will be played each night starting at 6 p.m.

Starting the tournament Thursday night will be the Morton Coaches playing the Morton Faculty. Following the Morton teams will be Whitharrel Independents vs Littlefield Coke-Cola Bottling Company. At 8:30 p.m. the Levelland Independents will play Amherst Butane. In the final game, Hereford Independents will play Nix Implement of Sudan.

There will be double elimination play with first, second, third and consolation trophies.

Admission for the games will be 75 cents for adults, 50 cents for students and 25 cents for children through 6th grade.

The tournament will be held in the Levelland High School gymnasium.

Morton students compete in play workshop at Tech

Eight Morton High School seniors attended Texas Tech's One-Act Play Workshop in an all-day meeting last Saturday.

The session, attracting 28 schools from all over Texas, featured the presentation of each school's play, all in preparation for upcoming UIL contests.

The one act play contest is a very popular part of the spring academic event sponsored by the University Interscholastic League. The competition produces winners in each district in each of the five school classifications. Regional contests are held, with the winners then advancing to the state contest.

The Morton students presented "You Means No," a short vaudeville comedy skit. The play features Shelby Race, Steve Winder, Doug Evans, Garnett Taylor, and Vicki Kennedy.

The district 3-AA contest will be staged April 6 at Dimmitt. Morton's play will be the seventh and last of the day. Curtain time is scheduled for 8 p.m.

Others attending from Morton included Paul Blanton, Becky Greene, and Brenda Thorn. The sponsor for the group was speech instructor David Murrah.

Meetings to be held in preparation for March Lay Mission

In preparation for the Lay Witness Mission to be held in the First United Methodist Church March 26-28, home meetings are scheduled Wednesday night, March 24.

Allen Lovelace, Biology Professor at New Mexico Military Institute, will be coordinating the mission. Working with Lovelace in the two day mission will be approximately forty persons from churches in the area.

The group meetings will be held in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. John Crowder, Mrs. W. W. Smith, Mrs. Fred Shackelford, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Groves, Judge and Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter and Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Key. The Senior High group will meet in Fellowship Hall of the church and the Junior High will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sayers.

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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.

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.

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.

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.

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.

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.

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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STARTING YOUTH CENTER COURSE . . .

THE MORTON YOUTH CENTER COMMITTEE is shown working out the ever-mounting details for the operation of the center at a meeting Monday night. Under the committee's guidance, the facility for the use of Morton's managers has made huge strides toward completion in the

few short weeks since the idea was first conceived. Left to right are Rev. Mearl Moore, committee chairman; Mrs. W. O. Fluit, secretary; and members Mrs. Thelma Lewis, Susan Keyes, Gwen Green, Mrs. Kenneth Watts, Larry Moore, Roy Hickman and George Trejo.

News from Bula-Enochs area

Tammy and Tod Harrington of Lubbock spent the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Seagler, Tammy had the mumps and wasn't able to go to school.

Keith and Kim Coats and Forest Baker were in Amarillo, Friday to attend a machine school.

The Week of Prayer, for Home Missions, was observed at the Enochs Baptist Church Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday. The theme for the week was "Sharing . . . with one or one thousand." Mrs. L. E. Nichols was in charge of the programs and Mrs. Junior Austin was in charge of the music. Each meeting opened with the song "Hark, the Voice of Jesus Calling." Those taking parts on the program Monday were: Mesdames W. M. Bryant, C. C. Snitker, L. E. Nichols, Dorothy Nichols, Rose Nichols, Loretta Layton, and Sandra Austin. There were 13 women and one child present.

Tuesdays Theme was "Sharing . . . During Times of Crises." Those taking parts on program were Mrs. W. B. Peterson, Mrs. E. F. Campbell, Mrs. W. M. Bryant, Dorothy Nichols, Mrs. J. O. Dane, Mrs. H. B. King, Sandra Austin, Mrs. J. D. Bayless, Mrs. L. E. Nichols. Others present were: Mesdames Rose Nichols, C. C. Snitker, J. B. Vanlandingham, E. N. McCall, J. W. Layton, Mrs. C. H. Byars and Jeff Austin.

The Wednesday night program was given by the G. A.'s Patricia McKinney, Renee Beasley, Paula Nichols, JaLynn Price, Melonie Roberts and their sponsors, Mrs. Rose Nichols and Mrs. Joyce

Beasley.

Mrs. L. E. Nichols, Mrs. Sandra Austin, Mrs. W. M. Bryant, Mrs. C. C. Snitker, Mrs. J. W. Layton, Mrs. J. D. Bayless, Mrs. E. F. Campbell, and Mrs. J. O. Dane attended the Prayer Retreat at the Three Way Baptist Church Thursday. Ever one enjoyed the program very much. Rev. Glen Harlen brought the message. There were approximately 50 in attendance.

Fridays program theme was "Sharing . . . with one or One Thousand." The program was given by Mrs. L. E. Nichols and Sandra Austin sang "Share Your Faith Each Day," also on the program were: Mrs. J. B. Vanlandingham, Mrs. W. M. Bryant, Dorothy Nichols, Mrs. Melba McKinney and Mrs. Wanda Layton. Those present not on the program were: Mesdames J. O. Dane, C. C. Snitker, J. D. Bayless, Guy Sanders, Mrs. C. H. Byars and Jeff Austin.

Robert Layton had an accident on his Mini Bike Monday afternoon, he received bruises and a fractured arm.

A spring revival will begin March 28 and go through April 4th, at the Enoch Baptist Church. Rev. Jim Green of Portales, N.M. will be the evangelist and Albert Castro of Littlefield will lead the singing. Ever one is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Layton and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bayless were supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Clem at Wolfthorpe Tuesday night.

Mrs. Sandra Austin, Wayne and Susan McKinney, James Snitker, Dwight McDaniel and Susan Layton attended the youth rally at Progress Monday night.

Vester Gilliam had surgery last week at the Morton hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Pyburn of Clovis, N.M. have moved to Enochs. They live in the Barron Graves house. Cliff and his parents lived in the house before they sold it to the Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Turney spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Nix at Littlefield.

The Boy Scouts had their first meeting Friday. There were 5 present, Richard Nichols, Bernie Davila, Joe Ybara, Bryan Roberts, and Mike Nichols, and their Den Mother, Mrs. Quinton Nichols, and her assistant, Mrs. Burley Roberts.

Mrs. Harold Layton took her daughters, Pam, Freda and Susan to Lubbock Friday for an Ensemble Music Recital.

The Bula seniors are sponsoring a chicken dinner March 21. Serving will be in the school lunch room, at 12:00 o'clock, prices will be \$1.25 for adults and \$1.00 for children. Ever one is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Angel and daughters of Lubbock, visited his mother, Mrs. Olive Angel Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Kessier of Athens, Georgia visited in the W. T. Thomas home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Thomas visited friends, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Brown, at Denver City last week.

Loveta Jo and Carrol Sue Black of Muleshoe spent the week-end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Milsap.

Rev. Tony McKinney brought the study of the Fifth Dispensation, the last study in the Old Testament, Sunday night at 6:00 p.m. and the young people had charge of the services at 7:00 o'clock. Bro. McKinney led the song service and Tim Coats brought the message. There was a fellowship for the young people. Refreshments of hot dogs, pickles, potato chips, and cookies were served to the group.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Snitker and children of Hart were guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Snitker Saturday. The children wanted to see them shear the sheep.

Guests in the home of Mrs. George Fine were her niece, Mr. and Mrs. John Reed from Great Bend, Kansas. They spent the week and Mrs. Fine and later all visited in San Angelo with Mrs. Destie Wallace.

Recognition Banquet for Honor Students held in Levelland

Members of the National Honor Society, their dates and sponsors were honored at the Cochran-Hockley County twelfth annual Recognition Banquet Thursday, March 4, at the Levelland High School.

The banquet was sponsored by the Public School Week Citizens' Committee and the Masonic Lodge, County Supt. Davis Pounds is chairman of the committee.

Tim Lucas of Levelland acted as Master of Ceremonies and Johnny Graham of Whitharal gave the invocation and led the Pledge of Allegiance. Students and guests were recognized by Don Vardeman of Levelland and Johnny Drachenberg of Smyer gave the response.

Dean Nathan Tubb of South Plains College gave the appreciation to participants. Claude Northcutt was Honorary Master of Ceremonies.

Entertainment for the evening featured the Crystals, a singing group, Mary Ellen Nance, pianist, and the Gristleton Trio. Sherri Adams of Bledsoe gave the benediction.

Participating schools were: Anton High School, Bledsoe High School, Levelland Junior High School, Levelland Senior High School, Morton High School, Pep High School, Ropes High School, Smyer High School, Sundown High School, Whiteface High School and Whitharal High School.

Attending from Morton were: Sue Winder, Dennis Clayton, Karen Willis, Kevin Kuehler, Gerald Grusendorf, Deletta Nebhut, Jancie Hall, Benny Cadenhead, Beverly Dolle, Karen Stevens, Joan Kuehler, Earnestine Hawkins, Willie Moore, Betty Silhan, Beckey Green, Sheri Cadenhead, Kim Coats, Terri Harris, J. Wayne McDermott, Barbara Brown, Jane Wilcox, Larry Hale, Becky Jerden, Roger McClintock, Eddie Turney, Vicki Cloud, La Verne Romans, Mike Abbe, Mrs. Lenore Freeland and Mrs. Inez Knox.

Bookmobile schedule

The High Plains Bookmobile will be in your area on the following dates.
Wednesday March 24, Bula No. 1 — 10:15-11:15; Bula No. 2 — 12:00-1:00.
Tuesday March 23, Morton — 9:30-12:00.

What is the purpose of the proposed one percent sales tax to be voted April 3, 1971 by the City of Morton voters?

The reason as explained by city officials, is to raise necessary funds without putting an even greater burden on the property owner, whom they feel already is carrying an excessive tax load. They note that the Texas Legislature realized this situation and provided an avenue whereby municipalities could equalize taxes.

Scores of Lone Star State towns and cities have adopted the one percent sales tax plan.

Texas Municipal League points out that two of the main assets of a sales tax are (1) Providing a means of financing to substantiate the ad valorem tax, which has virtually reached its peak; and (2) Being a fair tax, with each family being taxed only on items which are regarded as "luxuries".

Among pressing needs of Morton are a new fire truck and fire fighting equipment which remain at the disposal of town and rural dwellers alike. The insurance key rate will be effected if the present fire truck is not replaced in the near future. This effects the insurance rate of everyone in the Morton area.

A continuing project is seal coating for city streets. Every street should receive a seal coat every five years on a revolving basis.

Wages and other city expenses increase as the cost of living rises. Meanwhile, the ad valorem tax structure fails to produce additional income.

Combining these and other factors the City Council decided that a city sales tax was generally the most advisable avenue. This plan, they were told is working in towns and cities across the state without placing an undue burden on anyone, especially older property owners.

Study the pros and cons. Then reflect your feelings at the polls April 3, 1971.

CITY OF MORTON, TEXAS — ALL FUNDS

Combined Comparative Statement of Income and Revenue For The Years Ending March 31, 1968, 1969 and 1970

	1970	1969	1968
Tax Collections	\$ 55,056	\$ 55,535	\$ 56,388
Less Discounts Allowed	(1,147)	(1,235)	(1,241)
Penalty and Interest	710	906	1,050
Sanitation Service	18,767	14,694	13,487
Fines	6,208	4,794	7,540
Streets and Alley Rentals	5,613	4,399	3,210
Sale of Barrels	367	425	303
Permits	398	340	538
Inspections	42	468	147
Tax Certificates	34	44	75
Cemetery: County	3,600	3,635	3,600
Lots	1,462	670	1,120
Grave Openings	1,540	765	1,280
Permits	140	90	87
*Insurance Proceeds			126
Expense Refunds		273	317
Cash Over	2		33
Rural Fire Service		1,200	1,200
Administration	(1) 15,600	15,600	15,600
Dividends	(1) 36,146	22,354	12,563
Sales of Supplies and Equipment		393	106
Land Lease	1,066	533	
Paving Lien Collections	35	112	
Sales: Water	62,541	54,384	54,483
Gas	114,953	109,232	113,190
Sewage	19,298	15,739	14,399
Connections	305	307	162
Collections of Bad Debts	1,071	888	1,790
Correction of Prior Depreciation	(1)	120	
Interest Income	2,418	2,861	2,366
	\$346,225	\$309,526	\$303,919
Less Inter-Fund Transfers	(1) 51,746	38,074	28,163
Total Income and Revenue	\$294,479	\$271,452	\$275,756

Series 1948 General Obligation Bonds —

Payments 1968	\$6,860.00
Payments 1969	\$6,660.00
Payment 1970	\$6,460.00

Series 1964 Utility Revenue Bonds —

Payments 1968	\$28,712.50
Payments 1969	\$28,187.50
Payments 1970	\$27,625.00

CITY OF MORTON, TEXAS — ALL FUNDS

Combined Comparative Statement of Expenses and Expenditures For The Years Ending March 31, 1968, 1969 and 1970

	1970	1969	1968
Salaries	\$120,194	\$110,698	\$110,057
Payroll Taxes	5,377	4,766	4,549
Hospitalization Insurance	4,348	2,598	3,095
Insurance	7,077	7,076	7,075
Repairs: Improvements	9,805	6,055	7,598
Equipment	8,059	8,282	9,891
Supplies	17,361	7,738	11,937
Auto and Travel	1,180	1,315	1,540
Legal and Accounting	3,486	2,986	2,454
Dues and Conferences	1,888	1,922	1,302
Utilities	10,732	10,634	10,677
Telephone	978	681	707
Election Expense	91	120	46
Equalization Board	84	54	54
Miscellaneous	188	916	827
Bad Debts		253	485
Fuel and Lubrication	8,845	5,717	6,009
Food for Prisoners	74	64	246
Uniforms	574	348	375
Barrels	241	251	83
Firemen Pension Fund		1,200	
Circuit	130	108	110
Fishing Trip	478	524	439
Administration	(1) 15,600	15,600	15,600
Dividends	(1) 36,146	22,354	12,563
Interest	14,498	15,235	16,908
Sales Tax	2,582	2,193	1,596
Purchase of Gas	39,490	48,844	55,352
Depreciation	(2) 31,345	31,883	32,001
Fixed Assets	8,128	13,060	3,743
Cemetery Lots and Permits		30	50
Dump Ground	352	746	
Inspections		390	
Cash Short		15	
Tractor Rent		360	
	\$349,331	\$324,116	\$317,369
Less: Inter-Fund Transfers	(1) 51,746	37,954	28,163
	\$297,585	\$286,162	\$289,206

Morton Mayor and City Council



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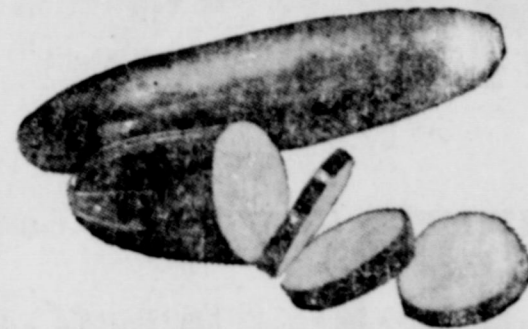
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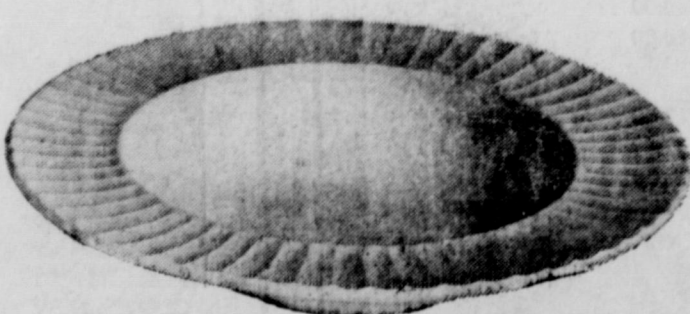
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